How to Fix 0x80245004 Windows Update Error

Error code 0x80245004 is a Windows Update error that typically occurs when there are issues with the Windows Update components or configuration. To fix this error, you can try the following solutions:

- 1. Restart your computer: Sometimes, a simple restart can resolve temporary issues with Windows Update. Restart your computer and try running Windows Update again.
- 2. Run Windows Update troubleshooter: Windows provides a built-in troubleshooter that can automatically detect and fix common Windows Update issues. Follow these steps:
 - a. Press the Windows key + I to open the Settings app.
 - b. Click on "Update & Security" and then select "Troubleshoot" from the left menu.
 - c. Under "Get up and running," click on "Windows Update" and then click on "Run the troubleshooter."
 - d. Follow the on-screen instructions and let the troubleshooter detect and fix any issues it finds.
- 3. Reset Windows Update components: If the troubleshooter doesn't resolve the issue, you can try resetting the Windows Update components. To do this, you'll need to run a series of commands in an elevated Command Prompt. Follow these steps:
 - a. Press the Windows key, type "Command Prompt," right-click on it, and select "Run as administrator."
 - b. In the Command Prompt window, type the following commands one by one, pressing Enter after each command:

net stop wuauserv

net stop cryptSvc

net stop bits

net stop msiserver

ren C:\Windows\SoftwareDistribution SoftwareDistribution.old

ren C:\Windows\System32\catroot2 catroot2.old
net start wuauserv
net start cryptSvc
net start bits
net start msiserver

- c. After running these commands, close the Command Prompt and restart your computer.
- 4. Check available disk space: Ensure that you have enough free disk space on your system drive. Windows Update requires sufficient space to download and install updates. If your drive is running low on space, consider freeing up some space by deleting unnecessary files or transferring them to an external storage device.
- 5. Temporarily disable antivirus software: Sometimes, antivirus or security software can interfere with Windows Update. Temporarily disable your antivirus software and then try running Windows Update again. If the error is resolved, consider adding an exception for Windows Update in your antivirus settings or switching to a different antivirus program.
- 6. Perform a clean boot: Performing a clean boot can help identify and resolve software conflicts that may be interfering with Windows Update. Here's how to do it:
 - a. Press the Windows key + R to open the Run dialog box.
 - b. Type "msconfig" (without quotes) and press Enter.
 - c. In the System Configuration window, go to the "Services" tab and check the "Hide all Microsoft services" box.
 - d. Click on "Disable all" to disable all non-Microsoft services.
 - e. Go to the "Startup" tab and click on "Open Task Manager."
 - f. In the Task Manager window, disable all startup items by right-clicking on each item and selecting "Disable."
 - g. Close the Task Manager and go back to the System Configuration window. Click on "OK."
 - h. Restart your computer and try running Windows Update again.

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