

Re: Reimage new HD

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Hi Rock,

I think it is worth a try. I do have an external HD so I have all my data plus the Norton Ghost image.

I just think I can reimage it to my new HD and it shouldn't have the defects in it.

I hope I am right?

As I said the recovery disks seem to create a lot of things going wrong.

I don't have on this install:

1- the remove hardware notice when you disconnect a external HD

2- I don't get that Winlogin in Event Viewer to see the log files

3- MS Recovery Console doesn't work.

The Chkdsk /F problem I think is because of the MFT Bitmap errors.

On Wed, 17 Jan 2007 20:11:49 -0800, "Rock" <rock@xxxxxxxxx> wrote:

"RScotti" wrote

Hi,

I am going to have my hard drive replaced because of read/write errors in the MFT bitmap

and because I can't run Chkdsk /F.

I have Norton Ghost 10. and made an image of my configuration.

After they put in the new HD in is it safe to re image it with my present configuration of Windows or do I have to start all over again?

I have a big problem with the HP Recovery disks and (I think) they are nor being read correctly.

Every time I used them there are always three or four thing wrong with the installation.

Try it to find out. Laying the image back down won't take long. If it works, ok, if not then do a clean install. You should still be able to restore the data files from the image. I don't think it will work but it's worth a shot.

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I would make sure I had redundancy in data backup. Copy essential files to CD and/or flash drive.

Have a good day,
RScotti

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