

How to kill W32.Kavo virus

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Virus Win32: Kavos **Virus Kavo makes Yahoo! Messenger itself 'ends'** , TipsMake.com has learned and provided a way to help readers if infected with this virus can "catch" and delete it manually or use anti-virus software support.

How to kill Kavo virus with ClamWin Free Antivirus software

Download ClamWin Free Antivirus and install it on your computer, go to the Select Components screen, if you don't want to integrate the software into Outlook and Widows Explorer, you can uncheck it, then click Next.

After installing, click on the software icon on the desktop to open, you will be prompted to download the latest virus data when entering the main interface of the software.

You press Shift and select all available drives and press Scan.

The software will conduct computer scans, detect and remove Kado viruses, as well as other malware on the computer.

How to delete the Kavo virus manually

1. Run Task Manager

Right-click on the Taskbar at the bottom right of the screen, select Task Manager, and you will see the Task Manager window appear

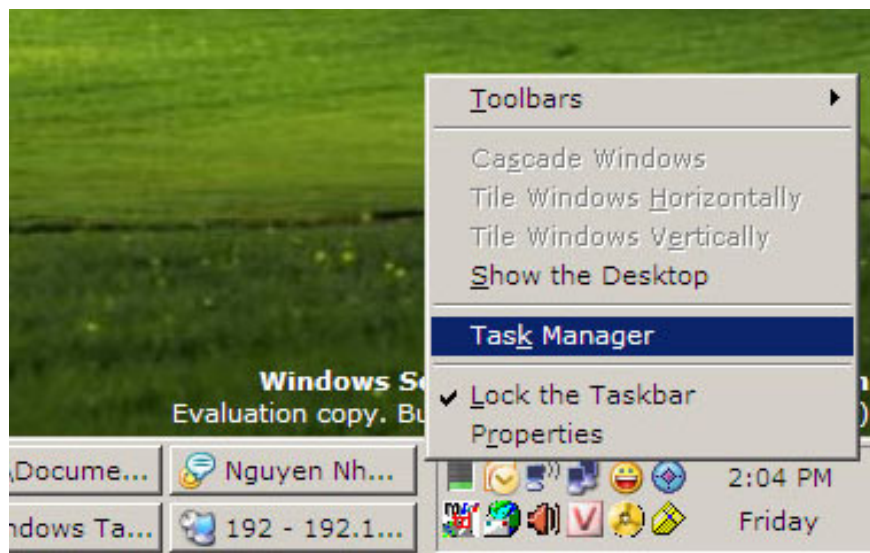


Figure 1: Running Task Manager

Turn off **WScript.exe** & **Explorer.exe** if these two programs are running

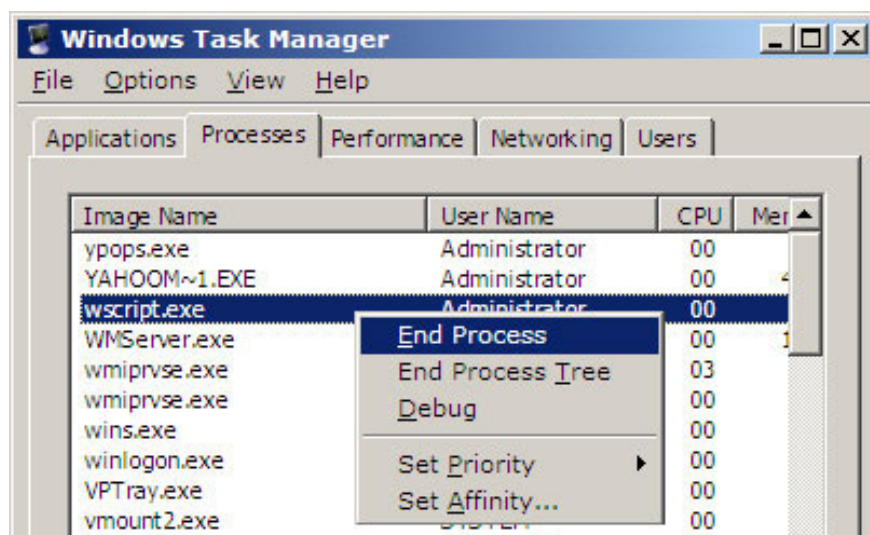


Figure 2: Close wscript.exe

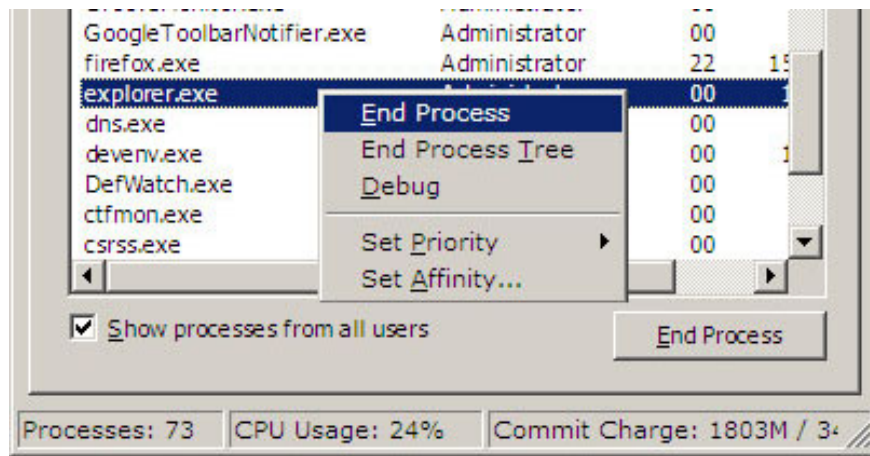


Figure 3: Close explorer.exe

2. Remove the Autorun.inf files

The feature of this Kavo is to generate Autorun files located in the root directory of hard drives. These files make the virus active when the victim double clicks the hard drive. To avoid re-activating the virus, one of the first things you have to do is remove the Autorun files in the root directory of the drives (on my machine are C, D, E drives).

In the Task Manager window, select **File > New Task (Run .)**

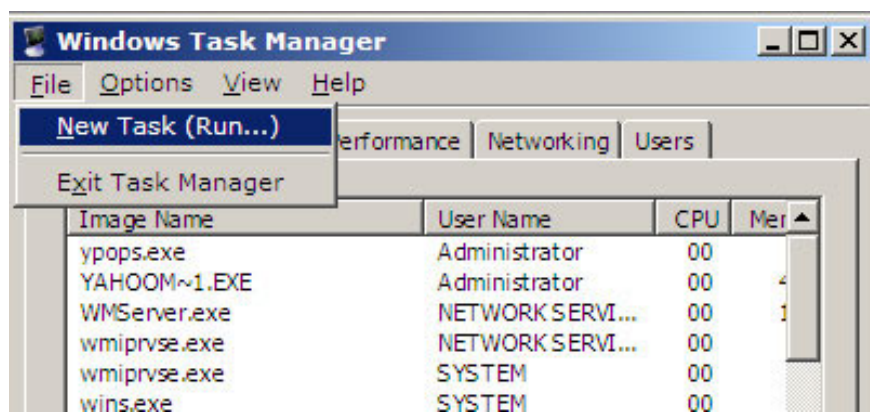


Figure 4: Opening the run dialog to execute a program

The screen will display the **Run** command, type **cmd** to open the console screen, execute DOS commands

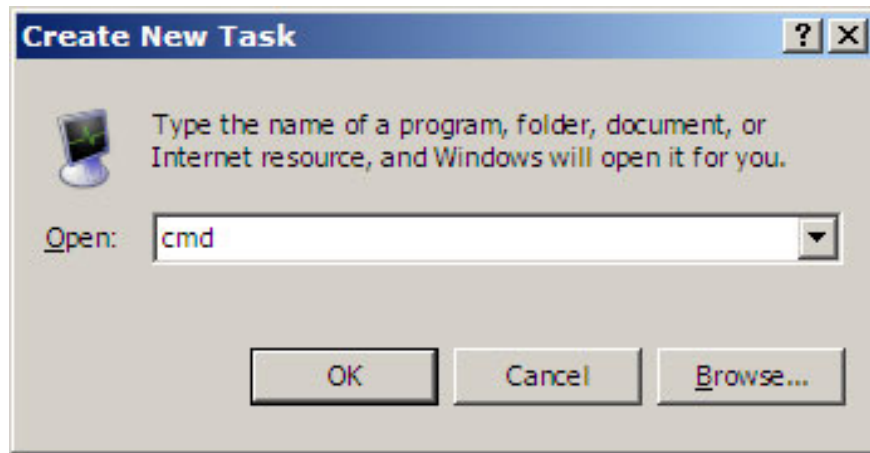


Figure 5: Running CMD command

In the console, in turn, execute the following commands:

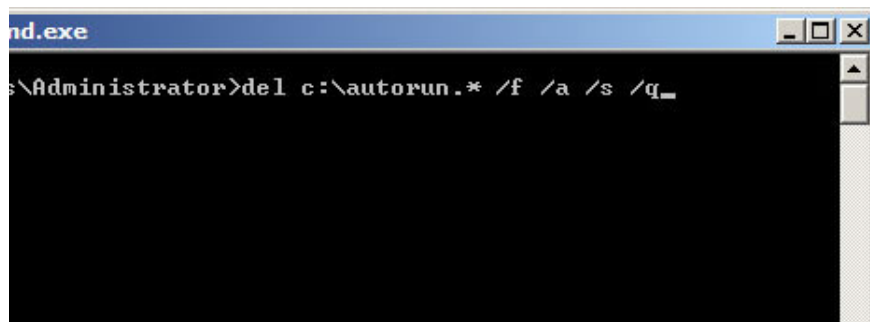


Figure 6: Consonle screen to execute the command line

```
DEL c: autorun.* /F /a /s /q  
DEL d: autorun.* /F /a /s /q  
DEL e: autorun.* /F /a /s /q
```

3. Remove the virus

In the console window, type the following commands:

```
CD c: windowssystem32  
DIR /a avp *.*
```

You will see the files **avpo.exe** or **avpo0.dll**

Keep typing

```
ATTRIB -r -s -h avpo.exe  
DEL avpo.exe
```

or

```
ATTRIB -r -s -h avpo0.dll  
DEL avp0.dll
```

Keep typing

```
DIR / a kav0 *.* *
```

If appears 1 or the files **kavo.exe** and **kavo0.dll** or **kavo1.dll**

Perform deletion commands

```
ATTRIB -r -s -h kav0.exe  
DEL kav0.exe
```

```
ATTRIB -r -s -h kav0.dll  
DEL kav0.dll
```

```
ATTRIB -r -s -h kav1.dll  
DEL kav1.dll
```

Continue typing in the console

```
CD  
ATTRIB -r -s -h ntdelect.com  
DEL ntdelect.com
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4. Edit Regedit

In the Task Manager window, select **File > New Task (Run .)** (Figure 4)

Display the **Run** box, type **regedit**

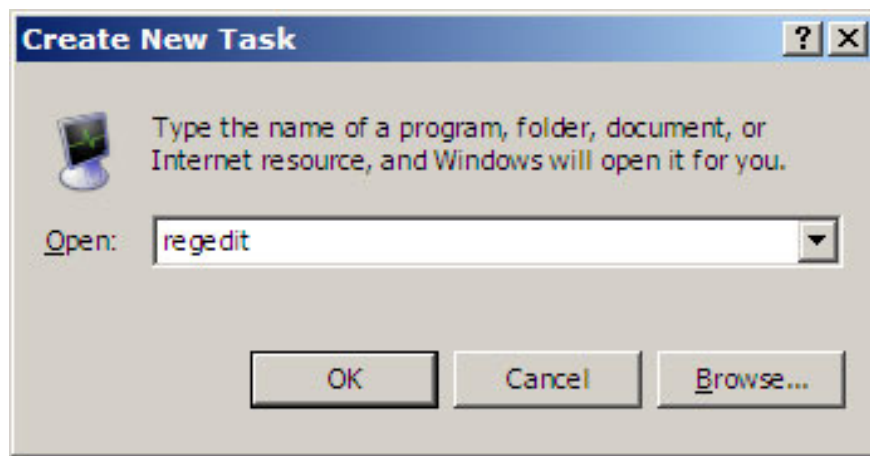


Figure 7: Executing the program Regedit

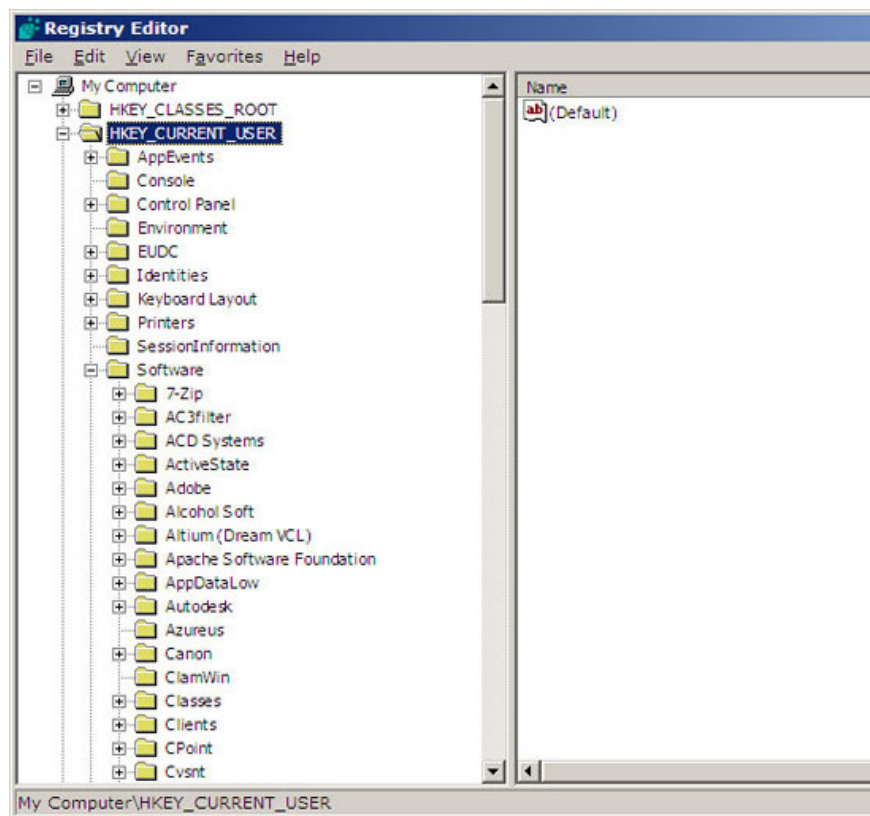


Figure 8: Window regedit

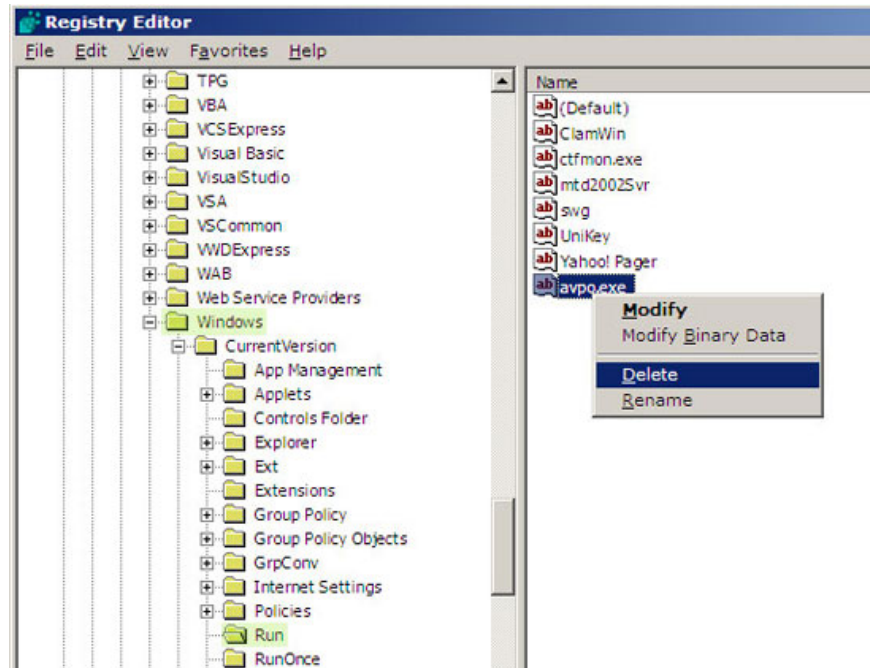


Figure 9: Delete avpo.exe

Go to **HKEY_CURRENT_USER> SOFTWARE> Microsoft> Windows> CurrentVersion> Run**

In the left pane of Regedit window, if there is a stream of **avpo.exe** , right-click and delete the text.

At the end of the process, restart the computer.

Go back to windows, if you don't see any hidden files (due to viruses) you can download the following Windows Registry file and run it <https://quantrimang.com/data/fixHiddenFiles.reg>

Go to Statup by going to **Run > type msconfig**

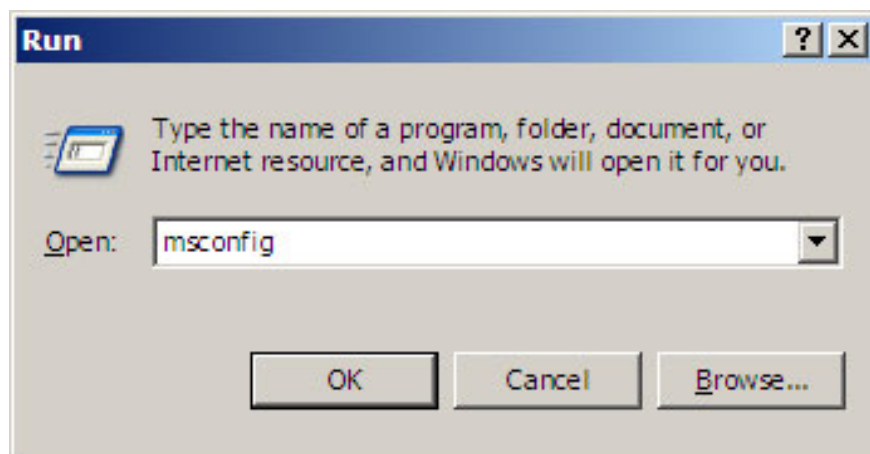


Figure 10: Run MsConfig

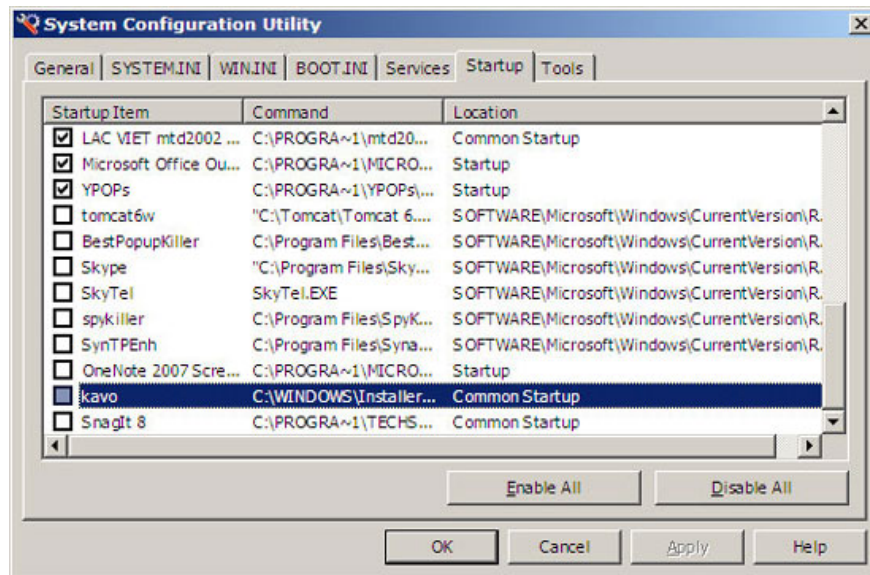


Figure 11: Uncheck Kavo, or Avpo

Restart your computer again.

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