

IT Essentials 5.0

5.5.1.12 Lab - Use the System Restore Tool in Windows Vista

Introduction

Print and complete this lab.

In this lab, you will create a restore point and return your computer back to that point in time.

Recommended Equipment

The following equipment is required for this exercise:

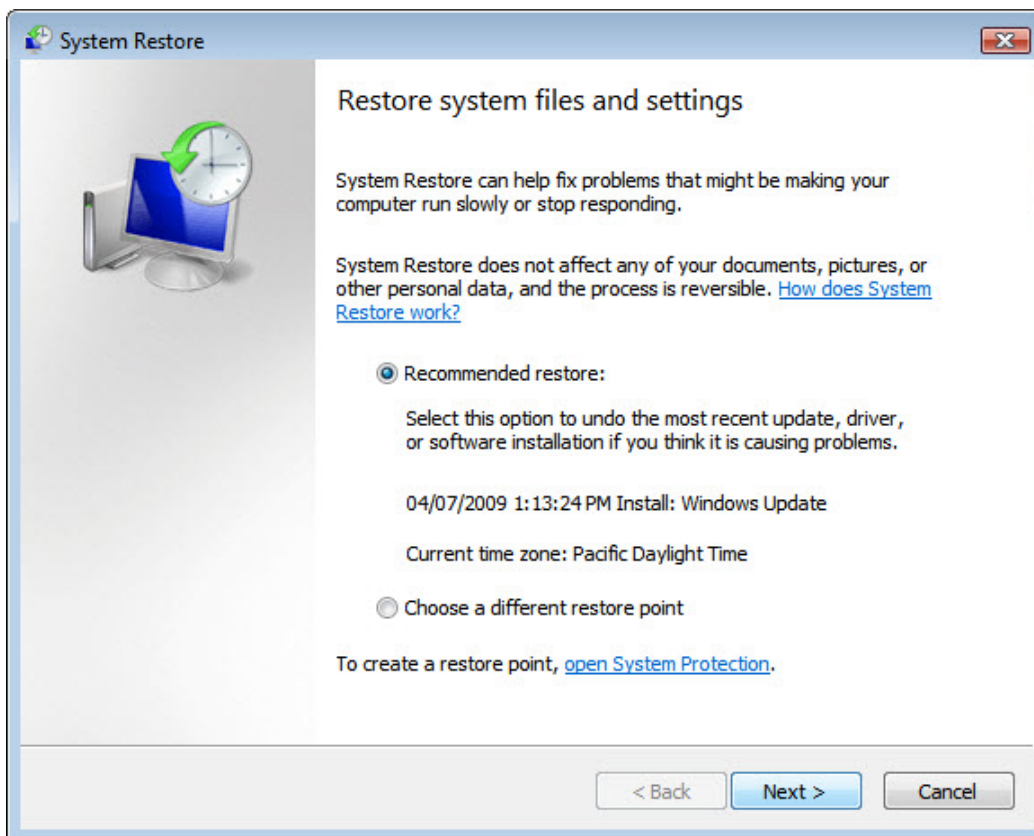
- A computer system running Windows Vista

Step 1

Click **Start > All Programs > Accessories > System Tools > System Restore**.

Click **Continue** if asked for permission.

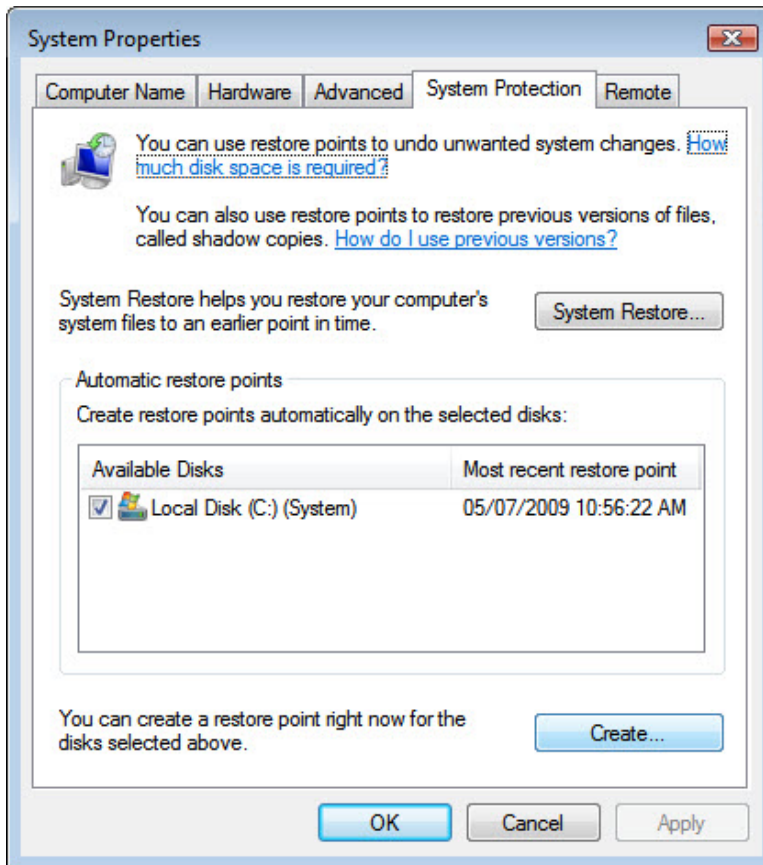
The “System Restore” window opens.



To create a restore point, click **open System Protection**.

Step 2

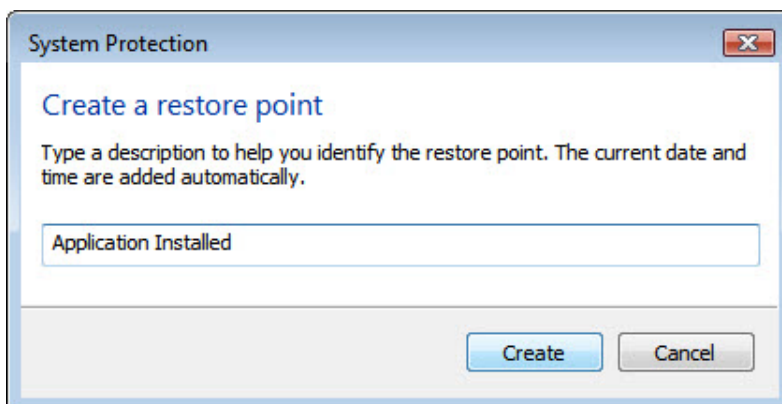
The “System Properties” window opens.



In the “System Protection” tab, click **Create**.

Step 3

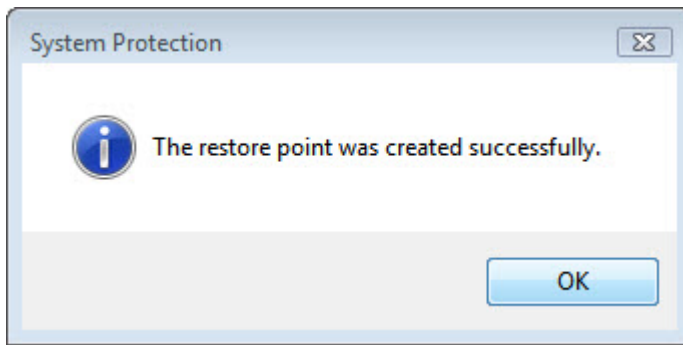
In the “Create a restore point” description field, type **Application Installed**.



Click **Create**.

Step 4

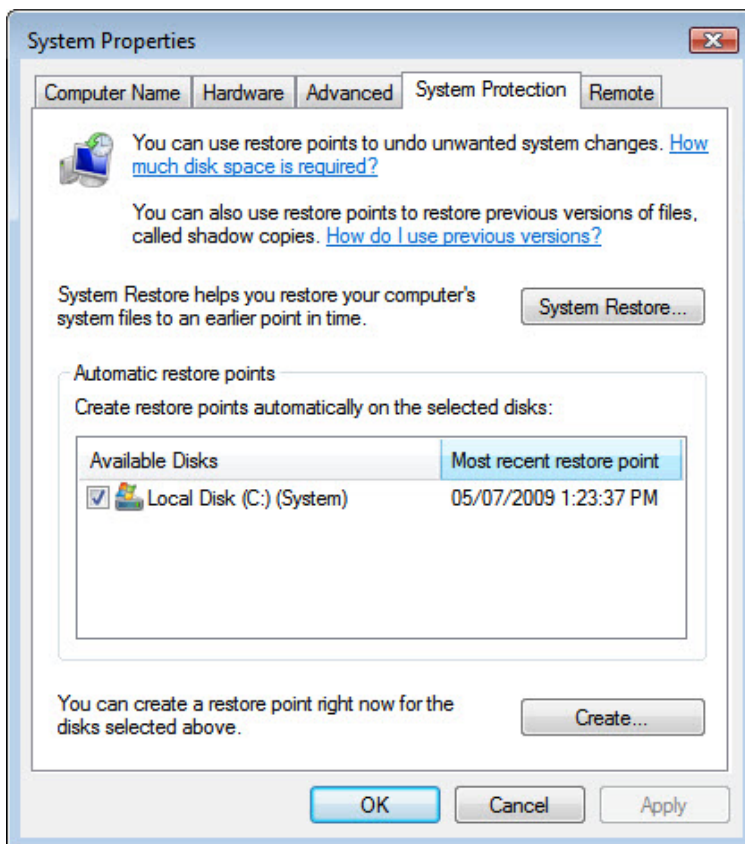
After a period of time, a “The restore point was created successfully” message appears.



Click **OK**.

Step 5

The "System Properties" window with the "System Protection" tab selected appears. Notice in "Available Disks" area the new date below "Most recent restore point".

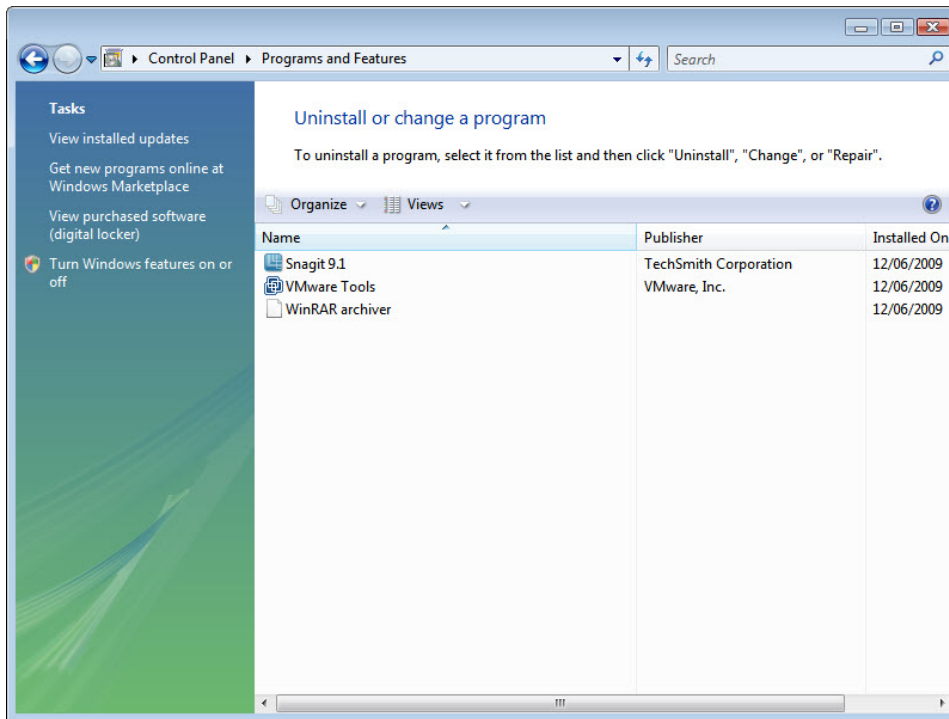


Click **OK**.

Close all open windows.

Step 6

Click **Start > Control Panel > Programs and Features**.



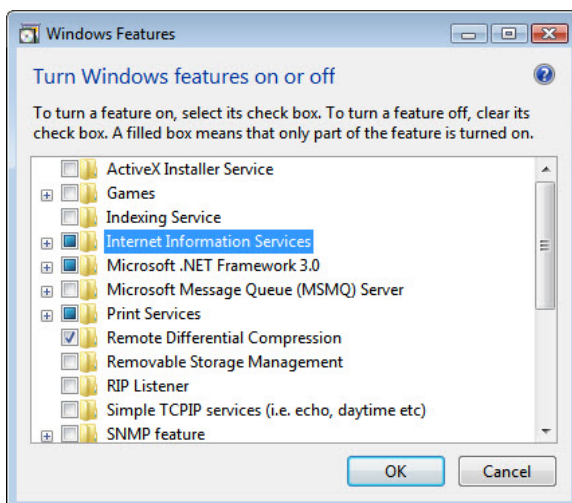
Click the **Turn Windows features on or off** link.

Click **Continue** if asked for permission.

Step 7

The "Windows Features" window opens.

Click the **Internet Information Services** checkbox.

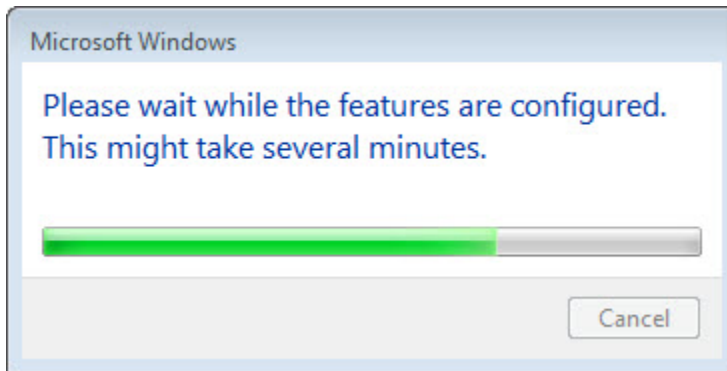


Click **OK**.

Step 8

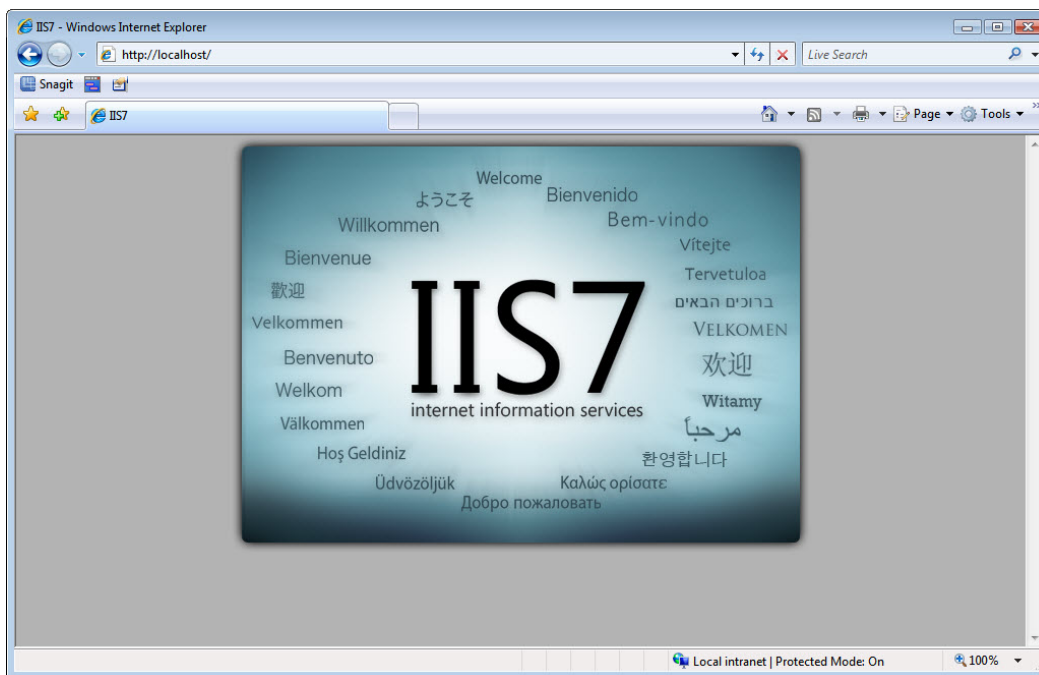
The configuring features progress window opens.

The progress windows will close on its own when the configuration is completed.

**Step 9**

When you navigate in a browser to localhost, you will see the new IIS default page.

Click **Start >** in **Start Search** type **http://localhost**.



Close the browser.

Step 10

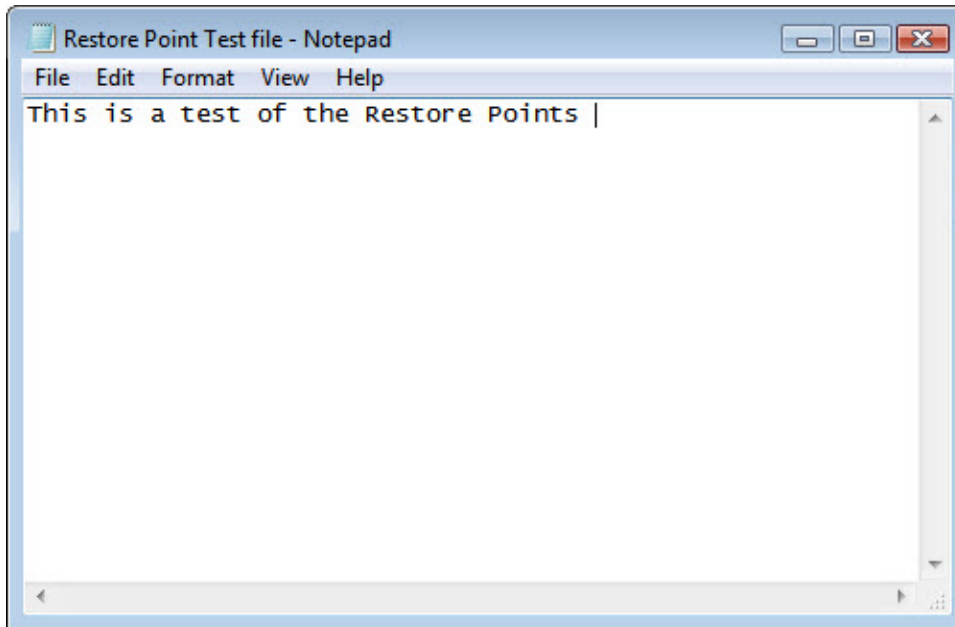
Open the Notepad application by clicking **Start > All Programs > Accessories > Notepad**.

Type **This is a test of the Restore Points** in the Notepad application.

Click **File > Save As....**

Click **Documents**.

Type **Restore Point Test file** in the "File Name:" field.



Click **Save**.

Click **File > Exit**.

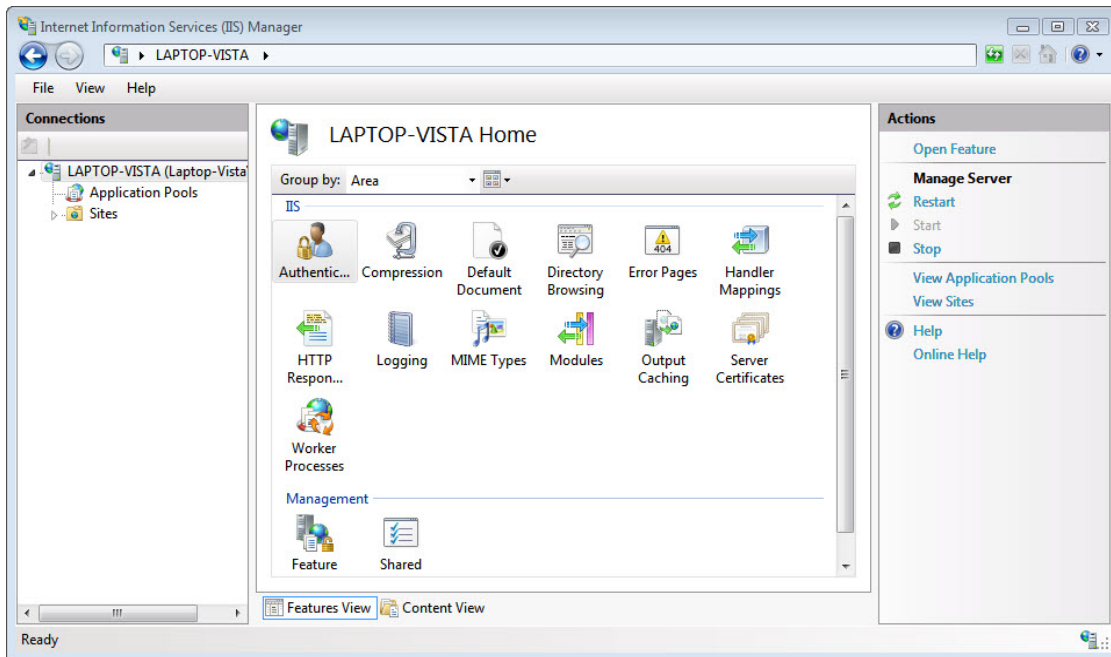
Step 11

Open IIS to confirm that you have successfully installed this service.

Click **Start > All Programs > Administrative Tools > IIS Manager**.

Click **Continue** if asked for permission.

The "Internet Information Services (IIS) Manager" window opens.



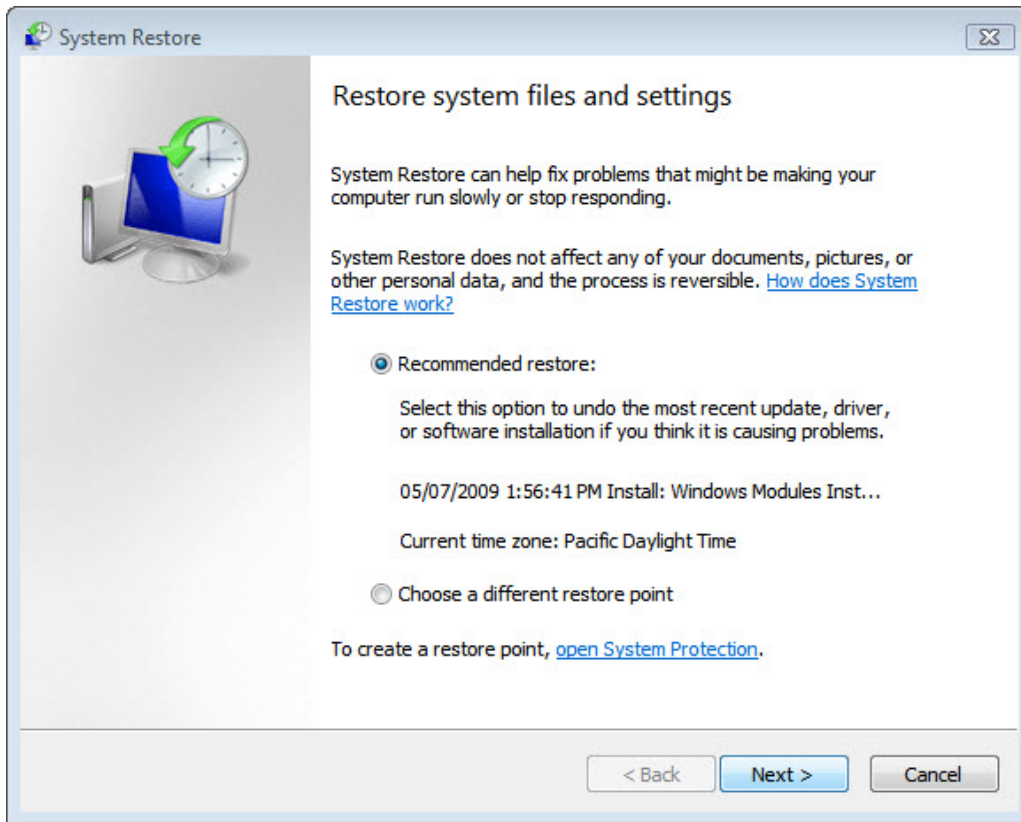
Click **File > Exit**.

Step 12

Click **Start > All Programs > Accessories > System Tools > System Restore**.

Click **Continue** if asked for permission.

Select the **Recommended restore** radio button.

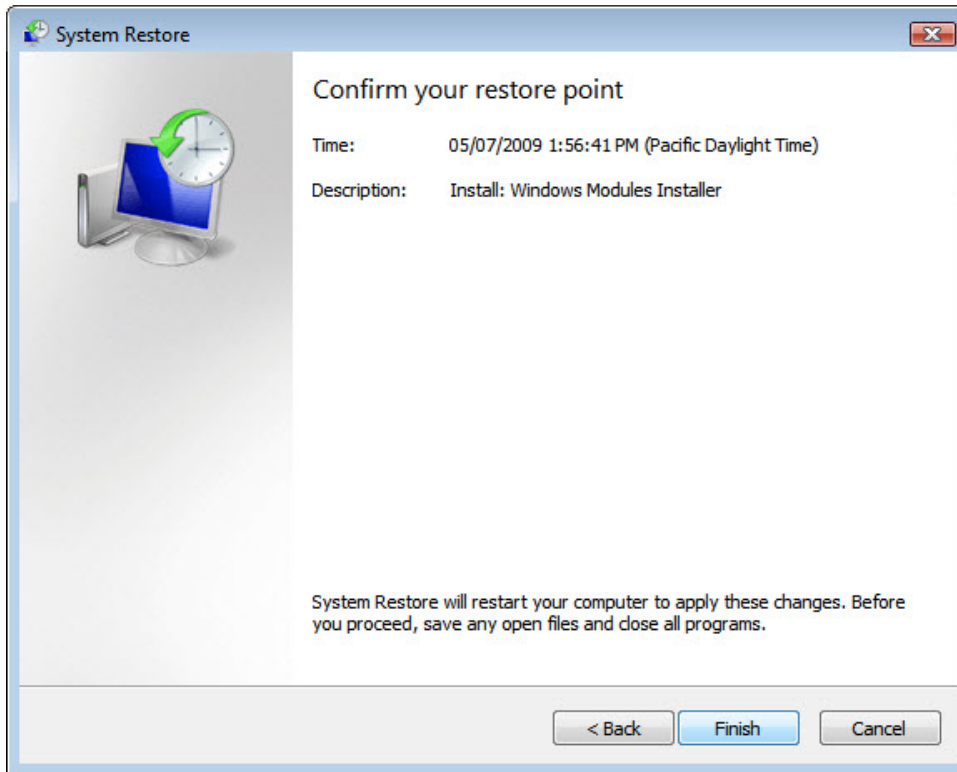


Click **Next**.

Step 13

The “Confirm your restore point” window appears.

NOTE: When you click Finish, Windows will restart the computer. Close all applications before you click Finish.



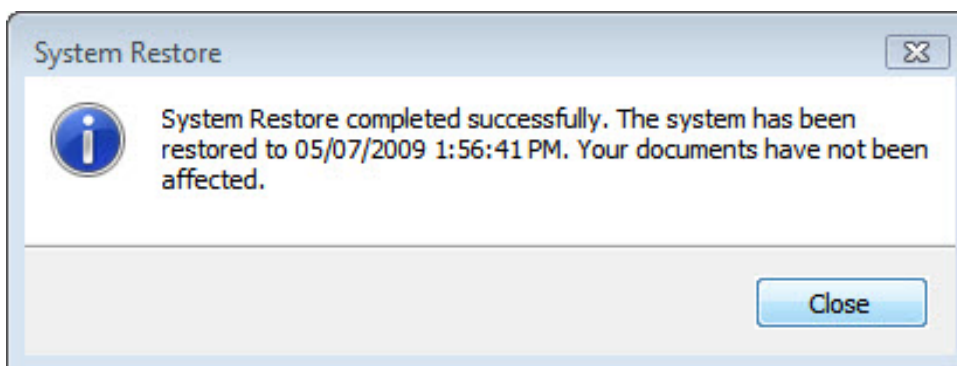
Click **Finish**.

Click **Yes** to confirm "System Restore".

The operating system restores to the point before the IIS application was installed. This can take several minutes to complete.

Step 14

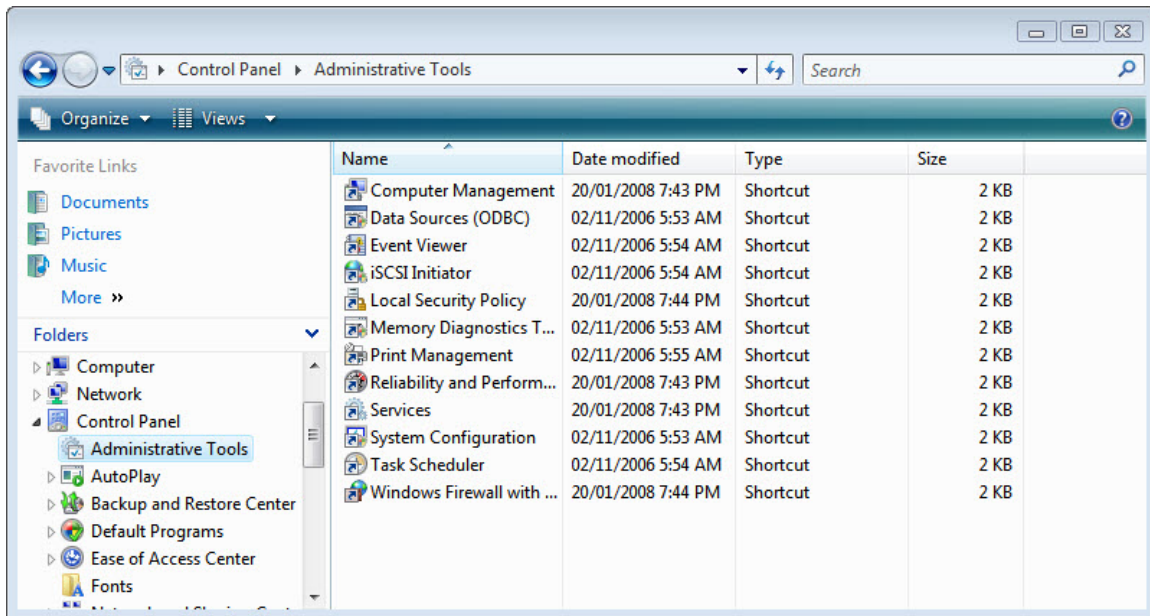
The "Restoration Complete" window opens.



Click **Close**.

Step 15

Click **Start > Control Panel > Administrative Tools**.

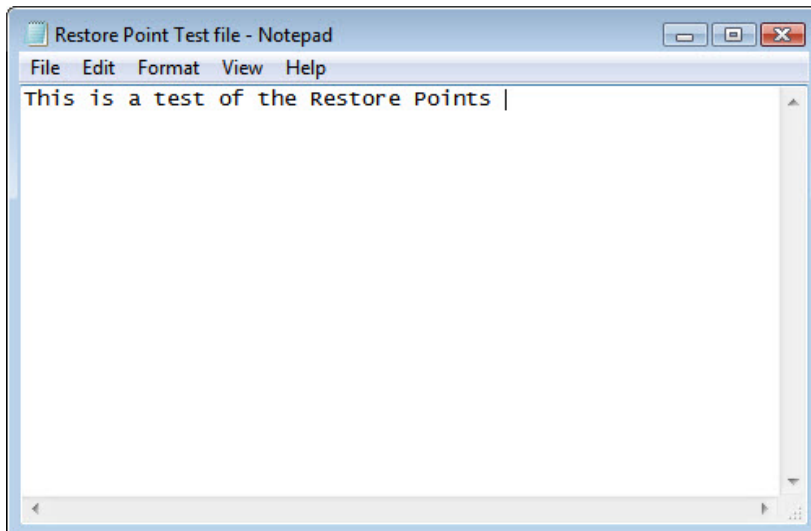


Is the IIS Manager application listed?

Step 16

Navigate to the "Documents" folder.

Open the "Restore Point Test file.txt" file.



Are the contents the same?