

# Re: hard drive partitioning

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- > My new computer came with XP preinstalled. So I do not have any
- > Windows Disks. I was only able to create a recovery disk.
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- > XP partitioned my 40 GB hard drive into a 37 gb "C" drive and a 5 GB
- > "D" drive. I want a smaller "C" drive and increase the "D" drive and
- > possibly add a small "E" drive. I will be using an external drive for
- > storage. I have attempted to find the "Set up" portion of XP with no
- > success
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- > How do I partition, since XP does not offer FDISK ?????

It's just as well that WinXP does not offer fdisk.exe – it would destroy your existing partitions while doing its job!

Acronis Disk Director is another product you could use to repartition your disk.

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• *References:*

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