

Re: Unable to boot

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Generally, if you can get into the system (via rescue environment, or bootable live linux cd) you could mount the "/" and "/boot" partitions... chroot into the "/" partition, and then run the '/sbin/lilo' binary, which will read '/etc/lilo.conf' and rewrite your MBR.

In most cases, this is what works for me.

BJ

On Sat, 2005-02-26 at 23:45 -0600, Manudath Gurudatha wrote:

> *Hi,*

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> *Can anyone tell me how to overwrite the MBR? My Debian machine is*

> *screwed up and it gives an error similar to "L 80 80 80..." while*

> *booting....*

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> *THanks,*

> *Manudath*

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