

## Re: [SLE] SuSE freezes after KDE login.

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Ken Schneider wrote:

> *On Mon, 2005-01-31 at 08:21, Dan wrote:*

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>> *Hi all.*

>> *I have a strange problem with my SuSE 9.0 box.*

>> *The problem happens now and then:*

>> *When I log on as a user at the KDE login prompt, the login dialog box*

>> *disappears and the system COMPLETELY freezes. All the services STOP and*

>> *I can't get in contact with it, so the only thing I can do is power it*

>> *off manually and reboot the machine which I don't like doing!*

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>> *This doesn't happen everytime, but I have noticed that it happens after*

>> *I have done the following:*

>> *1) the machine boots into runlevel 3*

>> *2) I issue a "telinit 5", log in to the GUI*

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> *Instead of issuing init5 use startx instead.*

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Thanks. I will try that in the future.

When I am in KDE and want to shut that down to free up memory, what should issue, telinit 3 ?

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>> *3) After some time I issue a "telinit 3" command and the machine goes to*

>> *runlevel 3 (I switch the GUI off to free up RAM usage)*

>> *4) Wanting to use the GUI again I issue a "telinit 5", the login dialog*

>> *box appears, I log in as a user and the machine completely freezes -*

>> *everything stops.*

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>> *I use the computer as a webserver. When I work on the server I usually*

>> *issue commands via WEBMIN.*

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>>*Does anyone have any idea what I can do to fix the problem?*

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>>*Regards,*

>>*Dan*

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