

Re: Link failures in IE 6, including mail link problem

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Thanks, Frank.

This got me out of the woods.

Paul

>-----Original Message-----

>"Paul Imse" <*tpi-bogus@bogus-georgetown.edu*> wrote in message

>*news:59e401c42d53\$09801160\$a301280a@phx.gbl*

>> *Over the past several weeks I have been having problems*

>> *with click through links not working.*

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>> *I am running Windows 2000 Professional, and I have all the*

>> *critical updates installed.*

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>> *As near as I can figure it out, it seems that links that*

>> *involve java script just will not work.*

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>> *Intermitently, I am also having problems with straight*

>> *link throughs not working. (Don't you love gremlins.)*

In

>> *those cases, I am able to right click to copy the link and*

>> *place it in the address bar to get to the site. This*

>> *will*

>> *sometimes even exhibit itself with different links on*

>> *the*

>> *same page -- it will work with some and not with others.*

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>> *I have reset my advance properties for the Explorer to*

>> *default to see if that was the problem. No joy.*

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>> *I was considering uninstalling IE6, but the page for the*

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>> *download says that you cannot do a clean install of IE6 in W2000.*

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>> *I am having a related problem with my Outlook Express. When I hit a click through link in IE6 to email someone, it tries to hook up to Outlook, which is not configured for email, so it gives me an error message. I have checked with the tools in IE6, and I am really puzzled here. When I go to Tools and click on the Programs tab, MS Office Outlook is the only email program that is available. Outlook Express is not an option. (Outlook Express is set up as my default email server.)*

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>For OE:

>>From <http://www.fjsmjs.com/OE/defaultl.htm>

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>Go to Start / Run and type this command, with the double quotes and spaces:

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>"C:\Program Files\Outlook Express\msimn.exe" /reg

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>and then make sure that OE is selected as the default mail program in both IE and OE.

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>If that isn't enough, see this article:

>"Send To" and E-mail Links Do Not Work Using Outlook Express as Default:

><http://support.microsoft.com/?kbid=306098>

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>You might also want to try this:

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>Restores OE to the E-mail clients list in Internet Options

>http://www.dougknox.com/xp/scripts_desc/oe_client.htm

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>For the links problem:

>1. You might want to refresh your scripting engine:

><http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/nhp/default.asp?contentid=28001169>

>or

><http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/downloads/list/webdev.asp>

>Windows Script 5.6 for Windows 2000 and XP

><http://www.microsoft.com/downloads/details.aspx?FamilyID=c717d943-7e4b-4622-86eb-95a22b832caa&DisplayLang=en>

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>Sometimes there's a corrupt file in the cache and one must go to Tools |

>Internet Options and click Delete Files.

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- >2a. Start>Run>Regsvr32 vbscript.dll
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- >2b. Start>Run>Regsvr32 jscript.dll
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- >(WinXP users who have problems with 2a and 2b, see
- >http://www.mvps.org/inetexplorer/answers_9.htm)
- >
- >3. Re-register all DLLs listed in
- ><http://support.microsoft.com/?kbid=281679>
- >
- >4. See also
- >Error Message When You Browse the Web: An Error Has
- Occurred in the Script
- >on This Page
- ><http://support.microsoft.com/?kbid=306831>
- >Scripting Errors When You View Web Pages in Internet
- Explorer after
- >Installing Office 2003
- ><http://support.microsoft.com/?kbid=822521>
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- >5a. IE Tools>Internet Options>Advanced>Browsing>Enable
- third-party browser
- >extensions (uncheck & reboot).
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- >5b. Find the hijacker that caused 5a to be checked (or if
- none were checked,
- >check for hijackware anyway):
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- >Dealing with Hijackware
- ><http://mvps.org/winhelp2002/unwanted.htm>
- ><http://aumha.org/a/parasite.htm>
- ><http://www.mvps.org/inetexplorer/Darnit.htm>
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- >Frank Saunders, MS-MVP, IE/OE
- >Please respond in Newsgroup. Do not send email
- ><http://www.fjsmjs.com>
- >Protect your PC
- ><http://www.microsoft.com/security/protect/>
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