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For those of you who regularly play games on the computer, you have certainly encountered extremely uncomfortable lag and lag situations. This is why today **TipsMake** brings some **ways to reduce Windows 10 computer lag for gaming** for your reference. Apply now so that lag no longer occurs, play games with peace of mind and win gamers.



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[Secret] Share how to reduce Windows 10 computer lag to play great games

There are many ways to optimize Windows 10 for weak devices, because whether gaming is smooth or not depends on many factors. But first, you need to check the configuration requirements of the game you are playing. Make sure your computer meets the requirements before continuing to monitor other measures.

1/ Reduce CPU temperature and eliminate internet-related problems

One of the main reasons why the game stutters or lags when playing is the device heating up. Because at this time, the device will reduce performance, reduce power consumption and heat output. From there, the processing speed of running applications is also slower, causing stuttering and lag. You can install 3rd party software to check if the device is overheating or not. At the same time, you should apply thermal paste, buy a cooling fan, and place the device in a well-ventilated place to limit this situation.

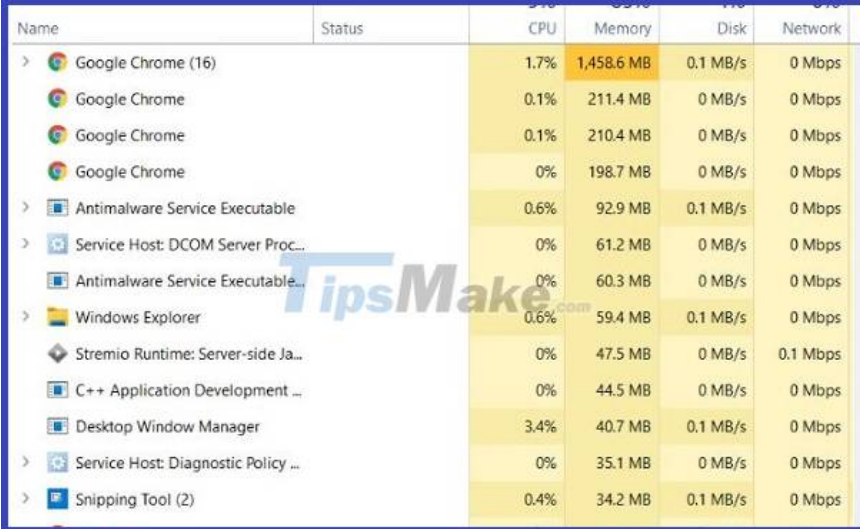
Besides, most PC games today require a network connection to run. So, you should check if the network is strong or not? Checking the wifi speed to see if the ping is stable to play games is necessary. Admin recommends that you plug in the network cable directly to make the network more stable.



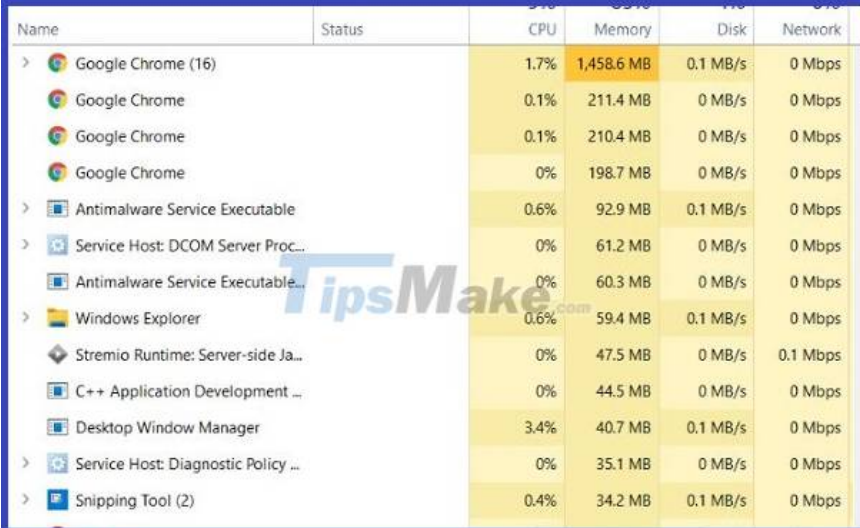
2/ Close unnecessary applications and update Windows

Win 10's most powerful optimization for gamers certainly cannot ignore closing unnecessary applications. Concentrating resources to run games helps the device experience much less lag. Gamers should give up the habit of playing games, watching movies, and texting, for example. Because operating too many applications at the same time also causes the game to run slowly or 'crash'.

Gaming is one of your PC's most resource-intensive tasks. Therefore, if important updates are missing, this may be the 'culprit' causing the application's abnormal operation. Therefore, you should check and update Windows regularly (if any). At the same time, don't forget to check and update your computer's graphics card driver.



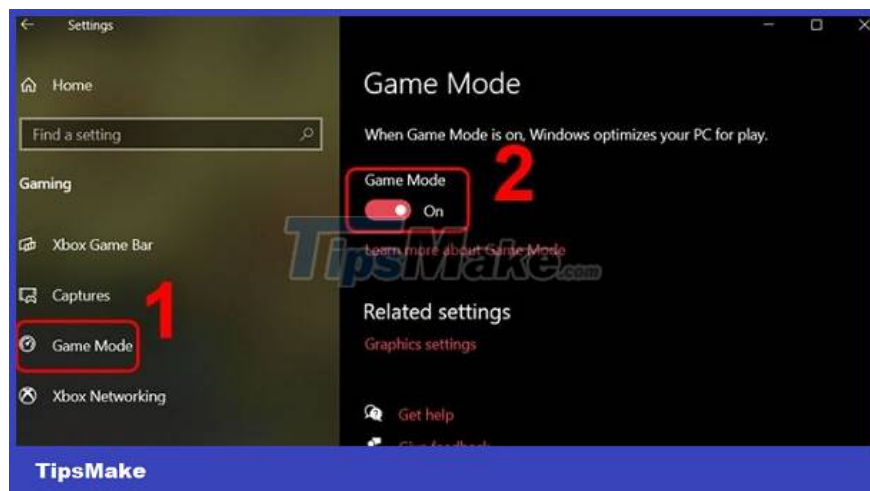
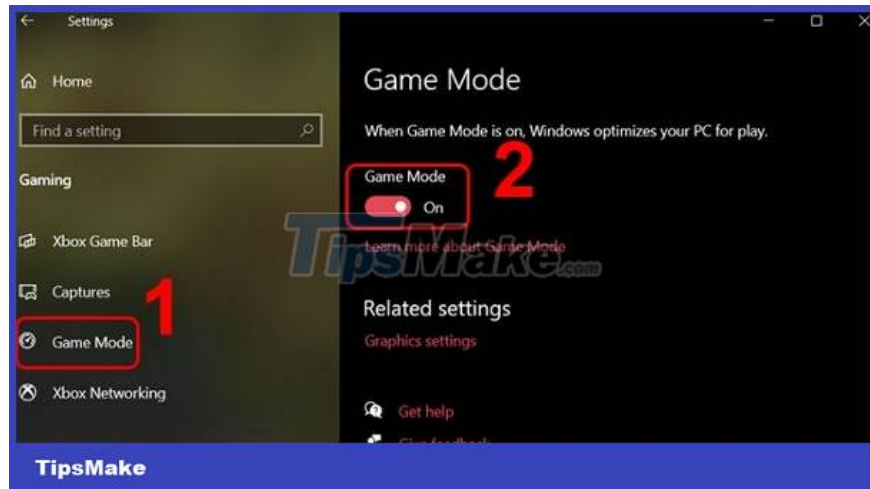
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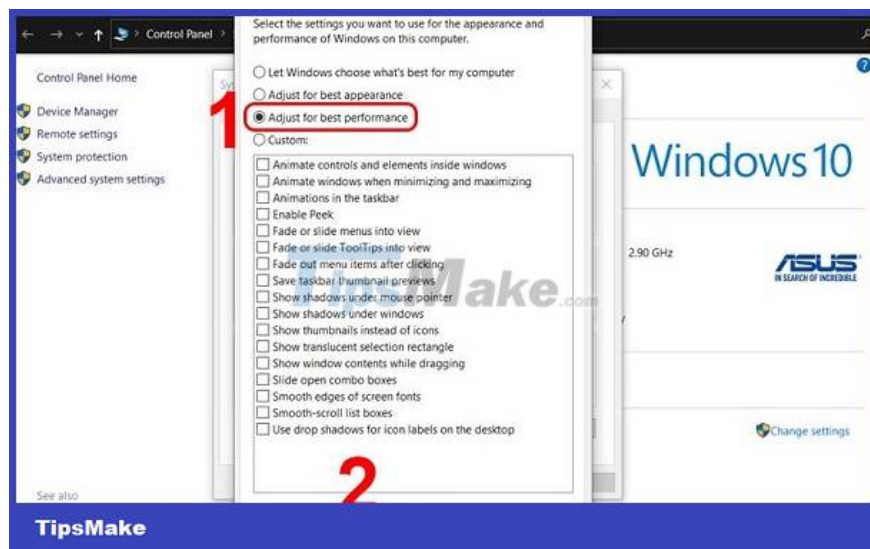
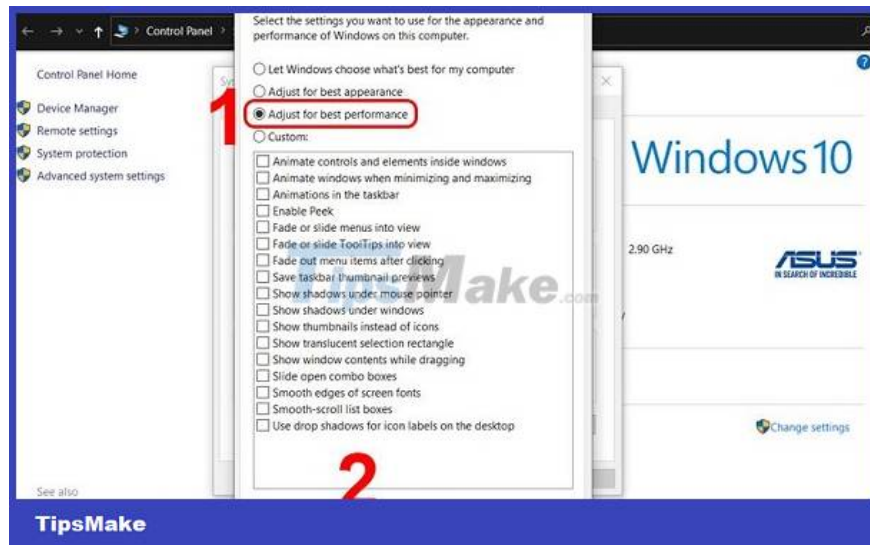
3/ Turn on Game Mode for Windows

1. **Step 1** : Press the key combination **Windows + I** to open **Settings** > Select **Gaming** .
2. **Step 2** : Click on **Game Mode** in the left menu > Turn on **Game Mode** .



4/ Proceed to Optimize the Windows interface

One of the ways to optimize Windows 10 for gaming is to optimize the Windows interface. At this point, you need to right-click on the This PC icon on the screen > Select **Properties** > Select **Advanced system settings** in the list on the left > Select **Settings** > Tick **the Adjust for best performance** item and then click OK to complete this process.



5/ Reduce graphics settings

Reducing graphics settings is also a very useful measure to reduce lag when playing games on the computer. Even if you own a computer with a good graphics card that can handle everything. But the level of detail depends a lot on the specifications. Therefore, right in the game you are playing, you can go to settings and turn down the graphics to one to make the game less laggy. Normally, lowering this graphics setting does not affect image quality too much.

6/ Some other solutions to optimize Windows 10 when playing games

1. Scan and remove viruses from your computer, if any
2. Upgrade RAM
3. Upgrade to SSD
4. Upgrade GPU

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