

# Knowledge Base Article

**Product Group:** Multilog On-Line Systems

**Product:** WMx

**Version:** N/A

## Abstract

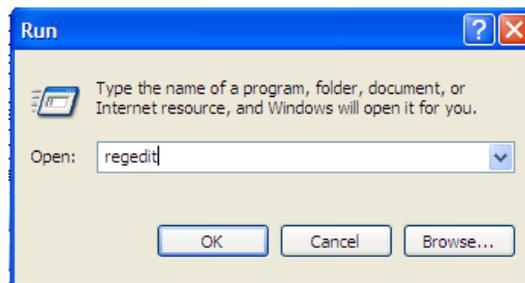
This article provides instructions on how to disable the sound in a SKF Multilog WMx after a POINT goes into alarm.

## Overview

There are two ways to disable the sound in a WMx after a POINT goes into alarm. Follow either procedure below to accomplish this.

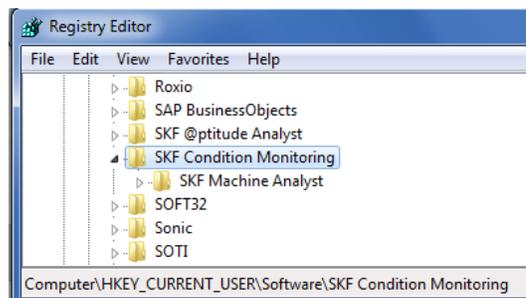
### Manually Editing the Registry

1. Open the Registry Editor by clicking on **Start > Run**, then typing in “regedit” in the text box. [Figure 1.1]



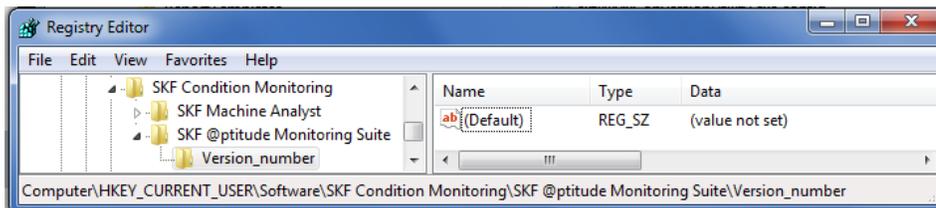
**Figure 1.1.** Opening Registry Editor

2. Expand **HKEY\_CURRENT\_USER**, then **Software**, then **SKF Condition Monitoring**. [Figure 1.2]



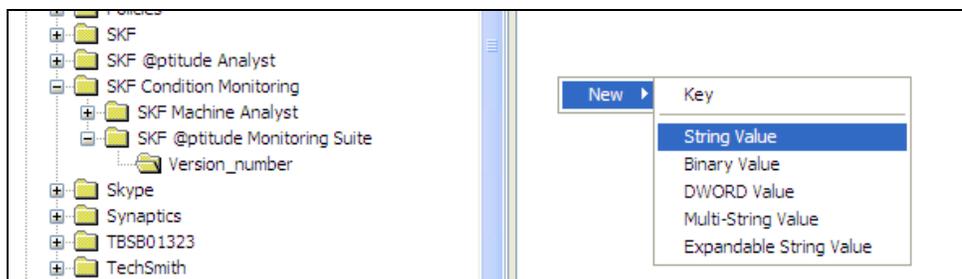
**Figure 1.2.** Navigating to SKF folders

3. Right-click on **SKF Condition Monitoring** and select **New > Key**, then type “SKF @ptitude Monitoring Suite.”
4. Next, right-click **SKF @ptitude Monitoring Suite** and select **New > Key**, then type “Version\_number.” [Figure 1.3]



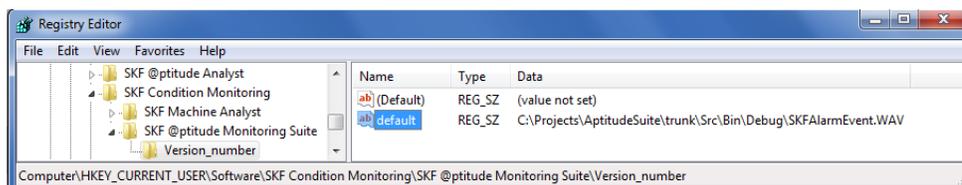
**Figure 1.3.** Adding new Key

5. Right-click anywhere in the white area on the right window and select **New > String Value**. [Figure 1.4]



**Figure 1.4.** Adding new String

6. Type the name as “default.”
7. Double-click on the new string and type in the Value data as:  
“C:\Projects\AptitudeSuite\trunk\Src\Bin\Debug\SKFAlarmEvent.WAV”  
[Figure 1.5]



**Figure 1.5.** Adding string value data

- Exit from the Registry Editor and log in to SKF @ptitude Analyst. Now, when a WMx POINT goes into alarm, the system should not beep.

### Automatically Add the Registry Key Using the Key Provided

- Click on the attachment named “Disabling sound when WMx points go into alarm.reg” which is located to the right of this article in the **Attachments** section. [Figure 2.1] Save the attachment to a local computer when prompted.

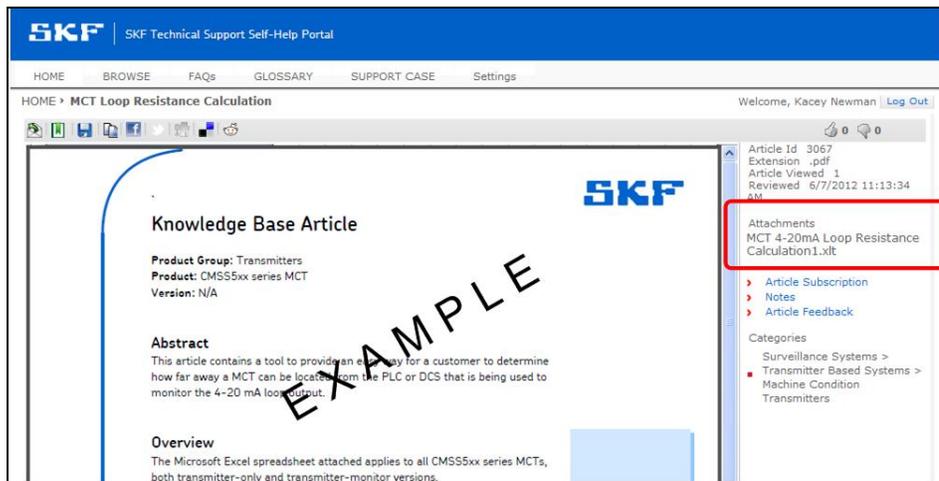


Figure 2.1. Attachments

- Double-click on the file to automatically add the key to the Registry.
- Delete the .reg file from the local computer and log in to SKF @ptitude Analyst. Now, when a WMx POINT goes into alarm, the system should not beep.

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