

## SP2 crash – laptop reboots

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I did the SP2 and my laptop hung half way thru the install, so I was forced to reboot. I tried the SP2 a second time and it hung again but now the laptop goes thru an endless reboot cycle. If I select safe mode, normal or anything, it attempts to load xp but briefly pops up a blue screen (so fast can't view) and reboots and I can not go any further.

I can not find my windows xp home edition cd that it came with, I do have/own a full licensed copy of XP Pro (not upgrade version). I just want my data files and than will install my full license copy on the laptop. Is it possible to install XP Pro Full on my laptop without reformatting my existing hard drive. When I attempted to do, the only choice given is to wipe existing hard drive and install new, is there a work around or am I missing a step. Thank you in advance