

Re: kernel 2.6 instalation questions [newbie]

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Andre Kirchner wrote:

Hi,

I would like to be able to choose to boot the 2.4.20-24.9 or 2.6.0 kernel when I start my computer.

I have sucessfully compiled the 2.6 kernel, but I don't

know what to do now.

The /boot directory has the files
config-2.4.20-24.9

initrd-2.4.20-24.9.img

module-info-2.4.20-24.9

System.map-2.4.20-24.9

vmlinux-2.4.20-24.9

vmlinuz-2.4.20-24.9

but I just found the System.map-2.6.0 and vmlinux-2.6.0.

How can I can the missing files? Or if I just add System.map-2.6.0 and vmlinux-2.6.0 to /boot, and create modify grub.conf will be enough?

You should be doing a "make install_modules install step". This should install your kernel, and modify your grub.conf. Be sure you have a boot floppy, or redhat cdrom handy (linux rescue).

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There is no such thing as obsolete hardware.
Merely hardware that other people don't want.
(The Second Rule of Hardware Acquisition)
Sam Flory <sflory rackable com>

Hi,

I tried to excute "make install_modules install step" in the /usr/src/linux-2.6.0 directory

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where the source are installed, but it didn't work
because there was no rule to make target
'install_modules'.

Do I need to create this rule, or I just excute make
in the wrong place and so it didn't find the rules? If
so, where should I excute it?

Thanks,

Andre

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