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Thread: [reinstall Windows installer](#)

nicodemo - January 20, 2017, 11:39 am

Hello I need to give it a try. I have to reinstall the Windows installer on Windows 10 to see if I solve the problem: I can't start almost applications including firefox, word, Excel, and if I download any installation files from the internet, I can not install the that program

ka\$h - January 20, 2017, 11:52 am

What error do you get when you attempt to open programs and install programs?

nicodemo - January 20, 2017, 12:07 pm

I do not have the computer in my hands. Anyway I think it was a problem in the Microsoft Visual C++ Redistributable 20xx

ka\$h - January 20, 2017, 12:23 pm

(Jan 20, 2017 01:07 PM)nicodemo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I do not have the computer in my hands. Anyway I think it was a problem in the Microsoft Visual C++ Redistributable 20xx

When you have access give me the specific error and it shouldn't be too hard to fix if it's just a pre-requisite.

nicodemo - January 20, 2017, 11:16 pm

(Jan 20, 2017 01:23 PM)ka\$h Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) When you have access give me the specific error and it shouldn't be too hard to fix if it's just a pre-requisite.

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nicodemo - January 22, 2017, 6:17 am

Unable to launch the specified application. the application of side-by-side configuration is incorrect. consult the application event log or use the command line tool sxtrace.exe for more information.

GokuBlade - January 22, 2017, 9:17 am

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nicodemo - January 22, 2017, 10:02 am

(Jan 22, 2017 10:17 AM)GokuBlade Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) [www . microsoft . com/en-us/software-download/windows10](http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/software-download/windows10)

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Thanks but I would have preferred a solution a little less extreme

In?sane? - January 23, 2017, 1:53 am

(Jan 21, 2017 12:16 AM)nicodemo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is the original message:

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Start off by installing: <http://www.microsoft.com/en-in/download/details.aspx?id=40784>

If that for some reason wouldn't fix the issue try this:Press Windows key + X, select Command

prompt (Admin) to bring up elevated Command prompt.

In Command prompt type the following and press enter.

Code sfc/scannow

Restart the computer.

If that doesn't find anything corrupt you should try this:

Open command prompt by pressing Windows key + X and selecting "Command prompt admin".

In command prompt, type the following commands and press Enter after each command:

Code DISM.exe /Online /Cleanup-image /Scanhealth

DISM.exe /Online /Cleanup-image /Restorehealth

Restart the PC and check if everything works.

nicodemo - January 23, 2017, 2:02 am

@Insane: this is the best answer I've ever had. thanks bro

In?sane? - January 23, 2017, 2:06 am

(Jan 23, 2017 03:02 AM)nicodemo Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) @Insane: this is the best answer I've ever had. thanks bro

No worries buddy, good luck with everything.