Repair Disk utility Help

You can use the Repair Disk utility to update the repair information for Windows NT on your hard disk, or to create a new Emergency Repair Disk using the repair information currently saved on your hard disk.

The repair information on your hard disk or your Emergency Repair Disk can be used to reconstruct your Windows NT system files, system configuration, and startup environment variables if they become damaged. The Repair Disk utility should not be used as a backup tool.

To use Repair Disk, click **Update Repair Info** or **Create Repair**. For more information, click one of the following buttons:

☐ Update Repair Info
☐ Create Repair Disk
☐ Control Menu

Update Repair Info

You can use this option to update the repair information on your hard disk or to create an Emergency Repair Disk with the updated repair information.

The Repair Disk utility replaces some of the files saved in the \Repair directory with new files that contain updated information about the system configuration.

To use this option, when prompted, click **Yes**. When the Repair Disk utility finishes saving the new configuration information, you will be asked whether you want to create an Emergency Repair Disk. Click **Yes** if you want to Create an Emergency Repair Disk.

Create Repair Disk

You can use this option to create an Emergency Repair Disk using the information currently saved on your hard disk.

You can create an Emergency Repair Disk when you install Windows NT. If this disk is lost or damaged, you can use Repair Disk to create a new Emergency Repair Disk. If your system configuration has changed considerably since you first installed Windows NT, you can use the Repair Disk utility to save updated repair information.

To create a new Emergency Repair disk that contains the current configuration information for your computer, insert a high-density floppy disk in drive A when prompted, and then click **OK.**

Note that the Repair Disk utility will format the disk before saving the configuration files; all data currently on the disk will be lost.

Control Menu

The **Control** menu contains the following commands:

Restore

Restores the window to its former size after it has been maximized or minimized.

Move

Enables you to use the keyboard to move the window to another position.

Size

Enables you to use the keyboard to change the size of the window.

Minimize

Reduces the window to an icon.

Maximize

Enlarges the window to its maximum size.

Close

Quits Control Panel, or closes a window or dialog box.

Switch To

Opens Task List, which you can use to switch between running applications and to rearrange active windows and icons on your desktop.