
Subject: R: Re: G5: 3 blinks and no boot

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> However, the suddenness and the fact that it happened while it was running does seem to indicate that maybe it's a memory controller that failed on the mobo.

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> Have you tried populating different slots (the G5's need them in pairs, but any pair in any slot set will do) if you get the errors regardless, it's most likely the logic board.

Yes, I tried several combinations of sticks within different slots (beside vacuuming the slots), no change.

So it looks like it's the controller (or the memory slots).

I'm going to try the hair dryer trick next (someone wrote a heat gun is even better).

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