
Subject: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:15:49 GMT

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I've put everything together and it runs. But whenever I turn it on, I get a weird continuous beep. I think I accidentally smudged a little bit of the CPU's thermal grease. Anyone know what might be causing the beep?

Specs: (Really crappy I know but it's a first time)

Processor: AMD Sempron 3200+

Motherboard: ECS Geforce 6100SM-M

RAM: 1GB DDR2 667 Buffalo

450Watt MidATX 24Pin PSU

80GB IDE 7200RPM 8MB Cache (I think)

16X +- DVD-RW SAMSUNG

Thanks in advance.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:26:15 GMT

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Check to make sure all the power connections are in all the way. Start with the mobo connections. If they are then next thing to check is the video card.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [cmatt42](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:29:17 GMT

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Never mind.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:31:45 GMT

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I don't have a insert in Graphic Card, only on board.And I think all the connections are right. (the 24Pin,12V etc.)

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:39:41 GMT

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If when you turn on your computer it just beeps untill you turn it off it could be many things but its likely the RAM is not in correctly and/or has blown. Another cause could be the CPU. Double check that all the pins are securely in the socket.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:53:39 GMT

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It's a brand new DDR2 Module I just got today. I don't know about the CPU though, I'll check.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [JeepRubi](#) on Fri, 28 Sep 2007 23:59:15 GMT

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Well, I remmber it did that on my build when I didn't have the Ram seated correctly.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:20:49 GMT

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It might have been dead when you bought it. Take the module out and stick it in the other slot. Push down on one side untill it clicks and do the same for the other side. If you don't hear the clicks try it again.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:33:59 GMT

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THANK YOU CAVEMAN AND JEEP!!!!

Damn it WAS the RAM, it wasn't seated properly

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:37:50 GMT

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Isn't it always the bloody rams . Anyways, glad I could help

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:42:55 GMT

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Caveman wrote on Fri, 28 September 2007 19:37Isn't it always the bloody rams . Anyways, glad I could help

Short noticed Right after I posted this I started the machine again. The thing went past BIOS then IDK why the Monitor didn't detected it anymore then I smelled something burnt -__'

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:58:01 GMT

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Did you forget to plug the fans into the PSU/CPU? >.<

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 00:58:37 GMT

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Ryu wrote on Fri, 28 September 2007 19:58Did you forget to plug the fans into the PSU/CPU? >.<
Nope, CPU fan spins and the case fan spins too.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Ryu](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 01:03:10 GMT

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Hmm.. Ram doesn't burn afaik, Video card and Mobo okay?

EDIT: a PSU Should have a fan.. Not sure if a PSU can burn.. You should check it.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 01:06:10 GMT

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Ryu wrote on Fri, 28 September 2007 20:03Hmm.. Ram doesn't burn afaik, Video card and Mobo okay?

EDIT: a PSU Should have a fan.. Not sure if a PSU can burn.. You should check it.
PSU is ok, I only got OB on this one I think I BURNT THE FUCKING MOBO D:

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 01:08:11 GMT

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When you checked the CPU you did mount the heatsink properly didn't you? What happens when you turn the machine on now?

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 01:11:47 GMT

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Caveman wrote on Fri, 28 September 2007 20:08When you checked the CPU you did mount the heatsink properly didn't you? What happens when you turn the machine on now?
The monitor will display an image saying the DVI connector thing is unplugged, but it's plugged in.

And the DVD Drive doesn't work, and Power button ONLY turns it on but not off.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 01:25:34 GMT

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I can't see how the DVI connector is being used when you have onboard VGA. Most mobos don't have DVI. Define DVD wont work..What wont open, wont read etc.. Try resetting the CMOS. There should be a jumper on the mobo near the battery to do so. If you cannot find the jumper take out the battery for 5secs and then put it back in.

If you seriously smelt something burning then you might have to send the mobo back. Anymore help from me will have to wait 'till the morning. I need to sleep.

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 11:55:31 GMT

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Any news to report, sadukar09?

Subject: Re: So...

Posted by [sadukar09](#) on Sat, 29 Sep 2007 16:47:49 GMT

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Well... I think I might got a defective Motherboard, so my parents and I are going to send the WHOLE PC back to the place we bought the parts. (Cept RAM since different store.)
