

Re: can't play sounds on 2.6.7

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Hello

chabral (<chabral@hotmail.com>) wrote:

> *Andreas Janssen wrote:*

>> *I have the same versions on my system (Debian Sarge), and on my
>> system sound works without a problem. Maybe you could try and use the
>> oss drivers instead. All you have to do is to unload all the ALSA
>> drivers (snd-*) and load the oss sound driver for your card. It
>> should be included in the standard kernel packages.*

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> *Does your modules.conf file has something related to your soundcard?*

> *Mine is empty.*

You should have something like this:

```
#to automatically load OSS compatibility drivers
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```
above snd-pcm snd-pcm-oss
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above snd-mixer snd-mixer-oss
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above snd-seq snd-seq-oss
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```
#to automatically load the sound card driver
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alias sound-slot-0 snd-via82xx
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```
alias snd-card-0 snd-via82xx
```

(if snd-via82xx is the right driver for your chip).

This should load the drivers automatically. But you already said that you could load them manually and it still didn't work, so I don't think it will make a difference.

best regards

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