XP System File Checker

Have a missing or corrupted system file?

Click START...Run and type in sfc /scannow There's a space between sfc and the /. Click OK. Before running this the user should have an XP installation CD handy if the installation files aren't located on the hard drive. If the procedure finds a corrupted or altered file, it may ask for the XP install CD so it can replace that file. XP will find the files if they are on the hard drive. (In computers purchased with Xp installed, a partition is created on the hard drive, and it puts the Recovery disk on the partitioned drive usually named drive D:.

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