

15 ICONS YOU CAN DUMP

YOU CAN SHUT DOWN these system tray applets, or delete or hide them, without fear of disabling a critical Windows function.

ICON	Name	How to banish it
	Clock	Right-click the taskbar, choose <i>Properties</i> , and uncheck <i>Show the clock</i> .
	Microsoft Outlook	Right-click the icon, and choose <i>Customize Notifications</i> . Select the icon in the current items list, and then choose <i>Always hide</i> from the behavior list.
	Mozilla/Netscape Quick Launch	Right-click the icon, select <i>Disable Quick Launch</i> , and then click <i>OK</i> .
	Musicmatch Jukebox	Right-click the icon and choose <i>Disable QuickPlay</i> .
	Network Status	Click the icon once, click the <i>Properties</i> button, and uncheck <i>Show icon in notification area when connected</i> .
	OpenOffice.org	Right-click the icon and deselect <i>Load OpenOffice.org During System Start-up</i> .
	Power	Launch Control Panel's <i>Power Options</i> , click on <i>Advanced</i> , and uncheck <i>Always show icon on the taskbar</i> .
	QuickTime	Right-click and choose <i>QuickTime Preferences</i> ; choose <i>Browser Plug-in</i> from the drop-down list and uncheck <i>QuickTime system tray icon</i> .
	Roxio Audio Central	Right-click, choose <i>Options</i> , and uncheck <i>Enable AudioCentral icon in system tray</i> .
	Roxio Drag-to-Disc	Right-click, choose <i>Settings</i> , and uncheck <i>Show an icon in the system tray</i> .
	Unplug or Eject Hardware	Right-click the icon, choose <i>Unplug or eject hardware</i> , and uncheck <i>Show Unplug/Eject Icon On The Taskbar</i> .
	Volume control	Right-click, choose <i>Adjust Audio Properties</i> , and uncheck <i>Place volume icon in the taskbar</i> .
	WildTangent Driver	Click the icon, select <i>Recent Messages>Welcome to GameChannel</i> , click the <i>Options</i> tab, and uncheck <i>Keep icon in system tray</i> .
	Winamp Agent	Right-click and choose <i>Disable Winamp Agent</i> .
	Windows Messenger	Right-click the icon, select <i>Open</i> , click <i>Tools/Options</i> , select the <i>Preferences</i> tab, and uncheck <i>Run this program when Windows starts</i> .