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Because Hewlett-Packard (HP) uses motherboards and BIOSs from several manufacturers, their computers use a variety of power on self test (POST) error messages. Instead of listing each model's error messages, this list provides links to the support pages of popular HP workstations and servers. If you don't see a particular HP machine listed here, check [HP's Web site](#). Send us a link to the machine's POST codes via the mail-to link on the last page of this document.

Note: Hewlett-Packard and Compaq merged in 2002 and the new company dropped the Compaq name from all but a few consumer product lines--such as Presario desktops and notebooks. This table lists only HP-branded systems.

<u>Model</u>	<u>BIOS POST error codes</u>
Carrier Grade Server cc2300	http://docs.hp.com/en/2421/cc2300_product_guide.pdf
Carrier Grade Server cc3310	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=c00066298
e-PC c10/s10	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis13707
Integrity cx2600	http://h200007.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/c00112271/c00112271.pdf
Integrity rx1600	http://h200007.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/c00112278/c00112278.pdf
Integrity rx2600	http://h200007.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/lpn04096/lpn04096.pdf
Integrity rx4640	http://h200001.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/c00112414/c00112414.pdf
Kayak	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis06334
Kayak XM600	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/lpv07804/lpv07804.pdf
Kayak XU800	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/lpv07804/lpv07804.pdf
NetServer E200	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02610
NetServer E800	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn14084
NetServer LC2	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02261
NetServer LC3	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02261
NetServer LC2000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02261
NetServer LD Pro	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis07094
NetServer LH3, LH3r, and LPr	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn14082
NetServer LH4	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=thp00847

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NetServer LH3000 and 3000r	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=thp00846
NetServer LH6000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis15399
NetServer LH6000r	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis15399
NetServer LP1000r	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn13695
NetServer LP2000r	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn13695
NetServer LT6000r	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02251
NetServer LXR8500	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis02264
NetServer LXR Pro8	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis09865
Pavilion Desktops with Phoenix BIOS	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=bph07107
Pavilion 5010, 5030, and 5040	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=bph01004
Proliant Series Servers	http://h200007.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/c00257512/c00257512.pdf
Pavilion 7xxx (7010, 7020, 7030, 7050, and possibly others)	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=bph01053
Server tc2100	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis09252
Server tc2110	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn13027
Server tc3100	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn13237
Server tc4100	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpn12827
Vectra PCs with Phoenix BIOS	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis06108
e-Vectra	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis06446
Vectra VE 5/xxx Series 4	http://h200004.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/bpv03974/bpv03974.pdf
Vectra XA5	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis06112
Vectra XA 5/XXX	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=bpv03314
Vectra XE310	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=tis13051
Workstation xw3100	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=c00038866
Workstation xw4000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpv39144

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Workstation xw5000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpv39015
Workstation xw6000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpv39144
Workstation xw8000	http://h20000.www2.hp.com/bizsupport/TechSupport/Document.jsp?objectID=lpv38939
Workstation zx6000	http://h200007.www2.hp.com/bc/docs/support/SupportManual/lpn04096/lpn04096.pdf

Additional resources

- ["Dell BIOS POST error code list"](#) (TechRepublic)
- ["BIOS beep codes list for desktops"](#) (TechRepublic)
- ["Breaking through the BIOS Barrier: The Definitive BIOS Optimization Guide for PCs"](#) (TechRepublic)
- ["Crack a BIOS password in a flash"](#) (TechRepublic)
- ["Closely check those auto-detected BIOS settings"](#) (TechRepublic)

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