

Explorer Slow With Files

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Hi,

I'm looking for help with a frustrating problem that has happened on my PC. Essentially the symptoms are this:

1. Opening files through Windows Explorer results in a 20 to 30 second pause before the files open. This happens on local and network drives.
2. Executable files or applications open immediately. Also files open immediately from inside the application e.g. from Excel open dialog box.
3. In explorer, right-clicking on files results in a 20-30 second delay in bringing up the menu, while with executables the menu comes up immediately.

The system is XP SP2. What I have tried so far is:

- Reapplied the Service Pack
- System restore to before the problem manifested itself
- Disconnected and reconnected mapped drives.

Any suggestions would be gratefully received before I go ahead and reinstall.

Thanks

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