

Re: Best popup blocker?

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Here's a couple of links to check..

<http://www.spybot.info/en/index.html>

<http://www.javacoolsoftware.com/spywareblaster.html>

"JMSuser" <JMSuser@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
news:700E535E-A2E0-4C7D-9201-F734C86A0AC1@microsoft.com...

> *Thanks for the quick reply... I unchecked the 2 'Enable Install On
> Demand'*

> *options quite some time ago hoping that it would have a positive
> effect.*

> *Seems that this tvn.exe from TV Media is immune to those settings.*

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> *Do Spybot and/or Spyware Blaster prevent the installation of the
> malicious*

> *code, or do they allow the install but then prevent the popups? I'm
> also*

> *experiencing some indiscriminate Explorer abends when navigating
> sites when*

> *the tvn.exe is running. I'm worried that just stopping the popups
> will not*

> *prevent the Explorer abends.*

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> *Thanks again...*

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> *"Ricky" wrote:*

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>> *Spybot has an immunize feature that blocks a lot of things. So does*

>> *Spyware blaster. You can also go to internet options..advanced tab*

>> *and*

>> *uncheck the 2 enable install on demand check boxes (if you have*

>> *2...sometimes only one).*

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>> *"JMSuser" <JMSuser@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message*

>> *news:871D7F31-01E1-48BB-8147-DD4E2940A8DF@microsoft.com...*

>> > *I'd like to expand on LittleMrJ's question a bit and sift through*

>> > *the posted*

>> > *reccomendations. My biggest annoyance are the adware programs*

>> > *that*
>> > *silently*
>> > *install themselves and run at startup. I know how to extract*
>> > *these*
>> > *buggers*
>> > *from the registry while in safe mode, but I'm sick and tired of*
>> > *doing that*
>> > *over and over and over. Is there anything out there that detects*
>> > *and*
>> > *prevents their installation? Seems that many of the proposed*
>> > *solutions will*
>> > *remove them after they've installed themselves, but it just keeps*
>> > *happening*
>> > *the next time you visit the offending site.*
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>> > *Thanks in advance for any additional info...*
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>> > *"LittleMrJ" wrote:*
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>> >> *Last time I logged-in to this newsgroup site, I was*
>> >> *looking for spyware. I was told by dozens that Spybot was*
>> >> *about the best there was (as well as free). I loved it.*
>> >> *Now I'm looking for the popup blocker that everyone uses*
>> >> *(you know, the one that stands above the others). I did a*
>> >> *search for "best" blockers, but got hundreds of different*
>> >> *articles and lists from YEARS ago. I've downloaded many*
>> >> *demos, only to find that they all work a little different,*
>> >> *and many dont work too well. So, out of the thousands...*
>> >> *which blocker is the most popular or most effective and*
>> >> *reliable (best)?*
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