

VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/04 11:51

I am running Windows7 home premium and downloaded VMLite & MS XPmode. I have the VMLite workstation on the start menu, but when I try to open VMLite XPmode I get the following message. "Cannot access the kernel driver" "make sure the kernel module has been loaded successfully" Please help--I think I am close.

Computer has 4GB memory-dual core.
Thanks

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Re: VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/04 12:21

very strange. seems the kernel driver is not installed.

can you run this command to check?

"sc query vboxdrv" in command prompty

also check if c:windowssystem32drivers dir has VBoxDrv.sys file
and check the registry key: HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINESYSTEMCurrentControlSetServicesVBoxDrv

It might be better that you re-install vmlite

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Re: VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by pacman - 2010/01/04 13:03

i had this issue. you need to uninstall any old versions and reinstall the newest. it should work fine and your config file will still exist so you dont ahve to set anything else back up...

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/04 13:15

"sc query vboxdrv" in command prompty--shows: Type :! Kernel Driver
State :! Stopped

also check if c:windowssystem32drivers dir has VBoxDrv.sys file

It does show it has VBoxDrv.sys file

How do I proceed? Can you tell me how to get State: Stopped to Start.

Thanks

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/04 14:23

As suggested by pacman, better that you un-install and re-install vmlite.

As debug, did you run old versions of vmlite or VirtualBox on your PC before?

can you also try to run this command to start VBoxDrv? run as administrator

"sc start VBoxDrv"

what is the ImagePath under the registry key:
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINESYSTEMCurrentControlSetServicesVBoxDrv?

it must be pointing to system32driversVBoxDrv.sys

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/04 17:05

Took your advise and re-installed vmlite, but no success yet. I did try to install Virtual Box previously, but could not use it because I have Win7 home premium. I uninstalled what I could.

- 1.went to the driver file and deleted all I could find for Virtual Box and VMLite.
- 2.uninstalled Vmlite and rebooted
- 3.re-installed vmlite--all went well till the last step--"Setting up vmlite xpmode for first use". The green bar went all the way over and then just hangs--had to stop it with task manager.
- 4.opened the menu workstation and started Vmlite xpmode--a black screen opens with a small box showing "starting virtual machine"--a bar showing 0%. This just hangs too--put the curser on it & the little round ball is working--can't do anything but stop this with task manager. ????

When I did the Virtual Box download, I also went the bios and enabled virtualization. Could this be a problem?

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/04 17:09

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it must be pointing to system32driversVBoxDrv.sys

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/04 17:38

I went to Command Prompt and typed in CMD.EXE--then typed in your
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINESYSTEMCurrentControlSetServicesVBoxDrv --enter
It said "System can't find the path specified"

I'm not that sharp on this --give me step by step details from
here. Thanks

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/04 17:50

ok, you need to run "regedit.exe", then check the registry path. I wanted to make sure that the right
VBoxDrv.sys is used.

Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/04 18:47

under SystemServices
vmlitedrv
Enum--0 Reg_SZ RootLegacy_Vmlitedrv 00

VBoxdrv
Enum--0 Reg_SZ RootLegacy_vboxdrv 00

Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/04 19:55

can you check the exact path "HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINESYSTEMCurrentControlSetServicesVBoxDrv"?

look at ImagePath value

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 10:30

Image path for VBoxDrv shows:

Reg Expand_SZ System32driversVBoxDrv.sys

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 10:41

that seems to be all right. Can you check the properties of VBoxDrv.sys in c:windowssystem32drivers dir? it should says VMLite somewhere, I wanted to make sure that file is correct.

Also try to kill all VBoxSvc.exe, VMLite.exe VirtualBox.exe processes from task manager.

then run "comregister.cmd" from "C:Program FilesVMLiteVMLite Workstation" in command line

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 13:41

- 1.Details on VBox.sys Properties--
Virtual Box Support Driver
File version 3.1.2.0
Product name--VMLite Workstation
Product Version--3.1.2r25105
- 2.Task manager kill--Under services--VMLite Service--Processes 1380-Running.
unable to stop service-"X the operation could not be completed.Access denied.
How do I stop this??--I am the Adm.
- 3. run "comregister.cmd" from C:Program Files.....
Done successfully.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 13:48

that seems to be all right. The file is the right one.

(1) you can run the following to stop/start service
"net stop VMLiteService"
"net start VMLiteService"

(2) can you try to start VBoxDrv?
"net start VBoxDrv", and let me know the results

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 14:46

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1. "net stop VMLite Service"--does not clear in task manager services--still shows as running.
 2. no luck on startup. Black screen for VMLite XP Mode (starting) with small box in the middle showing "starting virtual machine" Bar-----0%. Just hangs and have to stop it with task manager.

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 16:12

(2) can you try to start VBoxDrv.sys driver? run it inside command line
"net start VBoxDrv", and let me know the results

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 16:26

I did "net start VBoxDrv" from Run--not Command Prompt.

The result was a black flash across the screen that disappeared immediately.

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 16:29

right click "Command Prompt", Run As Administrator, from Start menu, then run "net start VBoxDrv" from command line, I need to see the results.

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 16:48

"The requested service has already been started.
More help is available by typing NET HELPMSG 2182"

Did that-and got another message "The requested service has already been started.

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 16:59

ok, that means the kernel driver can be started.

when you run "comregister.cmd", did you run it in command prompt, as System Administrator? if not, run to run it again.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 17:25

what is the error message when you start the VMLite XP Mode vm now?

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 17:28

Ran Comregister.cmd as Adm.--Shows as a Window Command script 973bytes, only 1KB?? shows it was modified 8-9-09.

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 17:39

that is ok, it's an old .bat file.

what is the error message when you start the VMLite XP Mode vm now?

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 18:03

No direct message--black screen with "start virtual machine",box--with bar----0%.
Curser is working when placed in box--the little ball is turning. Have to kill it
with task manager.

Message in Task Manaager

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"VMLite 3.1.2 download not working-VMLite-Wi...  Running"
"VMLite XPMode1 (starting)-VMLite Workstation  Running"
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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 18:08

when you start the vm, do you see VBoxSvc.exe running too in Task Manager?

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 18:17

No VBoxSvc.exe shown in task manager-just the two shown
in prior post.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 18:21

Are you sure? can you double check?

if no VBoxSvc.exe is running, then that's the problem.

Do you have the file: VBoxSvc.exe in "c:program filesvmlitevmlite workstation"?

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 18:30

Yes, VBoxSVC.exe is there. application 3,037KB

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 18:48

check following registry key using Regedit:

HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT\CLSID\{B1A7A4F2-47B9-4A1E-82B2-07CCD5323C3F}\LocalServer32

does it points to "C:\Program Files\VMLite\VMLite Workstation\VBoxSVC.exe"?

also, VBoxSVC.exe is supposed to be 1.8MB in size, and version is 3.1.2.r25105, pls check it again

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 19:44

1.re: ROOTCLSID-B1A7....-yes it points correctly.

"Default Reg_SZ c:\program files\Vmlite\Vmlite Workstation\VBoxSVC.exe

2.re: size of VBoxSVC.exe---under properties it shows the size as 2.96MB.

The version is correct.

(for some reason on the folder extension files it shows "type-application--
size 3,037KB) ???

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 19:51

ok, size is fine, seems you have 64-bit PC. 1.8M is for 32-bit.

Can you monitor is VBoxSvc.exe will be running? when you run VMLite Workstation? just start VMLite Workstation from Start menu

Can you change settings of a vm? if VBoxSVC.exe is not running, you can't do anything.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 20:07

I have a VMLite command prompt on the menu showing:

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"C:Program FilesVMLiteVMLite Workstation>_"
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Can I type something in here and enter it to get this going??

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 20:09

yes, just type "VMLite.exe"

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/05 20:39

no luck--still hangs at starting virtual machine....0%

Now have 3 listings in task manager

- 1.VMLite download not working running
- 2.VMLite Workstation running
- 3.VMLite XPMODE (starting) vm workstation running

Still no VBoxSVC.exe shown in task manager?

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/05 20:46

When you run TaskManager, make sure you go to Process panel, and show all processes. I still doubt that VBoxSvc.exe is not running. If not, the vm won't be created in the 1st place.

if VBoxSvc.exe is indeed not running, then we knew it's caused by VBoxSvc.exe. Does DCOM/COM work on your host? you can google for more info

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 08:46

Thanks admin for your help and patience. I am going to back off this project for now--I'm 82 years old and worn out. Perhaps in the future I will again try uninstall reinstall and if I get it going I will post. Thanks again, and Happy New Year to you.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 09:13

no problem. Happy new year to you, too!

If I can remotely connect to your PC, should be quicker to fix the issues.

I have to admit that this seems to be a rather difficult one to figure out, and don't have many clues.

One last thing that you can try is to try to kill any VBoxSvc.exe processed from Task Manager (process tab, showing all processes), then start VMLite again.

Good luck,

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 11:40

I reinstalled 3.1.2--Now have two error messages

1. Failed to open XPmode--Details--Callee RC: E_Fail (0x80004005)

2.VMLite Error--Failed to assign the machine to the session.

(Unknown Status 0x80004005)

Details: Result Code: VBox_E_VM_ERROR (0x80BB0003)

Component: Machine

Interface: IMachine {99404f50-dd10-40d3-889b-dd2f79f1e95e}

Hope this helps. I would be happy to do the remote thing. Just tell me how. (949)581-6056 Thanks

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 12:05

Thanks for reporting those errors. Somehow, VBoxSvc.exe is not running on your PC.

I will do some more research and get back to you. If necessary, let's do a RDP, so I can look at your PC.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 15:58

As a sanity check, can you launch VMLite Workstation from Start menu? then click the New button from top toolbar, and check if you can create a new XP Mode vm.

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Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 17:09

Yes--created a new virtual disk from the "new" button on workstation--new icon shows "VMLite XP Mode 1" Started that--got progress bar for "Setting up VMLite XPmode for the first use..."Bar completes its run and hangs as before. Had to kill it with task manager.

Task Manager shows two tasks running
"VMLite 3.1.2 download not working-VMLite-Wi....Running"
"VMLite XPMode 1 (starting) VMLite Workstation Running"

Killed above two with "end task"--tried to start it again and get "starting virtual machine....0% and it hangs.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 17:23

Thanks. So you can create a new vm, but can't start it?

I've attached a screenshot, can you check if you have VBoxSvc.exe running? if so, kill it, and kill all VMLite.exe processes as well.

Then restart VMLite Workstation, and start the vm.

http://www.vmlite.com/images/fbfiles/images/VBoxSvc_taskmgr.jpg

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 18:15

When hanging both VBoxSvc.exe and VMLite.exe appear under processes and appear to be running. After clearing the hang--neither appears under processes. Tried to start XP Mode I different ways, but still have same hanging problem.

Another thought--I have 64bit computer and seem to have two set of Program files.

- 1. Program Files
- 2. Program Files x86

VMLite and XPMode files in each category are not "Shared" in these program files. Should they be??

Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 19:01

ok, VBoxSVC.exe is ok then, that's what I thought, otherwise you wouldn't be able to create a vm.

Those 2 program files folders are fine. VMLite is native 64-bit on 64-bit machines, so it will only appear inside c:program files.

Another thing you can try is to delete the whole directory, c:users%your_user_name%VMLites. Then recreate XP Mode vm, and start it.

Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 20:04

Could not figure out how to delete the whole directory.

ok, have two program files in 64bit that relate.

VMLite 60.4mg--vmLite Workstation. NOT SHARED--Is this right?

also,

WindowsXPMode 1.13GB (contains WindowsXPMode base.vhd VHD File. NOT SHARED??)

Don't see any files that relate in Program Files (x86).

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Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 21:20

you don't need to do anything on vmlite programs. No need to re-install.

Use Windows Explorer to delete the whole folder, VMLites directory under your user folder.

Then run VMLite Workstation.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by Eldred - 2010/01/06 22:56

Joy--I'm up and running.
I'll sleep well tonight.
Thanks again-this has been an adventure.

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/06 23:07

very good to know. I am relieved too :)

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Re:VMLite 3.1.2 download not working

Posted by admin - 2010/01/08 09:11

I'd like to confirm, what made your vmlite xp mode to what? was it "Deleting VMLites folder"?

Thanks,

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