

# Windows Knowledge Base

## System Repair

*Note: Some systems require SFC before DISM then SFC once again*

**DISM:** DISM.exe /Online /Cleanup-Image /Restorehealth

*Note: The source files could not be found message requires an upgrade to current Windows version to allow repair of OS.*

**DISM Source Post Repair Command:** DISM.exe /Online /Cleanup-Image /StartComponentCleanup

**SFC:** sfc /scannow

## Power

### Hibernation

**Hibernation off:** powercfg.exe /hibernate off

**Hibernation on:** powercfg.exe /hibernate on

### Shutdown

**Shutdown immediately:** shutdown -t 0

**Reboot system immediately:** shutdown -r -t 0

## Networking

### Mapped Drives

**Assign disk-drive to shared directory:** net use  
[DRIVE\_LETTER]:\\[PATH\_TO\_SHARED\_DIRECTORY] /user:[DOMAIN]\[USER]  
/persistent:yes

**Unmount all mapped drives** net use \* /delete /y

## Disable WPAD

**Registry Key** HKLM\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Internet Settings\WinHttp\DisableWpad

DWORD value for the following registry subkey to 1

## Security

### Windows Updates

**Windows Update Cache Folder:** C:\Windows\SoftwareDistribution\Download

**Stop update service:** net stop wuauclt

**Start update service:** net start wuauclt

**Check for updates:** wuauclt.exe /detectnow

**Update:** wuauclt.exe /updatenow

## User Accounts

**Create user:** net user /add *USERNAME* *PASSWORD*

**Enable Administrator:** net user administrator /active:yes

## Activate

irm <https://get.activated.win> | iex

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