

RE: XP won't shut down anymore

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Seth,

You probably want to start from updating your BIOS and drivers (Check Compaq web site for downloads).

Then clean some background applications:

How to optimize Windows XP, 2000, ME
for the best performance (Step-by-step Visual Guide):
<http://www.fixyourwindows.com>

Good Luck!

"Seth W" wrote:

- > *Upgraded my older Compaq Presario running Win98 to XP Pro*
- > *and I've lost much of my power management. Standby is no*
- > *longer an option and the system hangs when shutting down –*
- > *sitting at the "Windows is shutting down" screen.*
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- > *I've run the Windows XP hotfix for system shutdown*
- > *problems, ACPI is enabled in the BIOS (although it does*
- > *not show up in my System Devices), APM is enabled. Not*
- > *sure what else to do. Any suggestions?*
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