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On Mon, Mar 31, 2008 at 23:08:32 +1030, Arthur Marsh wrote:

I plugged in a USB mass storage device into my pc running Debian Unstable and unlike several months ago, did not get a notification from KDE that the device had been discovered.

Did you choose a default action for that type of device when the notification first appeared? AFAIK, KDE will not pop up the notification again once the user has selected a default action (and this default action can be "do nothing").

dmesg reported:

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usb 2-2: new full speed USB device using ohci_hcd and address 4
usb 2-2: configuration #1 chosen from 1 choice
usb 2-2: New USB device found, idVendor=0944, idProduct=0001
usb 2-2: New USB device strings: Mfr=1, Product=2, SerialNumber=0
usb 2-2: Product: PXR4
usb 2-2: Manufacturer: KORG INC.
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Is that the complete output? It seems that no device node(s) was/were created.

Is any customisation needed for udev / HAL to create a device file when this device is discovered? I'd like it to auto-mount as /mnt/usbdrive

Normally this should "just work". I run KDE on Sid/amd64 and I have not noticed a problem with this in ages; I don't have the same storage device, though. Can you post the output that you get when you run

Ishal --monitor

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and plug in the device? (CTRL-C to stop, but wait for at least 10  
seconds after you plug in the device.)

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Regards, | <http://users.icfo.es/Florian.Kulzer>  
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