

Re: NTFS.sys bsod

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"[BnH]" <b18[at]ii[dot]net> wrote:

>Hi all,

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>I am new to this group and wonder if there is anyone came across this
>problem.

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>I basically have a machine , XP SP2 latest patch etc. Was using 256mb RAM
>then upgraded to 2x 256 + 1x 512 to 1 GB .

>After sticking the RAM in, the machine goes into rebooting and never able to
>load windows.

At least some of the new RAM is probably defective. Try doing the RAM change 1 stick at a time, and test the machine each time. When the rebooting problem appears then the last module you added is the suspect.

Then try removing all of the RAM except the suspect module and try the computer with just that one module by itself.

If this does not confirm that the module is defective then the problem may be with the motherboard, with one of the RAM slots being damaged or defective.

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>I then remove the crashing HDD to a fresh system that already has Win XP SP2
>| 2000 SP4 running.

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>Everytime I tried to boot that machine with the sick HDD as 2nd master , it
>always reboot.

>And then I put the sick HDD into an enclosure and when I connect it ,
>somehow when windows traverse the connect, it Reboots again.

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>Tried using XP Repair procedure using the CD, no joy as when it is halfway
>into the Repair it reboots.

>Using Win2K recovery diskette , also no go as when the 4th disk is put in,

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>it crashes with random error.

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>I was wondering if anyone has any idea on how to extract the data off that

>HDD.

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Start by getting the drive diagnostic utility (free) from the hard drive manufacturer's web site. Usually this will create a bootable 3.5 inch diskette.

Connect the problem hard drive as the primary IDE master, make sure the BIOS is configured to boot from the 3.5 diskette drive first, and boot the computer with the hard drive diagnostic diskette.

Good luck

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