

Configuring X on Intel 82845 gl board

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On Sun, 15 May 2005 Kent West wrote : >shatam bhattacharya wrote: >>> I am having trouble in configuring X on my system. I am using the >> following configuration >> -Intel 82845 GL motherboard >>> uname -r says ----- >> 2.2.20-idepci >>>> XFree86 Version 4.1.0.1 / X Window System >> (protocol Version 11, revision 0, vendor release 6510) >> Release Date: 21 December 2001 >>>>I highly recommend you upgrade to Testing or Sid (unless you have some >reason to stay on Woody, assuming that's what you're running). You'll >get a newer version of X, and a 2.4 kernel is just an apt-get install >away instead of having to compile your own. >If for some reason you don't want to upgrade to Testing, please >provide more info. Is it just the apg/drm modules you're having >trouble with, or >is X not starting at all, or something else entirely? What errors are >you getting? Actually I managed to start X with VGA configuration. But the throughput is very minimal. Also when i start X on i810 configuration, it displays an error stating "Fatal Error : Screen found but no usable configuration" As advised by you I am currently downloading sarge ISO images. By the way I tried to recompile 2.4; All went well, but on booting(with grub) it displays an error -- file system is ext2. File system not supported. Any suggestion on where I may be going wrong?? thanks Shatam Bhattacharya New Delhi, India

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