Subject: HELP! Posted by sharra on Tue, 27 Feb 2007 05:23:40 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

ok my cp being a pian i start it up and it says <windows root>/system32/hal.dal is missing or corupt and wont start so what do i do i cant see the icons to restore it so what do i do

Subject: Re: HELP! Posted by Jerad2142 on Wed, 28 Feb 2007 15:40:40 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Press F11 (or maybe its F10) on start up.

Subject: Re: HELP! Posted by sharra on Wed, 28 Feb 2007 20:12:13 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

it wont work i try to boot it in safe mod but it says same thing do i need the winows xp home edisan disk to reinstall

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So you have tried pressing F10 (or F11 it depends on the computer) while it is still on the first screen (some monitors aren't even on at this point yet).

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yes it goes to the screen asking how do you whant to star you cp in safemood ect then i click one and it says <windows root>/system32/hal.dal is missing or corupt plese reinstall and i cant see the icons i need to click to do i system restore thats what i get for using acer

Subject: Re: HELP! Posted by sharra on Thu, 01 Mar 2007 18:19:43 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

ok i got it fixed thanks

Even though you fixed it, a corrupt hal.dll means that your MBR is either missing or corrupted. MBR = Master Boot Record.

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