

# Re: SuSE 10 64-bit install

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On Fri, 29 Sep 2006, Batman <[Wrathofbatman@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Wrathofbatman@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:–

I'm about to install the 64-bit version of SuSE and I was just wondering if anyone can give me a heads up on anything I can look out for. I have little experience with a linux based os, so please keep it simple.

10.0 or 10.1?

For both, as you're installing a 64bit system, DON'T disable ACPI. It will result in lockups. Personal experience of these taught me 64bit needs ACPI enabled.

For 10.0, there's likely to be no problems whatsoever. When I installed my 64bit 10.0, after I learnt the ACPI required lesson, installation proceeded with no problems.

I don't as yet have a 64bit 10.1 install so this is based on my 32bit 10.1 experience. When it asks if you want to perform an update, don't say no. There are some minor issues that are fixed by this update. This may take some time to actually perform, so be patient.

Regards,  
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