
Subject: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [mr£Ä\\$Ä-z](#) on Fri, 30 Jan 2009 21:43:25 GMT
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Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER ***
Posted by [JPNOD](#) on Fri, 30 Jan 2009 21:57:32 GMT
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GO UBUNTU!

nah anyone with the brains and brawns who knows how to 'handle a computer' can let this go past them.

For all others, I seriously, believe Linux Ubuntu is the way to go.

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [Lone0001](#) on Sat, 31 Jan 2009 02:40:44 GMT
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Old News...

There's a good bit of info about it in this netcast: <http://twit.tv/ttg529>

And no that is not when I found out, found out about it a few weeks ago, so yea old news...

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [mr£Ä\\$Ä-z](#) on Sat, 31 Jan 2009 02:42:59 GMT
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Did they found the creators now? is it still spreading around?

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 03:41:19 GMT
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I cackle when yet another strain of malware for windows is released. Not only am I immune running Puppy Linux, I've disabled autorun for all devices in windows.

Only last week I had to dis-infect a neighbours USB stick - took 5 minutes to clean and another 20 to write up a neat logfile and explanation of what I've done for him.

Blaster worm hidden quoteBilly Gates, why do you make this possible? Stop making money, and

fix your software!

The windows system is so insecure I could write a batch-file to infect the school-computers. Something as simple as the words shutdown -l in a batch file located in someone's startup folder would play havoc, let alone copying itself to C:/documents and settings/*/Startup every time it is run.

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Posted by [_SSnipe_](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 03:44:00 GMT
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These new ones might spread to millions of pc but Im pretty sure those pc are like my moms dont know wtf there doing and has basic windows components installed

Now my pc is secured up the ass far as I know but if my moms gets infected can it go in my network to infect mine?

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 03:45:22 GMT
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SSnipe wrote on Sun, 01 February 2009 14:44 These new ones might spread to millions of pc but Im pretty sure those pc are like my moms

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<http://www.personalfirewall.comodo.com/> or <http://www.puppylinux.org/>

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!
Posted by [_SSnipe_](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 03:49:04 GMT
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My pc and moms are same and cant handle all these software that takes of cpu and mostly these ones with a fancy UI

I use symantec software but not this norton crap that integrates itself into everything on your pc running up the cpu and also with a fancy UI that slows it down

BUT its symantec corporate edition

I know what your thinking but a friend whos a pc tech had it and iv used it for years and it works

WONDERS protects everything pretty much good settings and does not take up memory or cpu and gets job done

only thing that gets by are a few spyware which 1 of my other 12 software gets rid of

mostly adware and spybot and spy blaster

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Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 04:36:41 GMT

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Norton = Slow and incompatible with some applications

Symantex = Detects nearly everything but fails to remove malware

I also hate the fact comodo has a sleek interface rather than just sticking with the windows gui.

Trust me, it doesn't slow your computer down as much as people may say (<2% (normal 1%) of my pentium 4 @ 2.8 ghz clock)

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!

Posted by [jonwil](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 04:41:09 GMT

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Both Norton/Symantec and McAfee are garbage IMO.

I like (and use) the free version of AVG.

Subject: Re: *** CONFICKER *** Microsoft WARNS US!

Posted by [_SSnipe_](#) on Sun, 01 Feb 2009 04:50:02 GMT

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jonwil wrote on Sat, 31 January 2009 20:41 Both Norton/Symantec and McAfee are garbage IMO. I like (and use) the free version of AVG.

AVG is good yes but symantec has never done me wrong and my pc always ran fine...I wish I can get both to run at same time but they wont let me
