

Windows Reinstall Checklist

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Internet

- Modem, ISDN Card or ADSL drivers
- Dialup phone Number, Username and Password for ISP
- Backup Email
- Backup Email settings (POP3 and SMTP settings)
- Backup Address book
- Backup Email Archive
- Browser bookmarks or favorites

Personal Documents and Settings

- Document Files (Word files, Access files, Excel Files etc etc)
- Personal Photographs
- Personal Videos
- Music files
- Downloads from the web
- Program Updates
- Program saves and settings

Drivers

- Graphics Card
- Monitor
- Keyboard
- Mouse
- Sound Card
- TV Card Software and Drivers
- External USB devices

Network

- Network Card Software and Drivers
- Network Login and password
- Network settings (IP address etc ..)

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Peripherals

- Printer Software and Drivers
- Scanner Software and Drivers
- Digital Camera Software and Drivers

Microsoft Windows

- Original Windows CD or OEM Restore CD
- Windows Certificate of Authenticity (Make sure you have the Windows serial number)
- Windows Service Packs
- Windows Updates

Security Software and Updates

- Anti-virus
- Anti-spyware
- Firewall
- Popup blocker
- Privacy protection

Office Package

- Office CD (make sure you have it and it is not damaged)
- Office Serial Number (Make sure you have the serial number)
- Office Personal Settings (templates etc ..)

Games

- Games CD's
- Backup of Game Saves

Other

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