

Understanding problems you may have with your Net book

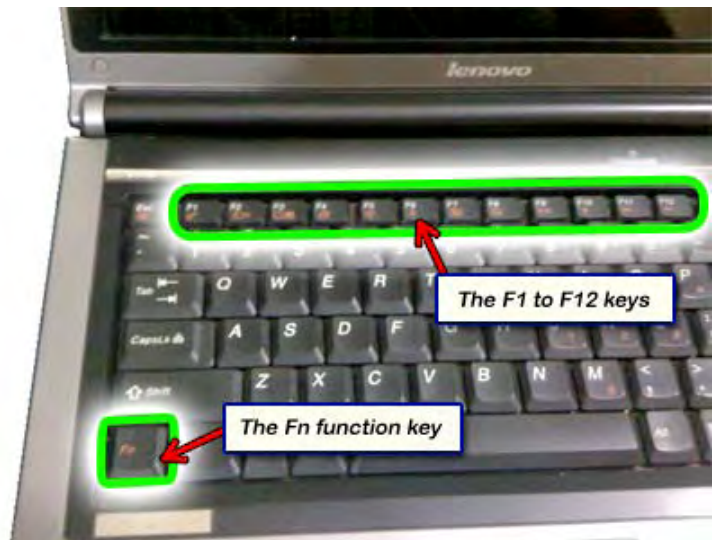
And how you can resolve them

Most laptops (if not all) come with a function key. You'll find yours in the bottom left of the keyboard.

The function key is labelled "Fn" and usually stands out from the rest - either the "Fn" is in a different colour or the key as a whole is. The function key works in conjunction with other keys on the keyboard especially the ones in the top row marked "F1" to "F12". The combination of function key with these keys lets you perform various tasks quickly such as shutting the screen, putting the computer in sleep mode, switching the wireless connection on and off etc.

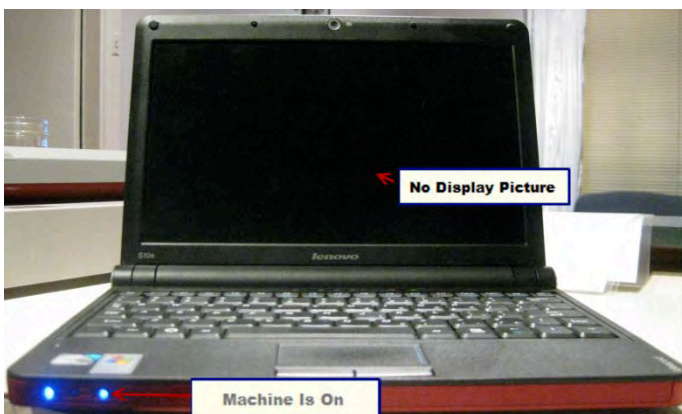


Mouse Pointer Not Moving



If the touchpad on your laptop is not working and is unresponsive, it's not broken, you or someone else has **accidentally** deactivated it with the function key.

Solution Press the function "Fn" key and **F6** and then hold the power button in for 10 seconds until the screen goes off, then restart machine. When the machine restarts the mouse pointer should now be working.



No Display Picture

If you find that your computer is on but there is no picture on the screen then you may have accidentally switched the screen off by using the Function Keys.

You can tell that your computer is still active by the one or two blue lights on the front.

Solution

By Pressing and **holding** the "**Fn**" and pressing **F2** you will restore your computer screen.

So there you have It Just two of the most common mistakes that are made using the function keys incorrectly.