

Re: Testing Western Digital Hard Drive Motor?

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Thanks for the tips!

Am wondering if anyone has tried this "Hold the drive upside down, making gravity change the head geometry ever so slightly. Vertical is also another option."

Also if the heads are sticking to the platter and the motor is not turning, how long until it burns out?

Ken

If you're interested in more solutions like this, you might want to do a Google Search for "200 ways to revive a hard drive". I'd link to a direct document, but the first two results (which are probably what you want to read) are PDFs. This way, you can use Google's "View as HTML" option if you want.

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Wise is the man who attempts to answer his question before asking it.

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