

Audio problem software related

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I have a strange audio problem that I have not been able to fix. I'm working on a Sony Viao PCV-MXS20 running Home edition SP2. Here's the deal.

I can play an audio CD with no problems. I can play internet radio stations with no problem. I can play iTunes video, though the audio has an occasional "pop." I cannot play any wav files. DVDs show video, but no audio.

I have uninstalled all media programs except iTunes and Windows Media Player 10. I also uninstalled all DVD/CD writing software and reinstalled only the DVD player software that came with the computer. I have remove and reinstalled the sound card. I have uninstalled and reinstalled the DVD drive with current drivers. When I reinstalled WMP10 I got one wav file to play, though it was a stream from the internet. After inserting a DVD I was not able to get any other wav files to play. The DVD had no audio either. If have also installed all Codecs that I could find.

I believe this must be a software issue. Is it a Windows system file problem? If so, can I fix it without reinstalling windows?

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