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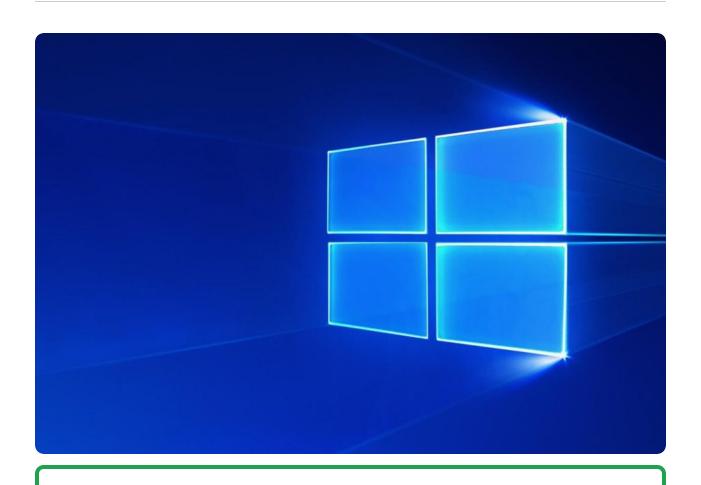


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hardware failure and optimize your PC for maximum performance. Fix PC issues now in 3 easy steps:

- Download this PC Repair Tool

 (Rated "Excellent" on TrustPilot.com)
- 2 Click "Start Scan to find Windows issues that could be causing PC problems.
- 3 Click "Repair All" to fix issues with Patented Technologies (Exclusive Discount for our readers).

Does your Windows 10 device wake up from sleep mode on its own? In that case you will see first hand how to fix the sleep mode issue of your device if it wakes up on its own only by following the lines posted below.

The "Sleep Mode" mode feature can malfunction in Windows 10 for different kinds of reasons like a virus infection, an app you are trying to use that prevents your Windows 10 device from using the sleep mode properly or perhaps it is a driver from a hardware component.

The tutorial posted below will tell us how we got this issue as well as how we can fix it in just a few minutes. Although this is an annoying problem, many users reported the following issues as well:

- Computer wakes from sleep automatically Many users reported that their computer wakes from sleep on its own. This can be a big problem, but you should be able to fix it by using one of our solutions.
- Ethernet waking up computer Sometimes your Ethernet connection can wake up your PC without your knowledge. However, you can fix this problem simply by changing few settings.

- Windows wakes from sleep by itself Many users reported that their Windows windows by itself. This problem occurs on all versions of Windows, including Windows 10, 8 and 7.
 - **Desktop, laptop wakes from sleep** According to users, this problem can occur on both desktop and laptop PCs. However, the same solutions apply to laptop and desktop PCs.
 - **PC wakes from sleep instantly** Few users reported that their PC wakes up instantly. This is probably caused by a third-party application running in the background.
 - Hard disk wakes from sleep In some rare cases your hard disk can wake up your PC from sleep. To fix this problem, you need to find and disable your scheduled tasks.





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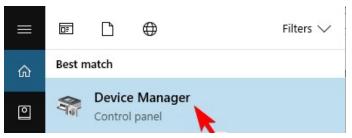
What can I do if Windows 10 wakes from sleep automatically?

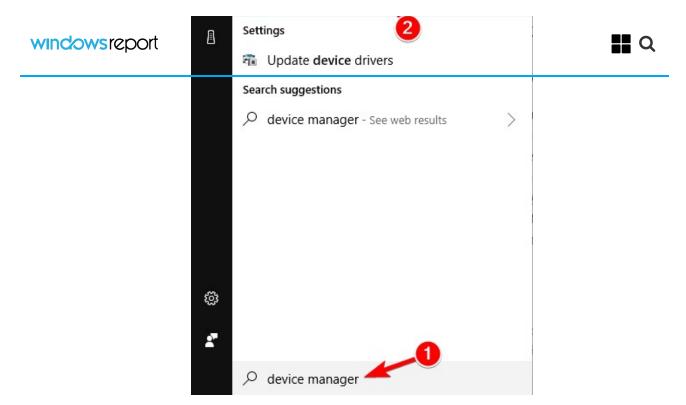
- 1. Prevent your devices from waking up the PC
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- 3. Use lastwake command
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1. Prevent your devices from waking up the PC

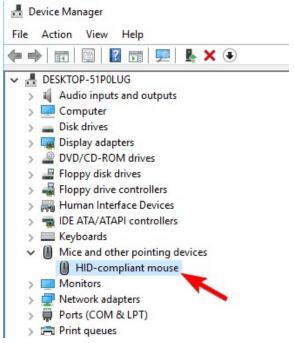
Sometimes your PC can wake up randomly because of your keyboard or mouse. These devices can wake up your PC, but you can prevent them from waking up your PC by doing the following:

 In the Search bar enter device manager. Select Device Manager from the list of results.



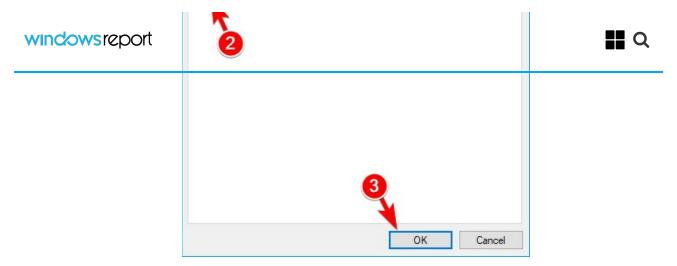


2. Locate your mouse on the list and double click it to open its properties.



3. Left click or tap on the **Power Management** tab. You will need to uncheck the box next to **Allow this device to wake my computer**. Now left click or tap on the **OK** button.





- 4. Close all the windows you opened so far.
- 5. Reboot the Windows 10 device.
- 6. Place the Windows 10 devices into sleep mode and see if you still have this issue.

Keep in mind that you might have to repeat these steps for other input devices in order to fix this problem.

2. Prevent network adapter from waking up your PC

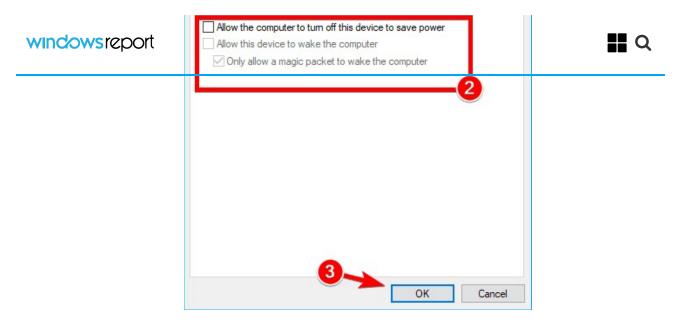
If the previous solution didn't fix your problem, you might want to prevent your network adapter from waking up your PC. To do that, follow these steps:

 Open **Device Manager**, expand the *Network adapters* section and double click your network adapter to open its properties. **Note:** If you find more adapters there you will need to do the same steps for all of them.



2. In the *Properties* window left click on the **Power Management** tab. Uncheck all checkboxes and click on **OK** to save changes.



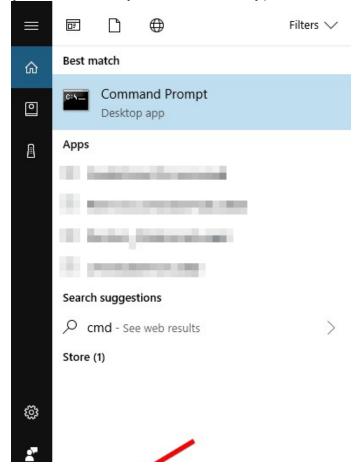


3. Check and see if you still have the same sleep mode issue now.

If you have any Network adapter problems, you can easily solve them by following the simple steps in this useful guide. Bookmark it to always be prepared for any adapter issues.

3. Use lastwake command

1. In the search box you have there you will need to type Cmd.







- 2. Press and hold the buttons **Ctrl, Shift** and **Enter** to start **Command Prompt** as administrator.
- 3. If you are prompted by a user account controls window left click or tap on the **Yes** button.
- 4. In the *Command Prompt* window you will need to write **powercfg –lastwake** and press **Enter** to run it.

Administrator: Command Prompt

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C:\WINDOWS\system32>powercfg -lastwake
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- 5. It will show you which device woke up your Windows 10 operating system last time.
- 6. Now write in the *Command Prompt* window the following command: **powercfg devicequery wake_armed** and press **Enter** to run it.

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C:\WINDOWS\system32>powercfg -devicequery wake_armed_
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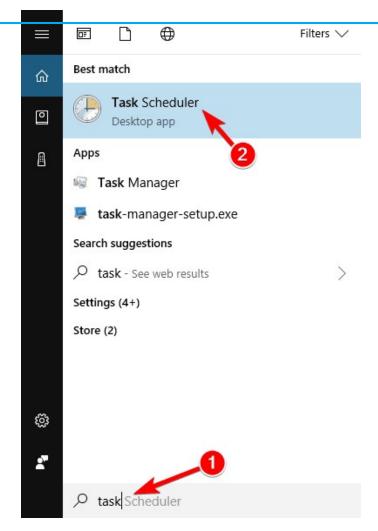
7. Now it will display the devices that can wake up your computer from sleep mode and you will only need to go and disable this feature as you did in the options above.

If you want to know all the Windows 10 shell commands, be sure to check out this useful article.

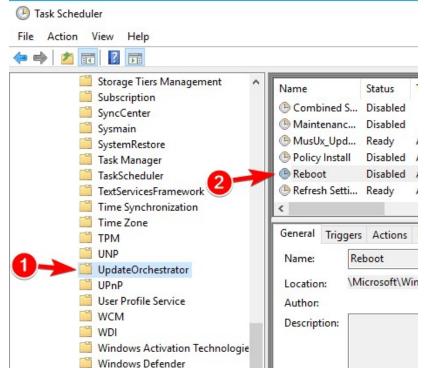
4. Check your scheduled tasks

If Windows 10 wakes from sleep, you might be able to fix the problem by checking your scheduled tasks. To do that, you just need to do the following:

1. Press **Windows Key + S** and enter **tasks**. Select **Task Scheduler** from the list of windows report results.

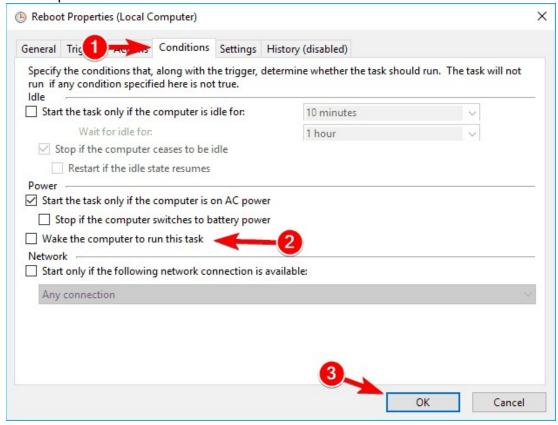


2. In the left pane, navigate to **Task Scheduler Library > Microsoft > Windows > UpdateOrchestrator**. In the right panel, double click on **Reboot**.



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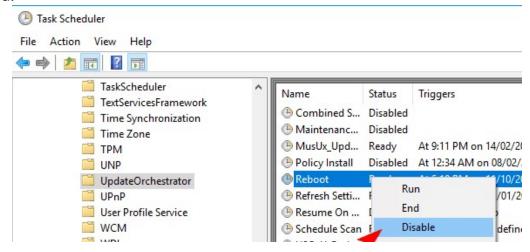
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3. When the new window opens, go to **Conditions** tab. Now uncheck **Wake the** computer to run this task option and click on **OK**. If you want, you can uncheck all other options as well.



Your user account doesn't have permission to disable a task in Task Scheduler? Don't worry, we've got you covered.

Some users are also suggesting to disable this task completely. To do that, just do the following:

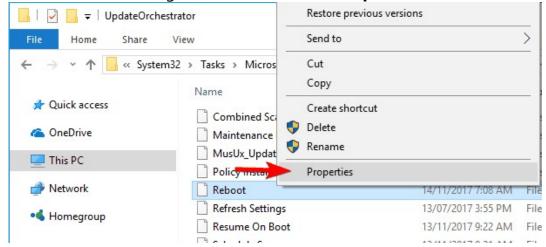
1. Locate **Reboot** task in *Task Scheduler*, right click it and choose **Disable** from the menu.



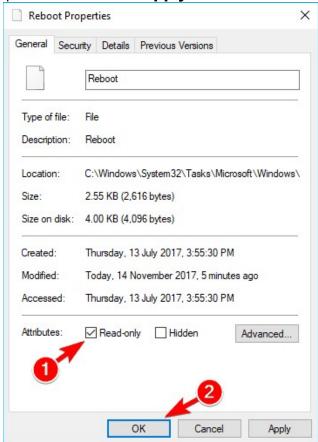


After doing that, go to
 C:\Windows\System32\Tasks\MicrosoftWindows\UpdateOrchestrator directory.

3. Now locate **Reboot** file, right click it and choose **Properties** from the menu.



4. Check **Read-only** option and click on **Apply** and **OK** to save changes.



Users reported that other tasks in **UpdateOrchestrator** section in Task Scheduler can cause this issue to appear. To fix the problem, navigate to **UpdateOrchestrator** in **Task Scheduler** and check the conditions of each task.

If any task is set to wake up your PC, be sure to disable the wake up option and check if that nelps. Fourth applications can also schedule their tasks, and users reported issues with **McAfee**, so if you're using this tool be sure to check its tasks and settings.

If you want to completely uninstall McAfee, check out this dedicated guide that will show you how to do it. If you're worried about leaving your PC unprotected, find out in this article why Windows Defender is the only malware protection you need.

Another task that can wake up your PC is **Media Center**. However, you can disable it by going to the **Task Scheduler Library > Microsoft > Windows** in **Task Scheduler**. Now select **Media Center** from the list and check all of its tasks.

If any task is set to wake up your PC, be sure to disable the wake up privilege for that task.

After you disable this task from waking up your PC, the issue should be resolved and your PC won't wake up on its own anymore.

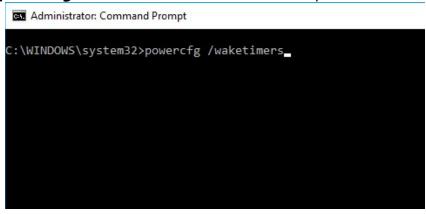
If you're looking for some Task Scheduler alternatives, take a look at this list with the best task scheduler software available today.

Task Scheduler isn't working on your Windows 10 PC? Solve the problem easily with the help of this awesome guide.

5. Use Command Prompt

If your Windows 10 wakes from sleep, you might have a task or application that is waking it automatically. However, you can check for applications that can wake up your PC by doing the following:

- Press Windows Key + X to open Win + X menu and choose Command Prompt (Admin) from the list.
- 2. Now enter **powercfg /waketimers** in *Command Prompt*.



3. Now you should see the list of apps that can wake up your PC. windows report



To stop your PC from waking up, simply find those apps and change their configuration or remove them from your PC. Users reported that **Verizon** apps, **Go To Meeting** app and **Teamweaver** can cause this problem, so be sure to disable them.

If you're having trouble accessing Command Prompt as an admin, then you better take a closer look on this guide.

6. Disable UvoSvc service

If your Windows 10 wakes from sleep frequently, the problem might be UsoSvc service. However, you can disable it by doing the following:

- 1. Open **Command Prompt** as administrator.
- 2. Enter the following commands:
 - ∘ sc stop "UsoSvc"
 - Administrator: Command Prompt

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C:\WINDOWS\system32>sc stop "UsoSvc"
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sc config "UsoSvc" start= disabled

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C:\WINDOWS\system32>sc config "UsoSvc" start= disabled_
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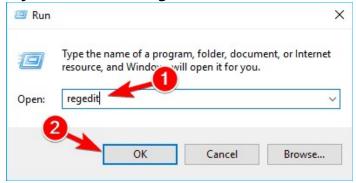
After running these two commands the issue should be resolved.

7. Modify your registry windows report

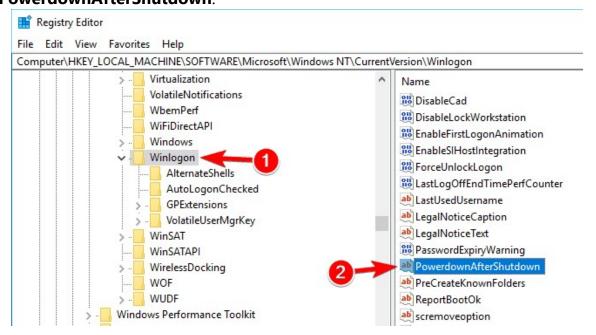


If Windows 10 wakes from sleep on its own, the problem might be related to your registry. However, you can fix it by doing the following:

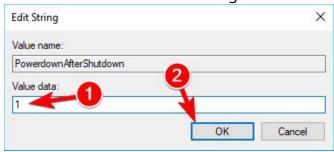
1. Press Windows Key + R and enter regedit. Press Enter or click OK.



In the left panel, navigate to
 HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows
 NT\CurrentVersion\Winlogon. In the right panel, double click
 PowerdownAfterShutdown.



3. Set Value data to 1 and click on OK to save changes.



After doing that, the problem should be completely resolved.

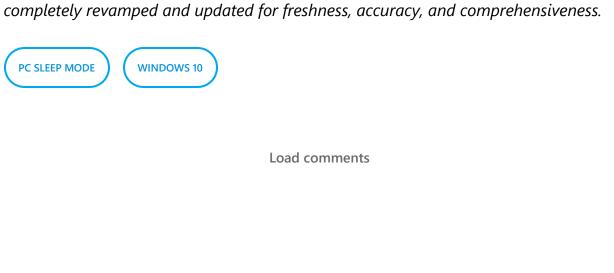
There you go, a few easy options that will fix your Windows 10 device and prevent the sleep mode feature from reacting like this. Also, we've covered the a similar subject regarding laptop sleep in this article, so be sure to check it out.

You can also write us below for any additional questions regarding this subject and we will help you in the shortest time possible.

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