

Can't boot after critical update 311493

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Yes, sorry I took so long to respond. Couldn't get back until now. Now that I have read the other messages concerning this I believe that my computer was taking so long to boot that I thought it had a serious problem since the last update I installed caused me to have to re-download my windows media player for XP – really ticked me off for putting me into that situation – so, I turned off the computer believing it was "locked up". I guess it was taking that long to boot and I shouldn't have turned it off. After reading further about all the problems I was so happy that I did a system restore. Things are working great again. I don't know if I'll ever turn my windows update program back on or not. My time is worth a whole lot more than to sit here for hours and days trying to figure out what to do to make my computer work. It seems I'm worried more about the security updates messing me up than hackers. Thank you for responding to my note – I couldn't get help anywhere else. Deb H

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

>Do you mean security update 811493? If so, here's what I

>just posted. I just installed it, too. BTW, it can be

>uninstalled. I haven't done that, yet. I just ran

>across your post after I made mine.

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>Begin post

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>Hi,

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>I've got a month old Dell WinXPHome, SP1 machine. It

>runs at 2.4ghz, with 512mb ram. The 60gb hard drive only

>has 6gb of data. It used to load programs very fast.

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>*This morning, I installed Security Update:*

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