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Or can you press F8 on boot and select "Repair your computer" to get in the Recovery PE?

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Aura - December 26, 2014, 4:54 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 05:53 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yes I can, I tried doing the windows repair method, and tried system restore. Didn't work.

You'll open the command prompt from Recovery PE and enter this command:

```
bootrec /fixmbr
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Wait for it to complete, then restart your computer. If it doesn't work, tell me.

Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:00 pm

In my experience the following method solves almost any windows boot issues. Try it out. Insert your Windows installation or recovery CD

Boot to System Repair Options

Open command prompt

Type BOOTREC /RebuildBCD and hit ENTER This rebuilds the Boot Configuration Data (BCD) file

Type BOOTREC /FixBoot and hit ENTER This writes a new boot sector to the system partition

Type BOOTREC /FixMBR and hit ENTER This writes a Vista / Win 7 MBR to the system partition; does not overwrite the existing partition table

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Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:01 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:00 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Didn't work, idk why all this shit happens to me at the worst times.

Please try my method, its right above your post.

Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:02 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:00 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Didn't work, idk why all this shit happens to me at the worst times.

Alright, go back in the Recovery PE but this time try:

```
bootrec /fixboot
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Which will create a completely new boot sector to boot from.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:04 pm

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Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:05 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:04 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Using pirated windows, no longer have the disk and don't have a recovery CD.

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Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:07 pm

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Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:07 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:07 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) And then restart? Didn't work unfortunately.
Yes. Hum ... Alright, try the /rebuild BCD command and if it doesn't work we'll try something else.
Do you have a Recovery partition on that computer? Or a recovery/installation media?

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:08 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:05 PM)Null Byte Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How did you follow Aura's instructions without a recovery CD?
Went into launch start up repair, chose to go on command prompt.

Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:08 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:08 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Went into launch start up repair, chose to go on command prompt.
Do the same with my instructions, ignore the part about putting in the CD.

Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:09 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:04 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Using pirated windows, no longer have the disk and don't have a recovery CD.
Scratch that, if you use a pirated copy of Windows you cannot receive assistance here as HackForums doesn't support the use of illegal, cracked, pirated, etc. copies of software, sorry OP. If you want assistance, you'll have to install a legitimate version of Windows and activate it with a genuine/legit product key.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:10 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:07 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Yes. Hum ... Alright, try the /rebuild BCD command and if it doesn't work we'll try something else.
Do you have a Recovery partition on that computer? Or a recovery/installation media?
It says that /rebuild is not recognized. And no, I don't.

Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:11 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:10 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It says that /rebuild is not recognized. And no, I don't.
Anyway, read my post here :

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=4604068&pid=44009204#pid44009204>

Discontinuing my assistance as we're breaking the rules here. Thread should be closed unless you install a genuine and legitimate copy of Windows.

Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:12 pm

Open up your command prompt and type the following code:
Code chkdsk /f C:
Replace C with whatever the hard drive is. It's most likely C.

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Then you'll need to install a legitimate copy of Windows 7. Use one of the official .iso from here:

<http://www.w7forums.com/threads/official-windows-7-sp1-iso-image-downloads.12325/>

And follow my tutorial here:

[\[The Brotherhood\] How to install Windows 7 from a CD/DVD or USB flash drive](#) by [Aur?](#)

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Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 5:16 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:15 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Okay doing it, did what you said before, didn't work. Okay. Tell me how the chkdsk goes when it's done.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:21 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:16 PM)Null Byte Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Okay. Tell me how the chkdsk goes when it's done. Did it, then restarted my pc, did nothing.

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Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:24 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:21 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Did it, then restarted my pc, did nothing.

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You have a 30 days trial on that .iso, which you can renew 3 times for a total of 120 days. So it gives you that much time to buy a legitimate copy of Windows, of the same version you installed and activate it.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:28 pm

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Okay, downloading it now, thanks! Hopefully this fixes it. Is there a chance it could be the actual harddrive or?

Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:33 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:28 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Really?

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The issue is with the boot sector and Windows cannot access it due to damage, corruption, etc. Reinstalling Windows will create a new one and fix that issue.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:37 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:33 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The issue is with the boot sector and Windows cannot access it due to damage, corruption, etc. Reinstalling Windows will create a new one and fix that issue.

That's great. Only bad thing is, will I lose all my old files, or will they be accessible if I partition it? When I first partitioned it has a windows.old where I can access all my stuff. If not, that's gonna suck but I'll have to deal with it.

Also, shouldn't restoring fix that problem as it's going before the damage or corruption was done?

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If you choose an "upgrade", your files should be kept under windows.old, however, I would back them up first using the command prompt during the installation (if you have an external storage device). Or yes, create a new partition, it works too.

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Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:49 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:44 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just got a windows 7 ultimate key from a friend. Putting the iso on my usb atm.

That looks suspicious as hell too. Who have Windows 7 Ultimate keys and who gives them away? They are worth hundreds.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 5:52 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:49 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That looks suspicious as hell too. Who have Windows 7 Ultimate keys and who gives them away? They are worth hundreds. MSDN keys, they probably expire. If they expire I'll just buy a new one irl.

Aura - December 26, 2014, 5:53 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 06:52 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) MSDN keys, they probably expire. If they expire I'll just buy a new one irl.

Do you know how much Windows 7 Ultimate goes for? Also, selling MSDN keys or giving them away is illegal and against the Term of Use of Microsoft, just so you know what you're getting into.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 6:03 pm

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At this point I don't really care, I'm literally that desperate to get back on my pc and get my files that I'd break the law to do so.

Aura - December 26, 2014, 6:06 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 07:03 PM)Fomor Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) At this point I don't really care, I'm literally that desperate to get back on my pc and get my files that I'd break the law to do so.

Meh, your call. Let me know once the installation is done.

Wicked? - December 26, 2014, 6:21 pm

(Dec 26, 2014 07:06 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Meh, your call. Let me know once the installation is done.

Starting to install windows now, going to just upgrade my windows.

Null Byte - December 26, 2014, 6:36 pm

Just switch to linux dude. Free and awesome.

<http://www.ubuntu.com>

<http://linuxmint.com>

Either of those two are really easy and user friendly.