

are pretty questionable
as to being useful on a DAW.

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John wrote:

> I rewrote them to reflect the musicxp.com site. I hope they help
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> musicxp.com tips
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> Processor Scheduling for Background Services

Yes This is the most important one. Especially for ASIO based sound cards.

> Visual Effects for best performance

Yep Frees up some ram and can make older video cards perform better

> Switch Off Desktop Background Image

na unless your background is a huge BMP that takes lots of ram

> Disable Screen Saver

yep

> Disable Fast User Switching

yes save a bunch of ram if you use multiple accts.

> Switch Off Power Schemes

Yes

> Switch Off Hibernation

Yes

> Disable System Sounds

Oh yes .. nothing like having a windows beep reset your sample rate to 22k while your recording

> Do Not Map Through Soundcard

No point in doing this unless you are trying to trouble shoot something.

> Disable System Restore

Yes but I wouldn;t do it till after you install all your drivers software etc and your are sure the system is running well. Then it is OK. At that point make a drive image of the system and put it in safe place!!!

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> Disable Automatic Updates

Yes. BUt don't disable the service just turn it off in the control panel.

> Startup and Recovery Options

> Disable Error Reporting

Yes but leave the critical error notification ch
