



Backburner 2008.2 (IPv6 only) Readme

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IPv6 Maintenance Update

3ds Max/3ds Max Design 2009 can now submit jobs to an IPv6 only Backburner network. You need the Autodesk 3ds Max/3ds Max Design 2009 SP1 update and this Backburner 2008.2 update for this to be possible.

WARNING: If you **are not** working on an **IPv6 only** network and you install Backburner 2008.2, the network rendering in 3ds Max/3ds Max Design and in Backburner will be unusable. If you **are** working on an **IPv6 only** network, you need to confirm that all of the conditions on the checklist in [Before Installing Autodesk Backburner 2008.2](#) are met before installing Backburner 2008.2. Please note that Backburner 2008.2 has **no other updates, features, or bug fixes**. Only install the Backburner 2008.2 update if you are running an IPv6 only network.

This specific maintenance update version of Backburner is only supported in an IPv6 only network; all machines must only have IPv6 installed and not IPv4.

Before Installing Autodesk Backburner 2008.2

Confirm all of the following before attempting to install Autodesk Backburner 2008.2:

- Your network is an IPv6 only network.
- You have uninstalled previous versions of Autodesk Backburner. (See [Uninstalling Previous Versions of Autodesk Backburner](#).)
- You have cleaned your Backburner registry. (See [Cleaning the Backburner Registry](#).)
- You have already installed Autodesk 3ds Max/3ds Max Design 2009 SP1.

Uninstalling Previous Versions of Autodesk Backburner

Backburner 2008.2 is IPv6 only, and as such does not support previous IPv4 Backburner plug-ins or IPv4 connections to managers, monitors, servers and clients. This includes all IPv4 installations of Backburner and 3ds Max. Backburner 2008.2 is, however, supported by 3ds Max 2009/3ds Max Design 2009 SP1.

If you are migrating a machine to an IPv6 network and that machine has an existing install of Backburner, you must uninstall that Backburner prior to installing Backburner 2008.2.

Cleaning the Backburner Registry

It is strongly recommended that you clean the Backburner registry prior to beginning the 2008.2 installation.

To clean the registry:

1. From the Start menu, select Run.
2. Type "regedit" and click OK to run the registry editor.
3. Browse to the *HKLM\Software\Autodesk\backburner* folder on a 32-bit OS. For a 64-bit OS, browse to *HKLM\Software\Wow6432Node\Autodesk\backburner*.
4. If this folder does not exist, your machine is ready for installing Backburner 2008.2. Skip the remaining steps for cleaning your Backburner registry.

5. You may wish to back up this registry tree prior to deleting it. To do so, right-click on the folder and select Export from the menu. Specify a filename to which you wish to save these registries and click OK. If in the future you wish to reinstall these keys, locate the saved .reg file, and double click it to reinstall the exported registry keys.
6. Delete the backburner registry folder.

Your machine is now ready to begin the Backburner 2008.2 installation.

Installing Autodesk Backburner 2008.2

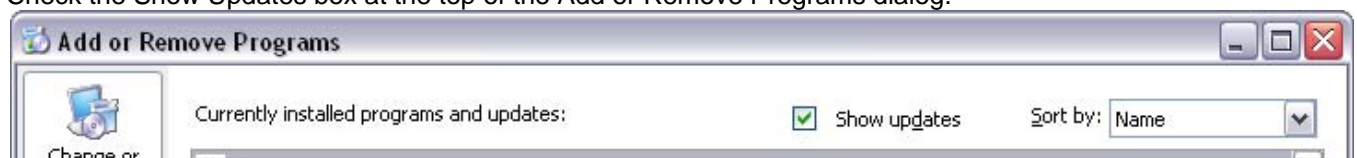
Before installing Autodesk Backburner 2008.2, confirm all of the conditions are met in [Before Installing Autodesk Backburner 2008.2](#). You must be logged in to the system as an administrator in order to install the Autodesk Backburner 2008.2:

1. Download and unzip *backburner2008.2.0_263.zip*.
2. Double-Click the *backburner.exe* file to launch the installer.
3. Click Next when prompted.
4. Click Finish to complete the install.

Uninstalling Backburner v2008.2:

Windows XP®

1. Double-click the Add or Remove Programs icon found within Start > Settings > Control Panel.
2. Check the Show Updates box at the top of the Add or Remove Programs dialog.



3. Select **Autodesk Backburner 2008.2**.
4. Click Remove.

Windows Vista®

1. Open Programs and Features found in Start > Control Panel.
2. Click View Installed Updates.
3. Select **Autodesk Backburner 2008.2**.
4. Click Uninstall.

Known Issues in Backburner 2008.2

BACKBURNER

- All previous versions of Backburner must be removed before installing Backburner 2008.2. This version is not compatible with any other version of Backburner.
- Backburner 2008.2 can only run under an IPv6 **only** network and is not compatible with any other versions of Backburner. All previous versions must be uninstalled prior to installing 2008.2.
- Backburner 2008.2 does not support automatically searching IPv6 networks for Backburner managers. You must specify the manager by machine name or IPv6 IP. This includes the Network Job Assignment dialog, the server and the monitor.

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- You cannot use any Autodesk 3ds Max/3ds Max Design 2009 features that require internet access (such as Customer Involvement Program (CIP), Customer Error Reports (CER), InfoCenter, and Autodesk License Manager (ADLM)) with Backburner 2008.2, since these features require IPv4.
- If you need to disable IPv4 and you register online, it is suggested you authorize 3ds Max/3ds Max Design before you disable IPv4.
- Autodesk offers a version of the network license tool LMTOOLS that supports IPv6. It is available at: www.autodesk.com/lmtools.

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