

Re: Cant restart in Safe Mode

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Hi,

This generally has to do with the master boot record. Try checking your bios boot settings, set to CD rom and then enter the recovery console and run: fixboot and/or fixmbr. Believe it or not as of late the last three systems brought in here with these exact systems, removing the jumper from the hard drive booted everything right up as normal. Go figure! :o)

Good luck and please keep us posted.

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All the Best,
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"ShadySoldier" <ShadySoldier@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message <news:979AC8C8-C4A8-4AB0-9D71-4684F979C9E8@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

> When i try to restart in safe mode it dosnt work. When the computer is
> starting i press F8, go to Start in Safe mode and then it displays these
> drivers and stuff, then the computer restarts, then it says. "We apologize
> for the inconvenience but windows did not start succussfully. A recent
> hardware or software change might have caused this." Under that it has the
> start windows options and if i go to safe mdoe the same thing happens
> again.

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- *References:*
 - ◆ *Cant restart in Safe Mode*
 - ◇ *From:* ShadySoldier

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