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Parker wrote:

Is there somewhere that I can turn off the automatic replacement. Mine did not ask me it just replaced it. Im have sp 2 installed.

"JasonSeaman" <gentle@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:1156271475.176221.107260@xx>

Parker wrote:

I do have 1 question about replacing these files Jason. Did you overwrite the files or delete them and copy the new one? If I delete the file it replicates itself within a few seconds.

"JasonSeaman" <gentle@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:1155589926.600790.208550@xx>

Parker wrote:

I check it out and see if there is anything on there site that can correct this problem. I also was checking into the udfs.sys file that may have caused this problem. Im not completely sure if this HotFix from microsoft

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is the cure. I'll check back
after I get the model number
and let you
konw
the outcome.

Thank You

"Cari (MS-MVP)"
<Newsgroups1@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in message
news:ecWMk8JvGHA.1772@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Check at the
Samsung
website....
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Cari
(MS-MVP)
Windows
Client -
Printing &
Imaging
www.coribright.com/Windows

"Parker"
<nospam@xxxxxxxxxx>
wrote in
message
news:eK%23z7uIvGHA.976@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Hi
Cari,
I
have
a
Samsung
DVDrom
that
according
to
the
NeroTool
can
read
dvdram
discs.
The
other
is

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an
Nec
cd/dvd
writer
which
I
have
2.
One
in
this
machine
and
1
in
another
which
does
read
the
dvdram
discs
even
tho
the
Nerotool
says
its
not
supposed
to.
Thanks
for
the
response
"Cari
(MS-MVP)"
<Newsgroups1@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
news:Of5why9uGHA.4472@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

You
need
a
DVD
drive
that
specifically
reads

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RAM
disks.
What
DVD
optical
drives
do
you
have
in
your
PC?
--
Cari
(MS-MVP)
Windows
Client
-
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&
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www.coribright.com/Windows

"Parker"
<nospam@xxxxxxxxxx>
wrote
in
message
news:ulsT8DyuGHA.1216@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Hello
All,
I
have
a
Hitachi
DVD
Camcorder
that
formats
the
dvdram
discs
to
create
vro
files.
I
have
1

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dvdrom
drive
and
1
dvd
writer.
This
disc
is
not
able
to
be
read
in
either
drive.
Nero
toolkit
says
that
the
dvdrom
is
able
to
do
so.
Windows
explorer
does
recognize
that
a
disc
is
in
but
wont
show
any
files.
I'd
like
to
copy
them
onto
the
HDD
and

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then
use
VideoRedo
and
my
authoring
software
to
create
a
DVD
but
I
have
no
way
to
copy
this
file
from
the
dvd
ram
disc.
I
have
XP
pro
and
sp2
with
all
updates
asus
mobo
2.6
ghz
processor
1gig
ram.
Both
of
these
drives
will
play
back
any
DVD.
Any

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ideas
where
to
look
for
this
problem?

Thanks

I recently bought a Toshiba RD-XS24 DVD-Recorder. It has a huge HDD but I'm mainly interested in transferring the recorded videos to my computer, so I started recording on DVD-RW and DVD-RAM discs in VR mode, but my system (Windows XP SP1) wouldn't "see" anything at all. Microsoft has a HotFix (KB818733), but there is no direct download, so I looked for the files udfs.sys and cdfs.sys on the Internet and finally found them on eDonkey (version 5.1.2600.2180 for both of them). I replaced the original udfs.sys and cdfs.sys (C:\WINDOWS\system32\drivers & C:\WINDOWS\ServicePackFiles\i386) with the ones I downloaded and the problem was immediately solved. Now, my system sees the VRO (mpeg-2) video files and I can copy them easily. When replacing the .sys files Windows will warn you against doing so, but ignore the warning (you should keep the originals renamed just in case something goes wrong). One last thing: DVD-RW discs must be finalized before been extracted from the DVD-Recorder (finalization can be cancelled afterwards if you want to

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continue recording on the same
DVD-RW or you can format it –
DVD-RAM discs are O.K.)

Jason Seaman

I followed the procedure I'm about to explain for one file at a time (i.e. I made four separate replacements), let's take udfs.sys as an example: I went into the directory C:\WINDOWS\system32\drivers and renamed udfs.sys as udfs.sys.bak. A couple of seconds later Windows warned me that important files of the system had been replaced, asking permission to restore the original files. I said no, so udfs.sys.bak remained. Then I copied the new udfs.sys into the directory and a couple of seconds later Windows issued the same warning and I said no again, so the new udfs.sys remained. Exactly the same went for cdfs.sys, so now in the directory C:\WINDOWS\system32\drivers I have the new and the old files. There were no warnings when I renamed and replaced the files in the directory C:\WINDOWS\ServicePackFiles\i386 (which is a backup-directory). My system could see the VRO files soon afterwards, without any need to reboot.

I hope it will be as easy for you to do it as it was for me. However, if your problem persists, then first replace the backup files so that Windows will not have alternatives!

Regards
Jason

After I posted the message I thought that you might have SP2 installed and unfortunately that's how it is (just to avoid such problems I've never installed SP2 and I have not regretted it). However, there may be a way out of this by booting the system from a CD and replacing the files while you are under the CD's O.S. and that's what I did once when I had similar problems. Make a bootable CD by following the instruction contained here: <http://www.nu2.nu/pebuilder/> (Bart's Preinstalled Environment). If you still can't replace the files, then make the bootable CD from a computer with SP2 not installed, which will bring the system to the status of mine (only SP1). You can use a CD-RW to avoid wasting a CD-R.

Jason

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