

Re: Boot to XP Pro from CD?

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If you have some technical experience and interest, this would be a place to start:

<http://www.nu2.nu/pebuilder/>

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: Hi everyone

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: A friend has just had a boot failure with Windows 2000 and his problem has

: prompted me to ask what I'd do if I couldn't boot my laptop. I recall in

: the older systems, it was possible to create (or get hold of) floppies from

: which it was possible to boot the computer. Is it possible to create such a

: CD from my current laptop which has XP Pro SP2? I don't have an original XP

: Pro SP2 installation disc because the laptop came with a recovery disc from

: the manufacturer. I anticipate that this will reinstall the OS (XP Pro SP1)

: and overwrite my data. I would hope that if I had a system failure but

: could boot the system from a CD, I should be able to access my files and may

: be able to investigate the problem.

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: Thanks for your time and patience!

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