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Thread: [How to start over on windows 8 ? without installation disk?](#)

moudi5 - January 29, 2015, 8:43 pm

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Sliph - January 29, 2015, 8:45 pm

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Just do a reformat/factory reset.
[Factory reset](#)

moudi5 - January 29, 2015, 8:53 pm

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Grin - January 29, 2015, 8:55 pm

(Jan 29, 2015 09:53 PM)moudi5 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i dont have a installation disk though lol
Did you read the whole thing?

<http://support.hp.com/us-en/document/c03546603>

moudi5 - January 29, 2015, 10:12 pm

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Grin - January 29, 2015, 10:35 pm

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Tommy Shelby - January 29, 2015, 10:37 pm

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Vouch for this method, 100% working and legit.

fennir - January 30, 2015, 6:49 am

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Grin - January 30, 2015, 9:03 am

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fenrir - January 30, 2015, 9:51 am

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I was simply offering an alternative. No need to be hostile. Your method works just as well, and is easier.

ale12386 - January 31, 2015, 3:48 am

The easiest way is to either format the drive and reinstall from a CD/USB or perform a Factory Reset in Windows 8 safe mode/settings.