

Re: help or recommendation for PCI-express graphics card

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Simon Tierney wrote:

I am still having problems with the system hanging at first time boot up stage after installing fedora 7 –it installs ok without error messages using an old matrox millennium G something pci card, but asks me to click an area to bottom right of the screen that is not visible at post installation first boot stage.

I can't seem to resize the screen and it hangs when I move the mouse to the edge of the screen.

Is there a way to get it to boot in text mode in case the default screen settings are too high definition for the card?

To boot in the text mode is fairly easy. If you get the hit any key message with the countdown, press a key to get the boot menu. (Skip if you always get the boot menu.)

At the boot menu, press e (edit). Scroll down to the line that lists the kernel, and press e again. Scroll to the end of the line, and add a space and 3. Then press b (boot) and the system should boot in the text mode.

Mikkel

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