

## Re: [SLE] Adding partitions

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On Friday 11 February 2005 11:33 am, Sunny wrote:

> *On Friday 11 February 2005 10:19, Philip Washington wrote:*

<snip>

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> *YaST/System/Partitioner. There, select the partition and hit Edit. In Mount*

> *point, type in the desired mounting point. Be sure to select "Do not*

> *format" !*

> *Then, click "Fstab options". In the "Arbitr. options" you can add this:*

> *gid=xxxx,umask=002*

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> *where xxxx is the numeric ID for the "users" group. Or you can create a*

> *separate group in which you can put the users with write permissions for*

> *that partition, and replace xxxx with this ID.*

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> *This will make this partition to be mounted on boot, with owner like*

> *root:users, and will allow members of group "users" to write in it.*

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How well does this work w/ removeable disks? I have a 250gig firewire drive which seems a waste of space as vfat. However it is easily and so far ( fingers crossed ) shows up \*almost\* immediately upon connection. It also seems terminally stupid to have a drive that large, it has to slow down searches, where the convention of partitioning breaking up the drive seems to speed such things up.. or , I have had one too many mai tai's for lunch <G>

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I'm putting on the B-mer Brothers

Would you mind putting on this grass skirt?

You see , it's Aloha Friday and I've got me this shirt ... ( song lyric)

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