

Re: Data Execution Prevention (DEP) with Windows Explorer

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Do you have one of the newer AMD processors that have DEP built into the chip? If so, see if it can be turned off in the bios.

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Regards,

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Quote from: George Ankner

"If you knew as much as you think you know,
You would realize that you don't know what you thought you knew!"

"Kenhoyer" <Kenhoyer@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:A51861C8-E422-4709-B4D3-B37A246A4CAE@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

> For the past few few weeks, I have been hounded by DEP (Data Execution
> Prevention).

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> I have a Sony VAIO Computer not even a year old. Until recently, I had no
> problems. However, now, whenever I run Windows Explorer, it is shutdown by
> the standard DEP error message. After a few weeks of this, I did a clean
> install. Without even installed a single other program installed, the

> error

> messages returned.

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> I went into the System panel in Control Panel and opted out of protection
> for Windows Explorer... NO CHANGE!!! It runs 30 seconds to a few minutes

> and

> still shuts down.

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> Determined, I browsed the Microsoft site and found out the ins and outs of
> DEP. Today, I went so far as to edit the boot.ini file to turn DEP
> completely

> off (/NoExecute=AlwaysOff)... STILL NO CHANGE!!!

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> What is it? / What can I do?

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- > With DEP turned completely off (no options even available in System
- > Control
- > Panel), I still can not use Windows Explorer. I am guessing it is some
- > conflict with a fairly recent XP2 update, but I'm not sure.

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