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On Fri, 30 Nov 2007, Tom Horsley wrote:

i'm sure i'm going to regret asking this only seconds after i hit ENTER, but at what point during the boot process does the kernel's corresponding /boot/initrd.img file kick in and get used?

When it says "RedHat Nash" near the beginning of the boot then goes away for a half hour (OK, maybe not that long :-)) it is processing the init script from the initrd.img file (nash is the name for the shell-like program that interprets the script).

but what is the step that *takes* you to the kernel's corresponding /boot/initrd.img file in the first place? that's what i'm trying to figure out.

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