

Re: IE 6 Repair Confusion>>

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<http://www.tech-archive.net/Archive/Windows/microsoft.public.windows.inetexplorer.ie6.browser/2004-07/7810.htm>

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And have you visited Windows Update since overinstalling IE6...?

SCRRUN.DLL is part of Windows Scripting. (Re)installing 5.6 Scripting Engine should fix it:

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

Kewl, now why do you want to run IE6 Repair option, especially now? Overinstalling, as you have done, does everything Repair does and more. CrystalBall© tells me you're suffering from hijackware and a Repair, Reinstall or Overinstall if IE will not help on bit:

Help with Hijackware

<http://aumha.org/a/parasite.htm>

<http://aumha.org/a/quickfix.htm>

<http://mvps.org/winhelp2002/unwanted.htm>

<http://inetexplorer.mvps.org/Darnit.htm>

CoolWebSearch Chronicles

<http://www.spywareinfo.com/~merijn/cwschronicles.html>

Run these tools in the following order with nothing else running in background:

1. CWShredder (fix all found)
2. Ad-Aware (fix all found)
3. Spybot (RTFM but generally fix everything in red)

Important: You **must** seek updates for Ad-Aware, Spybot, etc., before each and every use, even "right out of the box". But even they can't catch everything, 24/7. When all else fails, HijackThis

(<http://www.spywareinfo.com/~merijn/files/HijackThis.exe>) is the preferred tool to use. It will help you to both identify and remove any hijackware/spyware. ***Post your files to <http://forums.spywareinfo.com/> or <http://forum.aumha.org/viewforum.php?f=30> for expert analysis, not here.***

[Alternate download pages for many of the above tools may be found at <http://aumha.org/a/parasite.htm>.]

Also:

1. Download and run Stinger (<http://vil.nai.com/vil/stinger/>); then...
2. Update your virus definitions, enable Show Hidden Files (<http://service1.symantec.com/SUPPORT/tsgeninfo.nsf/docid/2002092715262339>) and then run a full system scan in Safe Mode (<http://service1.symantec.com/SUPPORT/tsgeninfo.nsf/docid/2001052409420406>) with nothing else running in background. Note the files identified and removed then find the corresponding page for the file at your AV maker's online support pages (e.g., <http://securityresponse.symantec.com/avcenter/venc/data/adware.winfavorites.html>) and follow all Removal steps.

WinXP Only (WinME similar): If this scan finds anything, create a new Restore Point then Disk Cleanup > More options > Delete all but the most recent Restore Point.

3. Check in at Windows Update.

So How Did I Get Infected Anyway?
<http://boards.cexx.org/viewtopic.php?t=957>

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HTH - Please Reply to This Thread
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MS MVP-Windows (IE/OE), AH-VSOP
AumHa Forums
<http://forum.aumha.org>
What You Should Know About Spyware
<http://www.microsoft.com/mscorp/twc/privacy/spyware.msp>

Michael wrote:

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> Update:
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> I found the IE6set-up file by using the Find features, ran it as per your
> instructions, and installed all updates as per your instructions. I still
> cannot successfully run the "Repair Internet Explorer" program.
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> I get the same exact error message as before.
>
> "Internet Explorer 6 could not be repaired. Please run Set-up again to
> reinstall all components."
>
> and then:
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> "Internet Explorer 6 cannot be repaired due to following errors. Version
> 4.0.0.2926 of file SCRRUN.DLL exists, but the version needs to be greater
> than 5.1.0.5010."
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>> And this is unrelated to your WinUp loop problem?
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>> In Win98, you can overinstall IE6:
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>> First, close *everything* via CTRL+ALT+DEL except Windows Explorer
>> (includes your AV program, Scheduled Tasks, Screensaver, and going
>> offline). Start>Run>IE6Setup.exe. Select Minimal - Custom; Select all
>> the parts you use, including OE (but none you didn't originally
>> download) and overinstall. Should take about 2 minutes. Reboot the
>> computer.
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>> Now, with AV and all other running processes still closed, check in at
>> Windows Update for additional updates and patches you will need.
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>> Michael wrote:
>>> I am trying to run the IE6 repair option. I am using Windows Second
>>> Edition. I get a error message telling me: "Internet Explorer 6 could
>>> not be repaired. Please run Set-up again to reinstall all components."
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>>> and then:
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>>> "Internet Explorer 6 cannot be repaired due to following errors.
>>> Version 4.0.0.2926 of file SCRRUN.DLL exists, but the version needs to
>>> be greater than 5.1.0.5010."
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>>> A search of the Knowledge base seems to suggest the Repair cannot be
>>> used in Windows 98 SE.
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>>> If not, why do I still have access to the repair option? Can someone
>>> straighten this confusion out and suggest a way to fix this problem if
>>> it is indeed fixable?
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