

xp reinstall

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I followed instructions for install and clean install, I am still having problems for instance; on startup I get msg "cannot find bios from diskette or harddrive".

In addition it won't boot at all sometimes, crashes when I try to install software, beeps incessantly on startup, and there is a white setup scan line at the bottom of the screen on boot up. Now it's just dead. Good you advise please.

I should let you know I do not have an internet connection right now, could this be part of the problem?