
Subject: Auto Play..
Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sun, 21 Oct 2007 20:10:34 GMT
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How would I go about turning on Autoplay for my disk drive? VMWare disabled it so it doesn't cock up anything, And I clicked okay.

But the thing is.. Red Alert 2 keeps crashing my system because of it (When the disk is in the drive) And I can't seem to turn it on. :\

I have right clicked my E: drive and fiddled about with some options, But there isn't anything available for executable files, So I was wondering if there are any advanced options I could use?

Subject: Re: Auto Play..
Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Sun, 21 Oct 2007 20:49:13 GMT
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Someone delete this post. I have nothing to help. Sorry.

Subject: Re: Auto Play..
Posted by [danpaul88](#) on Sun, 21 Oct 2007 22:49:05 GMT
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Ok, first thing I would do is check the autoplay service is running. Go to start->run and type in 'services.msc' and hit enter. Now locate the 'Shell Hardware Detection' and check it is set to Automatic Startup and is currently Started.

Also check the following registry key is set to 1;

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HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\System\CurrentControlSet\Services\CDRom  
AutoRun
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Subject: Re: Auto Play..
Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sun, 21 Oct 2007 23:22:15 GMT
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danpaul88 wrote on Sun, 21 October 2007 17:49Ok, first thing I would do is check the autoplay service is running. Go to start->run and type in 'services.msc' and hit enter. Now locate the 'Shell Hardware Detection' and check it is set to Automatic Startup and is currently Started.

Already set to Automatic.

danpaul88 wrote on Sun, 21 October 2007 17:49
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Done, Still crashing my pc, Thanks for trying though.

Subject: Re: Auto Play..
Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2007 11:29:32 GMT
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You fixed one my problem by showing that registry location.
I wanted to disable auto-run and was about to post here lol!
Exported the two registry settings as files that i can access to turn it on and off.

Subject: Re: Auto Play..
Posted by [Ryu](#) on Fri, 26 Oct 2007 18:50:22 GMT
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I found out the problem.. I guess RA2 doesn't like to work the first time around. >.<

But woo.. RA2 mods kick ass!
