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Registers .dll files as command components in the registry.

Syntax

```
regsvr32 [/u] [/s] [/n] [/i[:cmdline]] <Dllname>
```

Parameters

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Parameter	Description
/u	Unregisters server.
/s	Prevents displaying messages.
/n	Prevents calling **DllRegisterServer**. This parameter requires you to also use the **/i** parameter.
/i: `<cmdline>`	Passes an optional command-line string (*cmdline*) to **DllInstall**. If you use this parameter with the **/u** parameter, it calls **DllUninstall**.
`<Dllname>`	The name of the .dll file that will be registered.
/?	Displays help at the command prompt.

Examples

To register the .dll for the Active Directory Schema, type:

```
regsvr32 schmmgmt.dll
```

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