

Re: Gutsy unstable

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On Sun, 13 Apr 2008 08:27:59 -0700, Pastor JW wrote:

I don't remember any either. Here are the notes I used:

Description: When using the ipw3945 wireless module, the network connection can drop or lockup during heavy transfer rates.
Impact: Wireless connection drops. Data transfer stops.
Workaround: Use network module iwl3945 instead.

Create a file called /etc/modprobe.d/blacklist-ipw3945 and add:
blacklist ipw3945

Add to /etc/modules: iwl3945

Reboot. After the system restarts, verify that the module iwl3945 (and not ipw3945) is loaded:

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$ lsmod | egrep 'Module|iwl|ipw'
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You should see an output that looks like:

Module	Size	Used by
iwl3945	88168	0
iwlwifi_mac80211	175112	1 iwl3945
cfg80211	7304	1 iwlwifi_mac80211

As seen, only the iwl3945 module is loaded. Hope this helps! It was easy enough the even I could do it! Of course it was done on a laptop which had "Gutsy" factory installed.

I tried this and it worked. I guess you just have to have the driver in the /etc/modules file when you reboot for the name of the interface to get worked out and all.

Strangely the signal strength is listed as being 3 out of 4 bars now when

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I'm only a few feet from the router. Not that it matters, as long as everything else works. I'll post in a few days to note whether or not this solves all the problems.

Thank you all.

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