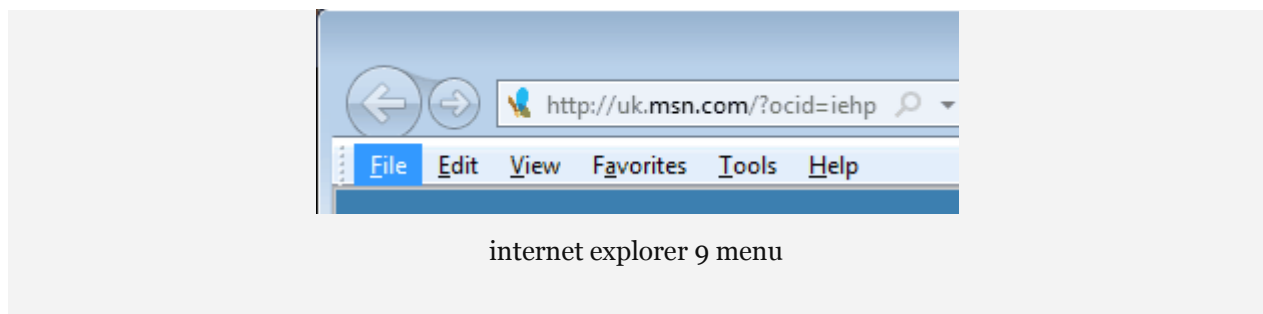


WHERE OH WHERE HAS THE MENU BAR GONE IN IE9???

Browser developers all seem to have found that a new minimalism design wise works best for their browsers. The menu elements are reduced throughout the bank, which leads to criticism of users who do not want to miss those items. Good developers make the changes optional, so that users have a choice. Bad ones force the changes upon the user, with no option to go back.

[Internet Explorer 9 Beta](#) has several of those changes. One of them is that the menu bar is hidden by default. The menu bar contains the File, Edit, View, Favorites, Tools and Help [menu items](#) which have been part of the Internet Explorer ever since it was introduced.

Thankfully though, there is an option to display the bar temporarily by pressing the Alt key on the computer keyboard.



The menu bar that is displayed this way is only temporarily visible (it disappears after the next click or if the browser window is out of focus) and below the other header controls.

HERE IS HOW TO ALWAYS SHOW THE MENU BAR WITHOUT CHANGING YOUR REGISTRY.

Right-click an open space to the right of the **New tab** button, and then select a bar from the dropdown menu.

