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Subject: OT: Technical help needed  
Posted by [Scythar](#) on Fri, 21 Mar 2003 21:20:01 GMT  
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Alright, I have serious problem with ScanDisk. I've closed all other applications except explorer and systray, but it still keeps resetting all the time when I'm using the "complete scan"-option. Looks like something is writing something to somewhere every 10 seconds or so, but I don't know what it could possibly be. I have Windows ME.

Can anyone help with this? I've scanned the PC for viruses and stuff like that with a big keg 'o programs, nothing found. It shouldn't be a network issue either...

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Posted by [Cpo64](#) on Fri, 21 Mar 2003 21:29:24 GMT  
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Scan Disk in Safe Mode, that might work better for you, if that does not work. Scan disk during the start up, but I forgot how to do that.

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Subject: Re: OT: Technical help needed  
Posted by [Jarhead](#) on Fri, 21 Mar 2003 22:10:53 GMT  
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Try this link, may help you with your problem.

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;EN-US;222469>

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Posted by [Doitle](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2003 02:18:55 GMT  
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Yeah I used to have that problem too... I had to run it in Safe mode too... That is... until I got XP \*hugs XP\* My 60 gig HD scandisks and defrags in 2 1/2 hours. On my old 400Mhz compy on windows 98, a 10 GB HD took 2 Days, 17 hours to finish.

<http://www.outwar.com/page.php?x=563865>

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Posted by [Majiin Vegeta](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2003 02:51:01 GMT

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i had that problem once..i did the control +alt+del to bring up that window (me forgets im tired) and close all except the explorer.exe or sumthing..make sure screensaver is set to none aswell and that should do it...

if not hmm there should be a MS-dos scan disk on a bootable floppy just go ms-dos (with out windows suport) and type A:scandisk c: that should do it..i think

correct me if i am wrong people..but thats how i did it on mine

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Posted by [Scythar](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2003 07:11:18 GMT

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Hmm thanks everyone, I'll try the safe mode, sounds good.

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Posted by [SomeRhino](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2003 07:27:47 GMT

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Never defrag in Dos mode. It deletes all the 32-bit folder names, and Windows can't find anything next time you boot up.

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Posted by [laeubi](#) on Sat, 22 Mar 2003 13:33:22 GMT

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MS-Dos mode is the best. if you have an OS without make a Boot disk,  
If you use Win98 or something with MS-Dos mode exit Windows and select "restaerts in Dos Mode"

then type in:

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scandisk c: /surface /autofix /nosummary

you can also use /all if I remind right to test all you HD's

This apramert tell Scandisk: Autofix erros, make no summary test the surface (intensive mode)

-> every one who wanna learn something about MS-Dos can ask me, I ahve worked with MS-Dos long tima at my 286 until I get an PII300

and btw: Defrag normaly should not work under Winsystems (exerpt Win 3.1/Win95 old versions) or if you copy it from an old MS-Dos instalation.

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