

Re: Failed to burn DVD+RW

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On 5/3/06, John Wendel <john.wendel@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

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> FC3
>
> NEC_DVD Writer MD-3570A
> TDK DVD+RW 4x
> k3b-0.11.14-2
>
> Writing Mode - DAO
> Speed - Auto
> DVD+RW - already in the tray
>
>
> Failed to burn DVD+RW with following warning;
>
> DVD Multisession - k3b
> It is not possible to write multisession DVDs in DAO mode.Multisession
> has been disabled. --> [OK]
>
>
> Waiting for disk -K3b
> found media: DVD+RW (complete)
> Please insert an empty medium
> ((DVD+/-R(RW)) into drive
>
> _NEC DVD_RW ND-3570A
> (/dev/hdd).
> [Load] [Eject] [Force] [Cancel]
>
>
> Clicked [Load] - no response, LED continued to glow.
> Clicked [Eject] - the tray/DVD ejected.
>
> Returned the tray to the DVD Writer again and pressed [Force]. It
> seemed starting but "Overall progress" has no indication, only 0%, for
> prolonged time compelling me to click [Cancel] ejecting the tray
> finally.
>
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> Debugging Output – K3b
> System
> -----
> K3b Version:0.11.14
> KDE Version: 3.4.2–0.fc3.2 Red Hat
> QT Version: 3.3.4
>
> growisofs
> -----
> Warning: creating filesystem that does not conform to ISO–9660.
> Warning: ISO–9660 filenames longer than 31 may cause buffer overflows
> in the OS.
> INFO: UTF–8 character encoding detected by locale settings.
> Assuming UTF–8 encoded filenames on source filesystem,
> use –input–charset to override.
>
> growisofs comand:
> -----
> /usr/bin/growisofs –Z /dev/hdd –use–the–force–luke=notray
> –use–the–force–luke=tty –use–the–force–luke=dao –dvd–compat –speed=6
> –gui –graft–points –volid K3b data project –volset –appid K3B THE CD
> KREATOR VERSION 0.11.14 (C) 2003 SEBASTIAN TRUEG AND THE K3B TEAM
> –publisher –preparer K3b – Version 0.11.14 –sysid LINUX –volset–size 1
> –volset–seqno 1 –sort /tmp/kde–satimis/k3bH0ARVb.tmp –rational–rock
> –hide–list /tmp/kde–satimis/k3bLUAwFb.tmp –full–iso9660–filenames
> –max–iso9660–filenames –iso–level 2 –path–list
> /tmp/kde–satimis/k3bWcPrqc.tmp
> * * * END * * *
>
>
> Burning on TDK DVD–RW with the same set of data, the DVD Writer started
> to work by just clicking [BURN]. All data were bunred on DVD–RW.
>
>
> Please advise how to fix this problem. TIA
>
> B.R.
> SL
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Try getting a newer version of K3B, I'm running 0.12.15 here. K3B has had a lot of bug fixes. And don't force DAO writing mode, I just set it to AUTO.

It happens often here too, as k3b does not frequently erase/write over the contents already in the disk. Maybe, you should try to use growisofs directly. I have never experienced any problem with growisofs. Look at:

<http://www.yolinux.com/TUTORIALS/LinuxTutorialCDBurn.html>

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