

Re: Is this the way Windows Update is supposed to work?

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Well you can choose. Type Automatic Updates in help and review the subject.

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And the band played

<http://www.livejournal.com/users/aldon/74121.html>

"Videot" <notathome@optusnet.com.au> wrote in message news:0218Dn\$NEHA.1644@TK2MSFTNGP09.phx.gbl.

> I was using our new laptop a few hours ago & I found it to be very slow &
> sluggish & then I noticed that it appeared to be downloading something & I
> was correct - they were Windows Updates. Once it finished, after about an
> hour, (our connection speed is on 28kbs), up pops a window telling me that
> new updates have been downloaded & asked if I wished to install them. This
> seems a little backward way of doing things since if I said no apparently
> all that had been downloaded would apparently be just thrown away. Is this
> the way things are supposed to work? Why can't I be shown what the
> downloads are for before I say yes?

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> Thanks in advance

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