

# Running and Processes

## How do I stop Clipmate from loading automatically at startup?

You can easily stop ClipMate from running when you boot up windows, by turning off the "Run at Windows startup" option.

See [Config | User Preferences | General](#). It's the first option on the page.

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Technical Note: Unlike previous versions, which used the Windows "startup" menu, ClipMate 6&7 use the RUN entry in the registry. You can find it in the REGEDIT program, by looking in this key: `HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Run`

You may find other interesting items in there as well. Some that you may know about, others that you may not know about.

I just found this interesting thing in mine: `ctfmon.exe`. It's apparently part of Microsoft Office.

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