

## Re: Crash WindowsXP pro

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The six floppies only provide a way for a user whose system cannot boot from a CD-ROM drive to begin setup by booting from the floppy drive. Ultimately, you would still need to access the CD-ROM drive. There is a means of starting the recovery console with the floppy disks but that function when begun from the floppies is quite limited.

You might try using System Restore, it can be invoked from a command prompt. In other words, you would boot the system, start tapping F8, when the menu appears, you would select Command Prompt and press enter, then follow the directions in the Knowledge Base Article for beginning System Restore and see if it can take you back to a time before this began:

<http://support.microsoft.com/?kbid=304449>

Are you quite sure the issue is Easy CD Creator, what version did you install? Problems with this software should not prevent booting from the CD-ROM drive as this is outside the XP environment. This issue and error you describe can be any number of hardware related issues. Also, booting from a DOS boot floppy is useless if your system is using NTFS as opposed to the FAT 32 file system as once booted from that disk you cannot read an NTFS partition.

Given the things you have tried and failed, you are getting close to either needing the help of a shop or formatting and starting over and because the error is indicative of some hardware issue, formatting which in this case would require deleting the partition, creating a new one and formatting the drive may not resolve the issue.

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"nedsully7949" <nedsully7949@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:7C483FCC-DA12-4CF6-90BB-F5E3A21B66D3@microsoft.com...

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> I've tried all possibilities...no go.I have tried to download 6 floppy
> disks
> of system restore with no luck. I've made a bootdisk from my other PC
> running
> XP... no go.I feel that if I had either a floppy or a cd with commands
> that
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> would uninstall easy cd creator or make the necessary changes to the  
> registry(or allow me access to regedit so I could make nec changes I would  
> then be OK. Any Ideas???)  
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> "mtjoyhero" wrote:  
>  
>> Have you tried to boot into safe mode or Last known good config? Hit f8  
>> at  
>> startup to bring up a menu for these choices.  
>>  
>> Jeff S  
>>  
>> "nedsully7949" wrote