

/var/lib/dpkg/status problem

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Hi,

When I try to use apt-get, as it initialises the package database, the following errors appear:

Reading Package Lists... Error!

E: Dynamic MMap ran out of room

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E: Error occured while processing libpisock8 (NewVersion1)

E: Problem with MergeList /var/lib/dpkg/status

E: The package lists or status file could not be parsed or opened.

I searched the debian-user list and found that others had this problem and fixed it by appending the line "APT::Cache-Limits 25165824;" to their /etc/apt/apt.conf but I did this , redownloaded the package lists (With apt-get update) and as it tried to initialise these new lists the same errors appeared.

What's up?

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