

Re: installing Windows XP- correction

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Download the driver(s) from the Maxtor website and make a new floppy. Maxtor may have made changes since SP2 was released. Or the original diskette may be defective. The website should have instructions.

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Colin Barnhorst [MVP Windows - Virtual Machine]
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"senor dobyns" <senor dobyns@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
news:3269CC4A-D23E-4925-85E9-9AAF1A607B32@microsoft.com...
> Don't mean to but in, but I am trying to build a new computer and yes I
> have
> a SATA drive and after hitting f6 the windows cd starts loading and then
> asks
> for the floppy with the driver, which I got from Maxtor. I insert the
> disk I
> then get the following, oh by the way I had just purchased the window xp
> home
> edition with sp2 version 2002 which is OEM. The message I get is: file
> txtsetup.oem caused error 4096 line 1742
> d:\xpsprtm\base\boot\setup\oemdisk.c. Any words of advice?
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> "Colin Barnhorst" wrote:
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>> I don't use SCSI drives, so I will defer to others, but the behavior is
>> as
>> though the BIOS settings are not right. Go to the motherboard
>> manufacturer's website and find the support link and email their tech's
>> for
>> the correct BIOS settings. Be prepared to provide some technical details
>> on
>> the hardware.
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>> Colin Barnhorst [MVP Windows - Virtual Machine]
>> (Reply to the group only unless otherwise requested)
>> "robin" <robin@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
>> news:2115A726-82E2-460F-BCB4-937EC507B435@microsoft.com...
>> > correction it is an SCSI drive. I guess what you just wrote will apply
>> > to
>> > the
>> > SCSI drivers also right? I dont have the driver disk for it. I went to
>> > Seagate's website and they said they dont have a such thing as drivers
>> > for
>> > their hard drive. Do you have any suggestions?
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>> > "robin" wrote:
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>> >> it's an ide drive.
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>> >> It will allow me to boot into windows but when I am able to format the
>> >> drive
>> >> during the installation, it tells me the drives are not there.
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>> >> "Colin Barnhorst" wrote:
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>> >> > If your drive is a SATA drive you probably need to supply the driver
>> >> > diskette. Early in the first phase of the installation you will see
>> >> > at
>> >> > the
>> >> > bottom of the screen a message to press F6 to provide additional
>> >> > drivers.
>> >> > You will only have a few seconds. The message is displayed while
>> >> > other
>> >> > things are going on in the main area of the screen, so watch for it.
>> >> > Without giving the installer the driver for your SATA hard disk
>> >> > controller,
>> >> > Windows will never find your drive.
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>> >> > Colin Barnhorst [MVP Windows - Virtual Machine]
>> >> > (Reply to the group only unless otherwise requested)
>> >> > "robin" <robin@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
>> >> > news:6A4CA77A-ABB1-4BCC-9545-744C1A90ACD7@microsoft.com...
>> >> > >I am trying to install Xp. I am able to boot off of the cd and that
>> >> > >all
>> >> > >works
>> >> > > fine but when I get ready to format the drive it says that is cant
>> >> > > find
>> >> > > the
>> >> > > hard disk and terminate the installation. I know that's not
>> >> > > accurate
>> >> > > because
>> >> > > I am able to boot up in to the previous copy of windows and it
>> >> > > works
>> >> > > like
>> >> > > a
>> >> > > charm. I even tried using 2 different disk and still the same
>> >> > > problem. Can
>> >> > > you help me?
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