

## Re: Floppy A drive accessing too much

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Did I say to format the diskette?

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Ted Zieglar

"General Mailbox" <nospam@home.net> wrote in message

news:uf9u7Hu4EHA.3648@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl...

> Thanks Ted.

> Sounds good, but it didn't do the trick. I have done as advised and no

> change. I inserted a disk and did a full format of a disk, closed the

> window and rebooted. No change. I hope it isn't looking for one

particular

> volume number of the disk because I've likely reformatted it by now.

> Is there another way?

> Kevin

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> "Ted Zieglar" <teddyz@notmail.com> wrote in message

> news:OLG4dnt4EHA.3908@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

> > At some point, you removed a diskette from the drive before the computer

> was

> > finished with it. Now your computer is looking for closure. It wants to

> put

> > this event behind it, so it can get on with life.

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> > Put a diskette in the floppy drive. Go to My Computer and double-click

on

> > the 3 1/2 Floppy icon. Close the window when it opens. When the light

next

> > to

> > your floppy drive has gone out, remove the diskette. Done.

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> > Ted Zieglar

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> > "General Mailbox" <nospam@home.net> wrote in message

> > news:%237H63it4EHA.1260@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

> > > Greetings.

> > > My internal floppy A drive is checking for information at just about

> every

> > > access I request to my C drive. I noticed the additional checks, but

> > since

> > > they were short in time, I didn't do anything about it. But now that

I

> > wish

> > > to do a full virus scan using installed software, the floppy drive is

> > > constantly banging around during the successful scan of the C drive.

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I  
> > made  
> > > sure to select only C drive to be scanned. Within the past month,  
I've  
> > > added a few software installations which may be the problem, but I  
have  
> no  
> > > restore points beyond 4 days ago. Is there something I can do to  
change  
> > > (reset) the drive to act as it should without having to work backwards  
> by  
> > > uninstalling programs?  
> > > Thank you so kindly.  
> > > Kevin  
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