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If your HP printer shows an E4 error message, it indicates that there is a paper jam on the printer. Generally, the letters E and 4 will blink alternatively on the display panel to mark the paper jam. The paper jam may occur either in the input tray, output tray, carriage area, or in the paper path of the printer. While the stuck pieces of paper are mostly responsible for causing paper jams, foreign bodies like dust and debris may also contribute to the issue. However, you may sometimes get a false paper jam, meaning that an E4 message appears on the screen even though there is no actual paper jam in the printer. The input tray is where you insert blank pages on the printer for printing. If you are getting an E4 error message, first check if there are any paper jams there. Pull up the input tray. Flip the input tray shield towards you. Gently remove all the papers from the input tray. Please use both your hands to remove the paper. Trying to pull the papers randomly will tear them, and you may further run into problems clearing the paper jams. Take a flashlight and see if there are any papers stuck there and remove them. You may use a blower to wipe out any foreign materials present there. Close the input tray shield. Now locate the Resume button and press it. See if the error goes away. If not, move to the next step below. You get the printouts from the output tray of your printer. Papers stuck in the output tray can also lead to an E4 error. So, consider removing jammed papers from there too. Push the output tray inside the printer. Using both your hands, calmly remove the papers from the tray. Further, inspect the output tray for any stuck and torn papers. You may need a flashlight to check it. Use a blower to clear any foreign objects. After you verify everything is cleared from the output tray, press the Resume button. Now check if the E4 error still appears on the display panel of your printer. Next, you should also check if there are any paper jams in the carriage area. The carriage is the casing that holds the ink cartridges and helps spray ink onto the paper during the printing process. You should open the front access door to check the carriage area. Shut down your printer and remove its power cable from the electrical supply. Also, unplug the USB cable. Hold the output tray and push it inside. Now open the front access door. Also, use the lock on the cartridge door and open it. Hold the carriage assembly by its base and move it to the left or right depending upon the position. Check for any stuck papers and gently remove them. Use a blower to blow any dirt inside. Further, slide the carriage gently to the left and right to ensure it is moving freely. Close the cartridge door. Close the access door. Draw the output tray towards you. Power on the printer and see if the issue exists. The paper path on your HP Deskjet and Ink Tank series printer lies at the bottom of the printer. It is another most probable area for paper jams. You may need a friends help to clear paper jams from the paper path. Turn off your printer and remove the power cable and USB cable from the printer. Push down the input tray and push the output tray inside the printer. Ask your friend to hold the lid of the scanner assembly and turn the printer such that the bottom of the printer is clearly visible. Open the cleanout door by unlocking the tabs. See if there are any jammed or torn papers and remove them. Close the cleanout door with the help of tabs. Now, turn the printer and place it normally on the surface. Open the front access door. Use the lock on the cartridge door and open it. Check for stuck papers and remove them. Close both the cartridge door and the front access door. Turn on the printer and try printing. Check if you still face an E4 error. When your printer is showing an E4 error message, there are also chances that the torn pieces of paper have stuck in the rollers of your printer, preventing other papers from efficiently passing through the paper path. You can try cleaning the rollers and see if the error goes away. Power on your printer. Remove papers from the input tray if there are any. Keep pressing the Power button. While you are still holding the power button, push the Cancel button consecutively for 3 times. Then push the Copy Color button consecutively for 7 times. Let the Power button go off. The printer will start cleaning the rollers making certain noises. Wait till the printer is completely quiet. Check if the issue exists. Removing the jammed papers and cleaning the rollers should solve the E4 error on your HP printer. However, if you are still facing the issue, the printer might be showing a false paper jam. In such cases, you can try resetting your printer. First, lets do a soft reset. Unplug your printer from the power supply. Keep pressing random buttons on the button panel. Wait about a minute and turn on the printer. If you are still facing the E4 error, lets do a factory reset. Remember that all your customized printing preferences will be reset to factory defaults after a factory reset. With the printer turned on and connected via USB cable, open HP Smart on your PC. Click the Printer Settings menu on the home screen. Click Advanced Settings. Choose the Settings tab on the next screen and click Restore Defaults > Restore Factory Defaults. Click the Restore Factory Defaults button. Once the reset is complete, see if the error goes away.Brand of inkjet printers by HPPH’s first inkjet printer is the ThinkJet HP 2225.Original DeskJet 500DeskJet 3845A modern HP DeskJet 2630 all in one printerDeskJet is a brand name for inkjet printers manufactured by Hewlett-Packard.[1] These printers range from small domestic to large industrial models, although the largest models in the range have generally been dubbed DesignJet.[2] The Macintosh-compatible equivalent was branded as the Deskwriter and competed with Apple’s StyleWriter, and the all-in-one equivalent is called OfficeJet.HP began making inkjet printers with the HP ThinkJet (an abbreviation of Thermal Ink Jet) in 1984. It represented the commercial birth of inkjet printing technology. The resolution was about 19296 dpi, printing 150 characters per second (cps).The printer’s key benefit was its quiet operation. The HP Integral PC incorporated an ThinkJet. The Thinkjet was the smallest printer produced by HP until 1992 and the first HP printer to carry the "Jet" name, adopted by other printers such as QuietJet, DeskJet, LaserJet or OfficeJet. There were five models of the ThinkJet:[3][4][5][6][7]HP ThinkJet overview[5][8][9]ModelInterfacePower supplyWeightHP 2225AHP-IBAC line power7.4lb (3.4kg)HP 2225BHP-ILDC battery power5.5lb (2.5kg)HP 2225CParallel portAC line power6.8lb (3.1kg)HP 2225DRS-232CAC line power4.6lb (2.1kg)HP 2225PParallel portDC battery power7.8lb (3.5kg)In 1986, the ThinkJet was followed by the QuietJet (HP 2227A), which were little faster than the ThinkJet and offered slightly better print quality and by the wide-carriage version QuietJet Plus (HP 2228A).[10]In 1988, HP introduced the first DeskJet. It included a built-in cut sheet feeder, 2pages per minute (ppm), and 300dpi. This was followed by the DeskJet Plus in 1989. It offered a landscape printing ability. The DeskJet 500 was introduced in 1990, offering a faster printing speed of 3ppm. Meanwhile, HP introduced the DeskWriter for the Macintosh in 1989, based on the DeskJet 500.By 1987, the world’s first full-color inkjet printer, the PaintJet, was introduced. It was so successful that HP introduced a version of the DeskJet capable of color printing, the DeskJet 500C, in October 1991, which is also HP’s first 300 dpi color printer, offering 4 minutes per page in color, using a swappable either black or CMY print head ink cartridge. It was replaced by the DeskJet 550C in October 1992, HP’s first dual-cartridge color DeskJet, offering a real black instead of mixed black ink in color prints, using both the 500C’s cartridges at once. The DeskJet 560C followed in March 1994, which introduced HP ColorSmart to intelligently analyze documents for the best color output.Meanwhile, HP introduced the DeskJet Portable (3 ppm) in 1992. It was designed to be easily portable. It was targeted at mobile professionals. It was replaced by the HP DeskJet 310 (4ppm B&W, 4 minutes per page color) in 1993, the HP DeskJet 320 in 1994, the HP DeskJet 340 (2 minutes per page color) in 1995, and the HP DeskJet 350 and 350Cbi (5ppm B&W, 2ppm color) in 2000.HP continued to make black-and-white-only inkjet printers with the HP DeskJet 510 (1992) and 520 (1994). The HP DeskJet 520 introduced resolution enhancement technology, or REL, to HP inkjet printers. It was also HP’s last black-and-white-only inkjet printer. The HP DeskJet 500, 510, 520, 500C, 550C, and 560C were all replaced by the HP DeskJet 540 (3ppm B&W, 1.5 minutes per page color). A one-pan inkjet printer, color was optional. Also it introduced a different industrial design.HP’s high-end printer line started with the HP DeskJet 1200C, introduced in 1993, offering 6ppm B&W, and 1ppm color. This was replaced by the HP DeskJet 1600C (1995), offering 9 ppm B&W, and 4ppm color, which offered a successor, the HP DeskJet 1600CN (1996), the 1600C with built-in networking.In May 1995, HP unveiled the HP DeskJet and Deskwriter 660C which contained both black and tricolor inket cartridges that provided 600 by 600 dpi B&W at 4ppm and 600 by 300 dpi color printing, up to 1.5ppm. The HP DeskJet 850C and 855C were released in September of that year and featured HP’s Color Resolution Enhancement technology (C-Rel) capable of the same resolutions of the 660C but with print speeds of 6 ppm B&W and up to 2ppm color. [11]HP replaced the PaintJet XL300 and the DeskJet 1600C/1600CN with the HP DeskJet 1000C/1100C/1120C in 1998, HP’s first A3 inkjet printers under the DeskJet brand. These printers were replaced by the HP DeskJet 1220C in 2000, offering 12ppm in B&W, and 10ppm in color.HP-branded “Vivera” ink was introduced with the HP DeskJet 6540 starting in 2004, which also offered improved printing speeds of up to 30ppm in B&W, and 20ppm in color.All-in-one inkjet printers from HP under the DeskJet brand have also been produced, starting with the HP DeskJet F380 printer/scanner/copier, introduced in 2006, using HP Vivera ink, which offered print speeds of up to 20ppm in black-and-white, and 14ppm in color.HP continues to sell various printers under the DeskJet moniker. The current line of HP DeskJets include the HP DeskJet 1000/2000/3000/4000. HP DeskJet 1000s usually are print only, whereas the DeskJet 2000/3000/4000 typically offers scanners built in. The 4000 series typically have both ADF (Automatic Document Feeder) scanning and flatbed scanning. Also in HP’s offerings of family/home office printers include the ENVY, OfficeJet(Pro), Smart Tank and some LaserJets.As of 2021[update] HP sells new ink cartridges for the original ThinkJet 2225 series. Production is likely to continue indefinitely, as they are also compatible with newer industrial printers.[12]List of Hewlett-Packard products^ "HP DeskJet Printers and All-in-ones." HP DeskJet Printers and All-in-ones. N.p., n.d. Web. 23 Nov. 2012. < .^ "HP DesignJet: Future-Ready Printer." Hewlett-Packard, Oct.-Nov. 2011. Web. 23 Nov. 2012. < Archived 2016-03-03 at the Wayback Machine> .^ Budzinske, Ronny, "Erster thermischer Tintendrucker in Serie wird 40" (in German).^ Shapiro, Ezra (April 1984). "Stylish Output". BYTE. p.82. Retrieved 22 October 2013.^ a b Hepperle, Martin (September 2016). "Fixing the ThinkJet" (PDF).^ "ThinkJet brochure" (PDF). Hewlett-Packard. 1985.^ "ThinkJet". HP Computer Museum.^ "HP 2225 SERIES Think[Jet] SERVICE MANUAL" (PDF). 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Wait at least 60 seconds.4. Plug the power cord back into the wall outlet.NOTE: HP recommends connecting the printer power cord directly to the wall outlet.5. Reconnect the power cord to the rear of the printer.6. Turn on the printer and try printing.You may also refer to the steps in this document. I hope this helps.Take care and have a good day.Please click Accepted Solution if you feel my post solved your issue. it will help others find the solution. Click the Kudos/Thumbs Up' on the bottom right to say Thanks for helping! Rainbow23 - HP Support. Struggling with an HP printer E4 error? This guide provides step-by-step instructions on how to troubleshoot and resolve the E4 error code on your HP printer without needing to call support. An HP printer E4 error typically indicates a paper jam or a problem with the printers paper path. While it can be frustrating, you can often resolve this issue yourself without having to contact HP support. Lets dive into the steps to fix the E4 error on your HP printer. The E4 error code on an HP printer usually signifies a paper jam. This means that a piece of paper is stuck somewhere within the printers mechanism, preventing it from functioning properly. Step-by-Step Guide: Unplug the Printer: The first step is to unplug your HP printer from the power outlet. This will ensure that there is no electricity flowing through the printer while you are working on it. Open the Cover: Locate the cover on your printer that indicates paper jams. This is usually a transparent window or a cover that can be easily opened. Inspect for Paper: Carefully examine the printers interior for any visible pieces of paper. Look for paper that might be stuck in the rollers, trays, or other areas of the printer. Remove the Paper: If you find any stuck paper, gently remove it. Be careful not to tear the paper, as this can cause further damage. Clear Jammed Paper: If the paper is jammed in a more difficult-to-reach area, you might need to use a tool to carefully dislodge it. Avoid using sharp objects that could damage the printer. Check for Obstructions: Inspect the paper path for any foreign objects that might be causing the jam. Remove any obstructions you find. Reinsert Paper: Once you have cleared the paper jam and removed any obstructions, reinsert the paper into the printers input tray. Ensure that the paper is aligned correctly and that the tray is closed securely. Plug in the Printer: Plug your HP printer back into the power outlet. Try Printing Again: Turn on the printer and try to print a test page. If the E4 error message persists, there might be a more serious issue with your printer. By following these steps, you should be able to successfully resolve the E4 error on your HP printer and get it back up and running. If you continue to encounter problems, it might be necessary to consult the printers user manual or contact HP support for further assistance. Additional Tips: Prevent Future Jams: To avoid future paper jams, ensure that you load paper correctly into the printer tray and avoid overloading it. Check for Driver Issues: If youre still having trouble, update your printers drivers to the latest version. Consider Hardware Issues: In some cases, a hardware problem might be causing the E4 error. If youve tried everything else, you might need to contact HP support for further assistance. For official HP support and troubleshooting resources, visit: For more troubleshooting tips, check out our guide on: Visit Our Post Page: Blog Page Hi @Sri0409 . Welcome to HP Support Community.Thank you for posting your query. I will be glad to help you.The E4 error on an HP DeskJet printer usually indicates a paper jam. Here are steps you can follow to troubleshoot and resolve the E4 error:Check for Paper Jams: Turn off the printer and unplug it. Open the input tray and inspect for any jammed paper. If you find any , carefully remove it. Check the output tray for any paper jams as well.Clear Paper Path: Ensure there is no loose paper or foreign objects in the paper path. Make sure the paper is loaded correctly in the input tray, and the guides are adjusted to the paper size.Reset the Printer: Turn off the printer, unplug it from the power source, and wait for about 60 seconds. Plug the printer back in and turn it on.Check for Obstructions: Inspect the carriage path for any obstructions. The carriage is the part that holds the ink cartridges.Reload Paper: Make sure you are using the correct type and size of paper. Reload the paper into the input tray.Update Firmware: Check if there are any firmware updates available for your printer on the HP support website. If so, update the firmware. 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