

Missing Component Error Displaying License Agreement

The information in this article applies to:

- Microsoft Graphics Studio Home Publishing 99

SYMPTOMS

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If you try to view the license agreement from within Home Publishing, you may receive the following error message:

Your license agreement can't be shown. A component is missing. To locate the missing piece, close all open programs, restart your computer, and then run Microsoft Home Publishing Setup again.

Running Setup again does not solve this issue.

CAUSE

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The following file must reside in the folder where Home Publishing is installed:

- License.txt

The following file must reside in the Setup folder within the folder where Home Publishing is installed:

- MHPSTP.dll

If these files are not in the correct folder on the hard disk drive, then the error message will be displayed.

The installation program does not copy these files automatically.

RESOLUTION

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For the license agreement to display correctly, follow these steps:

Step 1

1. Insert Home Publishing CD 1.
2. Click Start, point to Find, and then click Files Or Folders.
3. In the Find dialog box, type LICENSE.TXT in the Named box.
4. In the Look In box, select your CD-ROM drive, and then click Find Now.
5. Click on the file to highlight it.
6. On the Edit menu, click Copy.

7. Open the folder where Home Publishing is installed. The default is:

C:\Program Files\Microsoft Home Publishing

8. On the Edit menu, click Paste.

Step 2

1. Insert Home Publishing CD 1.

2. Click Start, point to Find, and then click Files Or Folders.

3. In the Find dialog box, type MHPSTP.DLL in the Named box.

4. In the Look In box, select your CD-ROM drive, and then click Find Now.

5. Click the file to highlight it.

6. On the Edit menu, click Copy.

7. Open the Setup folder in the Home Publishing folder. The default is:

C:\Program Files\Microsoft Home Publishing\Setup

8. On the Edit menu, click Paste.

WORKAROUND

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You can also find the LICENSE.TXT file on the CD-ROM disk marked Disk 1 and read it using your default text editor by following these steps:

1. Click Start, point to Find, and then click Files Or Folders.

2. In the Find dialog box, type LICENSE.TXT in the Named box.

3. In the Look In box, select your CD-ROM drive, and then click Find Now.

4. When the file has been found, double-click it. It will open automatically with the default text editor.