

Could not install the Simple TCP/IP services component

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Ok... Someone please help me.

I have searched the web for 4 days on this to rule out something simple that I am missing. I could not find the problem.

Problem

"Could not install the Simple TCP/IP services component because a file or registry entry is missing" & My network cards will not install. The hardware simply will not install. It finds the NIC, I have even tried to install the drivers from the original CD. I think that this problem is tied with each the tcp/ip component and hardware

History

I was having problems with TCP/IP connections. After my machine would boot, I would lose internet within 10 minutes. Something was loading that I couldn't find. So I thought that maybe removing the TCP/IP components and NIC card hardware that I could reinstall it if it was corrupted.

I ran McAfee virus scan, Norton Antivirus, & BitDefender Antivirus, Spybot search and destroy, McAfee Antispyware... these all found 0 viruses.

What I have tried

I have run

netsh int ip reset (appeared to have done something, but didn't fix the problem)

Add Windows Component (this is where I get the error)

Ran the MS Support procedure for determining Winsock2 corruption
Virus scan again.

Ran trial version of System Mechanic to clean registry.

BTW... REGCLEAN appears to just run and run. I let it run overnight and it just hung there in the same spot.

If you can help, it would be nice to know what FILES or REGISTRY

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entries I need to manually have in order to install this. I do not want to reload the OS but it is appearing to be closer to that solution day by day.

Thanks in advance

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