# Re: Xorg+nvidia driver fail boot without monitor connected

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*> There's a thing called EDID that X uses to query the monitor about what*
*> sync ranges it supports. By default, X runs an EDID query when it*
*> starts. There is an option you can add to your X config file like so:*
*> Option "IgnoreEDID" "true"*
*> ...in the Device section. That might help.*

I've already use that option but nothing changed, infact Xorg work fine whitout the "IgnoreEDID" with vesa or nv drivers

*> Um, if it's a firewall/gateway, why does it need to run X?*

The pc is a 2,4gz sempron with 512mb ddr , 80gb HDD and a geforce4.... i think it's could be a nice divx player with a tv−out

*> If you want to do that, you'll have to run X then. You might also want*
*> to Google or check freshmeat.net for nv−tv−out , which might be useful*
*> to you.*

That it's interesting.... :)

*> "CRT" in this context means "anything connected to the VGA connector".*
*> If you want to use the TV−out port, you'll probably want to say*
*> Option "ConnectedMonitor" "TV"*
*> Option "IgnoreDisplayDevices" "DFP,CRT"*

I've try several combo of these option... tring to force X to believe that a monitor is connected or tho force the TV as a monitor....

*> This is Usenet, not a web−board using BBCode. There's no need to put a*
*> [URL] around URLs. This looks fine, try uncommenting the IgnoreEdid*
*> line in your config file and restarting X. Also try saying that the*
*> connected monitor is a TV and that X should ignore CRT and DFP devices.*

> *HTH,*

Sorry... i don't know that posting an url was against these newgroup, i will
not do no more.