

# Remove hidden software in Windows 7, not found in Control Panel

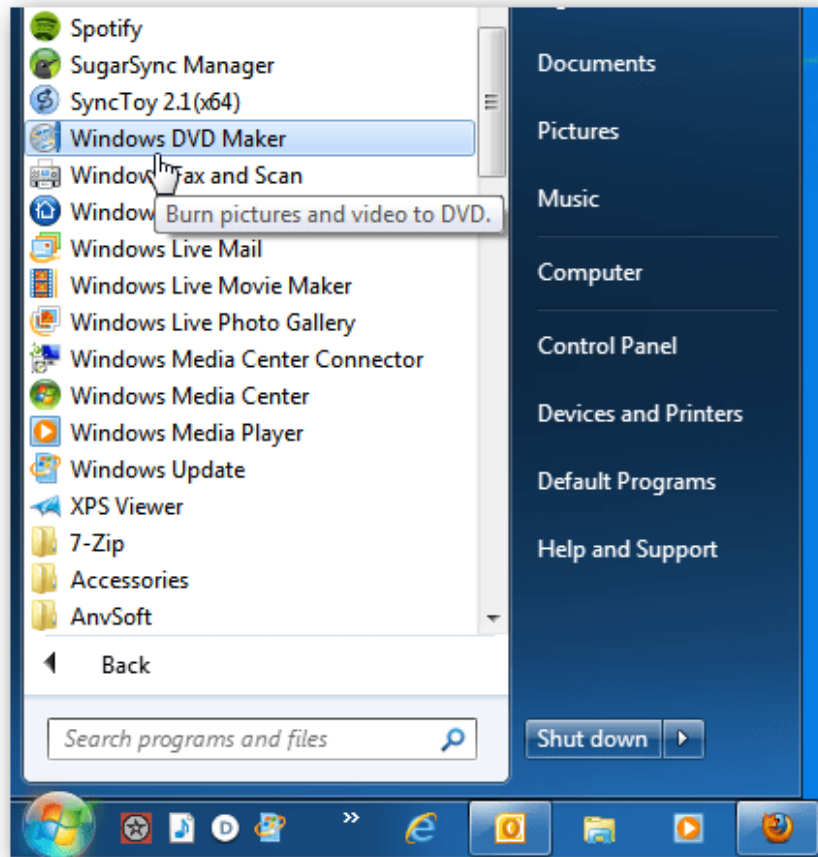
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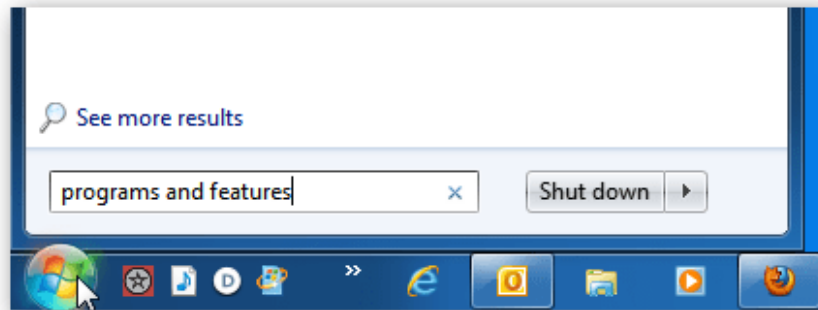
## Uninstall the Win 7 application using Windows Features

1. Previously we had an article on how to uninstall a program that does not display in the Add / Remove Programs list of Windows XP. Today the *Add / Remove Programs* item in Windows 7 has been renamed *Programs and Features*.

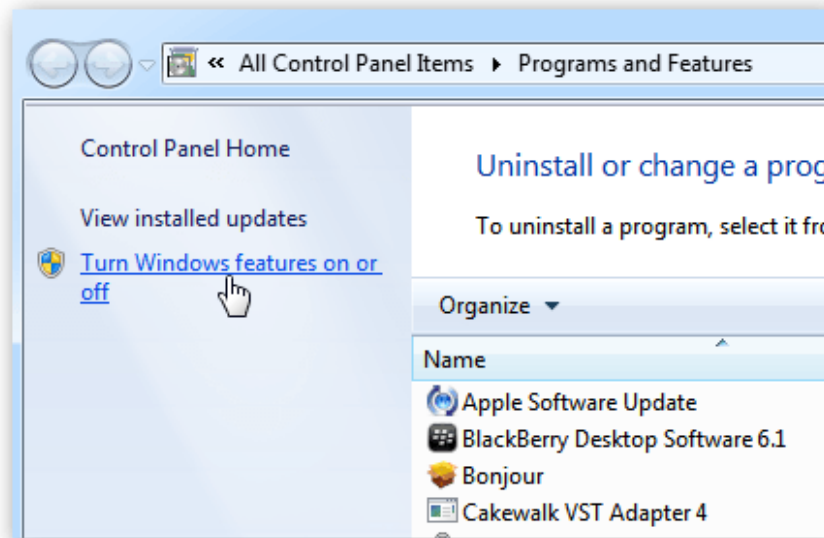
Similarly in XP, some programs like *Games*, *Internet Explorer*, *Windows DVD Maker* . not included in the Remove list. To illustrate this article, we will show you how to turn off *Windows DVD Maker* in the Start menu.



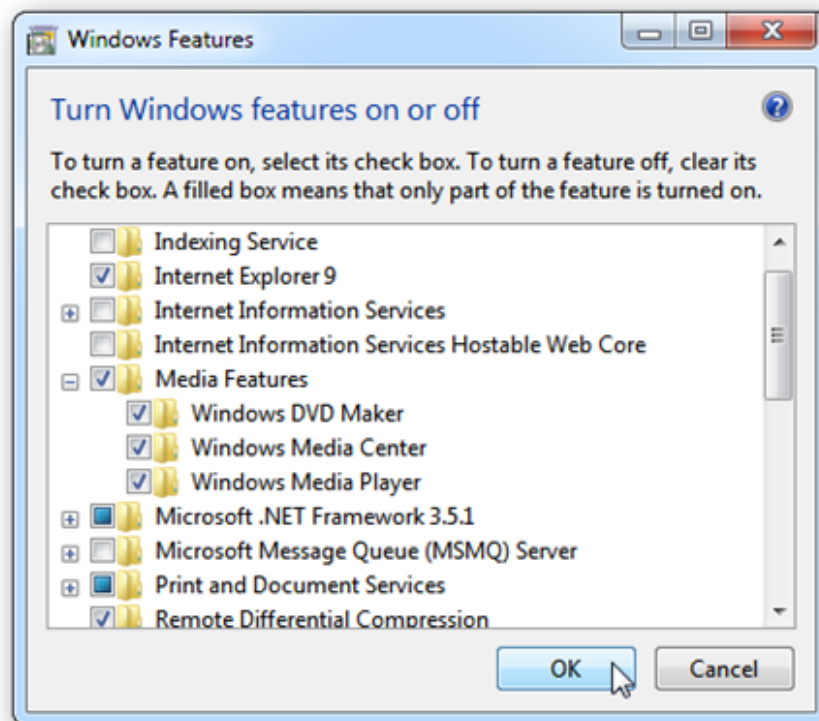
2. To remove or disable this program, click **Start** > enter **Programs and Features** in the search box and press **Enter** . (Or go to **Control Panel** > **Programs and Features** ).



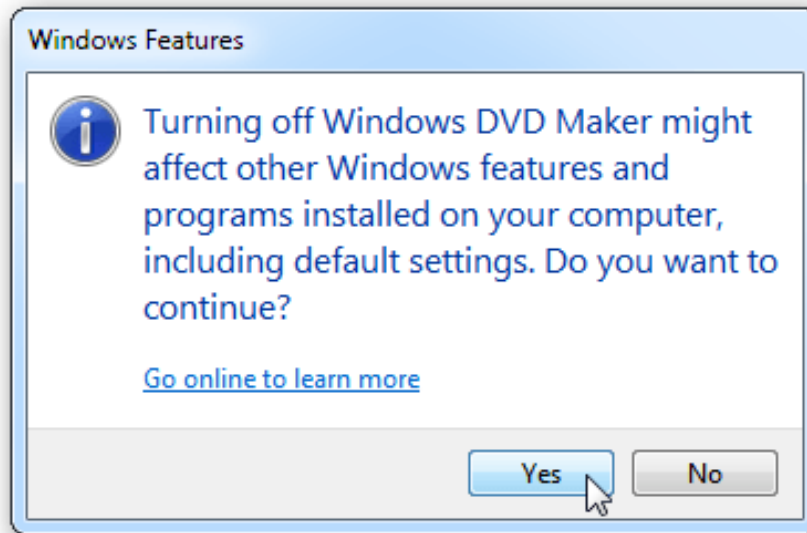
3. The *Programs and Features* window opens, click **Turn Windows features on or off** on the left side of the window:



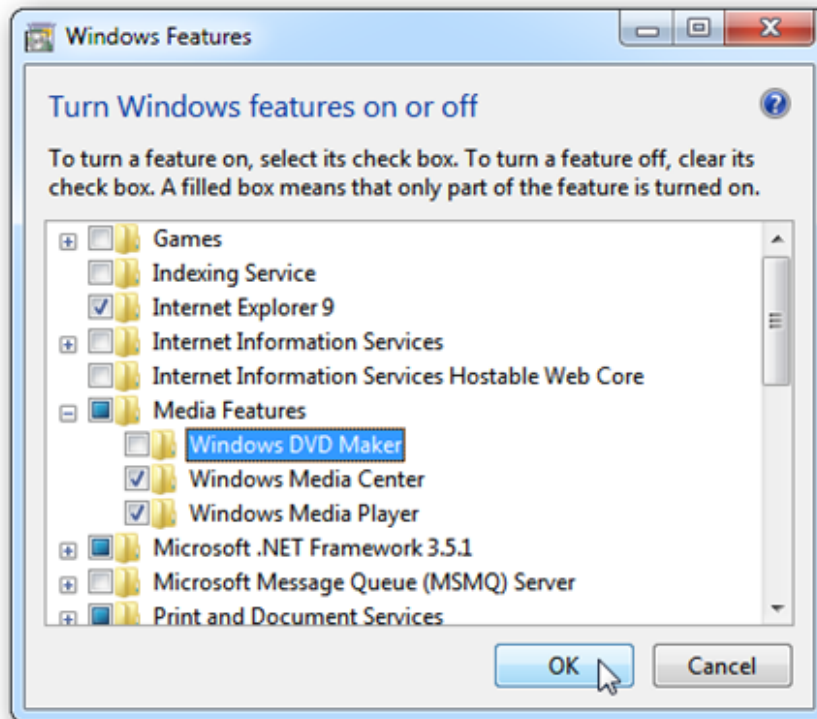
4. In the **Windows Features** window that appears you will see a list of different features that you can turn on or off by selecting / unchecking the checkbox next to those features.



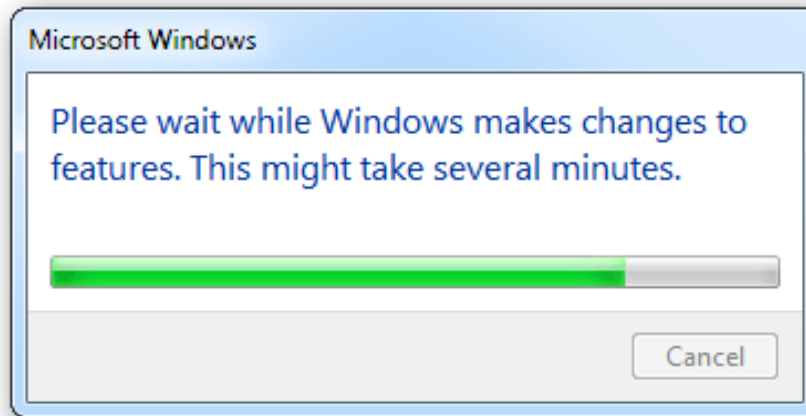
5. Click the plus sign next to **Media Features** checkbox to expand its tree-like features. Next uncheck the *Windows DVD Maker* checkbox. The message appears that you just click **Yes** :



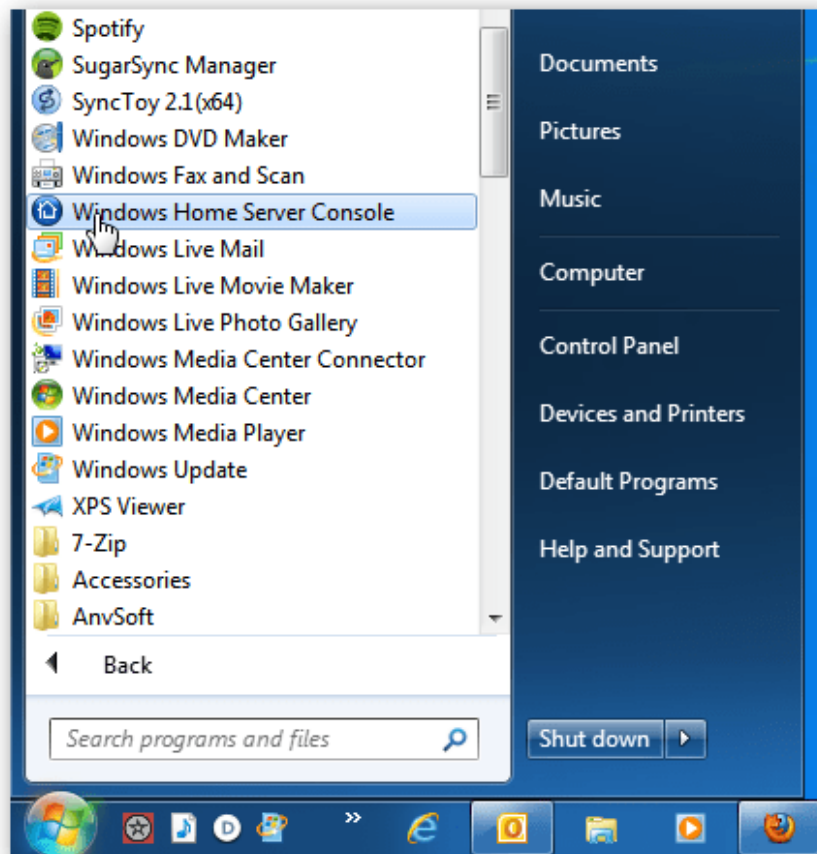
6. Then click **OK** at the *Windows features* window.



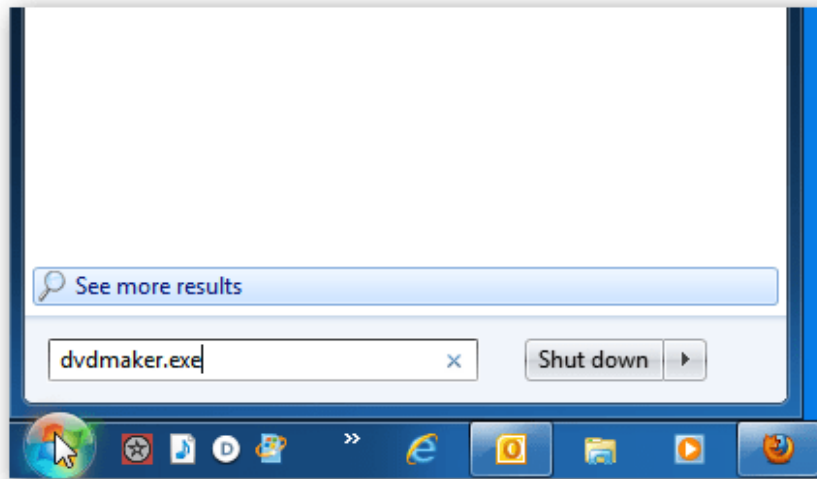
7. You will see on the screen the process of turning off this feature. Depending on the feature you turn off, the process may take several minutes.



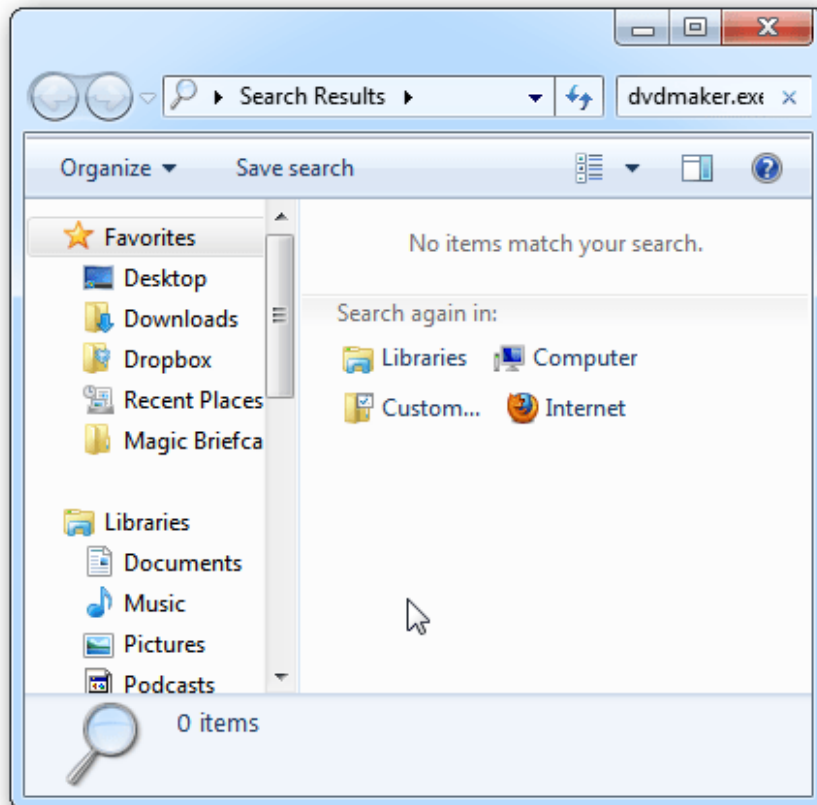
8. Once completed you close the windows on the back. From here Windows DVD Maker will no longer be displayed in the Start menu:



9. Although it is not displayed in the Start menu, make sure to check it again by entering **dvdmaker.exe** in the search box on the **Start** menu> **Enter** . First you will receive a message that cannot find results in Start.



10. And also not found anywhere in the computer.



**Note:** The following integrated components and features in the operating system will not be removed by this method. But if you don't need it, you can easily turn them off in this way,

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