

Task Manager on Windows 10 is unresponsive and won't open.

When using Windows 10, users sometimes encounter problems opening the Task Manager. There are many reasons for this. Some users may receive a message saying 'Task Manager has been disabled by administrator,' while others find the tool unresponsive. Below, TipsMake provides some solutions to resolve the issue of the Task Manager not opening or not responding on Windows 10.

Task Manager allows you to check the applications and processes currently running on your computer. It helps you start and end programs, and provides statistics on device and network performance. There are many ways to open Task Manager on a computer.



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1. Open Task Manager via the command-line interface.

First, try opening the task manager using the command-line interface.

Step 1: Press the **Start** button , type **cmd** , right-click on the most recent result that appears below and select **Run as administrator** .

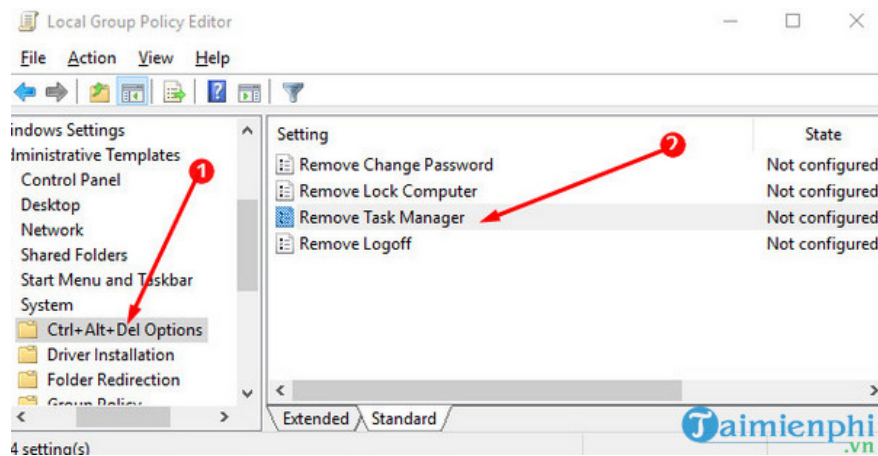
Step 2: Type **taskmgr.exe** , then press **Enter** .

2. Through group policies

Step 1: Type **gpedit.msc** in the Cortana search bar and press **OK** to execute the command.

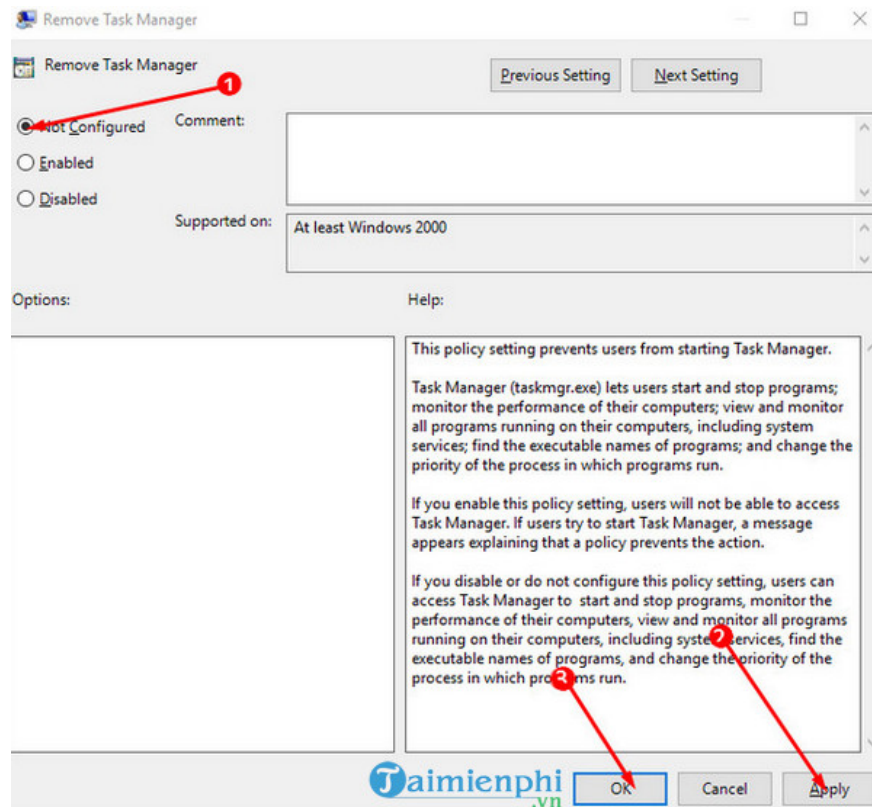
Step 2: Follow these steps:

User Configuration => Administrative Templates => System => Ctrl+Alt+Delete => Remove Task Manager



Step 3: Right-click on **Remove Task Manager** and select **Edit**, then select **Not Configured**.

Step 4: Finally, click the **Apply** and **OK** buttons.



3. Through Registry Editor

Before running this program, make sure you have sufficient knowledge of the Registry and also create a restore point before making any changes.

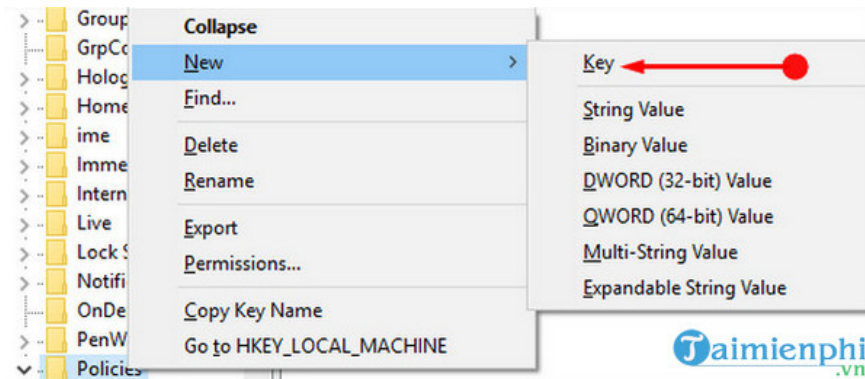
Step 1: Open the **Run** dialog box , type **regedit** and press **Enter**.

Step 2: Follow these steps:

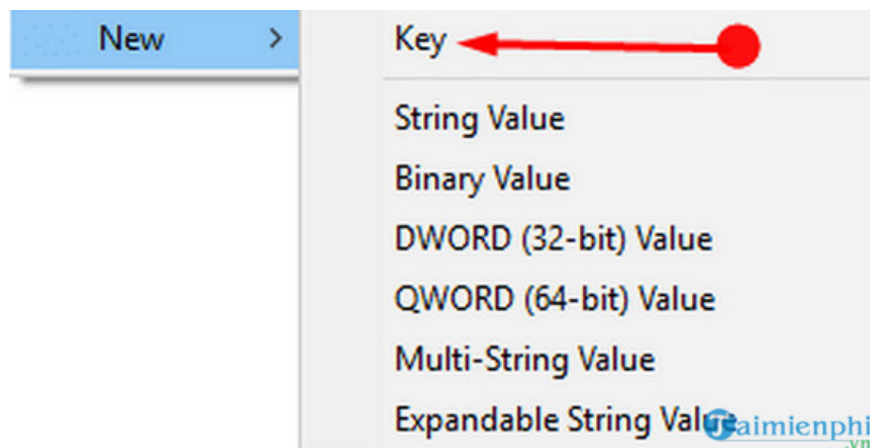
HKEY_CURRENT_USER => Software => Microsoft => Windows => CurrentVersion => Policies => System.

Step 3: In the right pane of the System cell, find the DWORD **DisableTaskMgr** . Double-click this value and you will get the value 1.

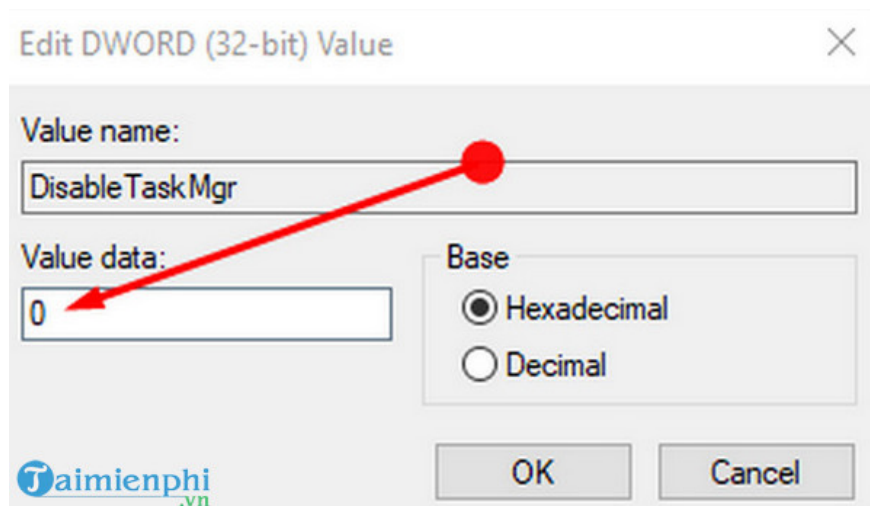
If the System cell does not exist, you will have to create a new one by double-clicking **Policies** , selecting **New** , **Key** and then naming it **System** .



In the right pane, right-click on the empty space, select **New** , and then **DWORD (32-bit) Value** . Name it **DisableTaskMgr** .



Step 4: Change the data value to 0 and finally select **OK**.



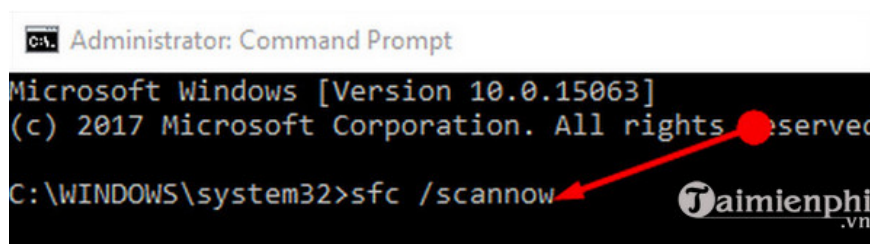
One of the two methods above will help you fix the issue of the Task Manager not opening on Windows 10. If not, try the options below:

- Check if there is any antivirus software that might be preventing your device from opening the Task Manager.
- Remove tool restrictions or restart the Task Manager.
- Run the `sfc /scannow` command to check for device errors as follows:

4. Launch SFC / SCANNOW

Step 1: Open the elevated command-line interface by typing **cmd** into the search bar, right-clicking on the most relevant result, and selecting **Run as Administrator**.

Step 2: In the command line interface, copy and paste the command ``sfc /scannow``, then press **Enter**.



This process will help check and fix the errors that are preventing the Task Manager in Windows 10 from opening. Afterwards, restart your computer to see if the problem has been resolved.

Therefore, it's not difficult to fix the task manager not opening error on Windows 10. If the problem persists after following all the steps above from **Taimienphi.vn**, then there are definitely other serious issues that need to be addressed by adjusting the settings.

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