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I meant when incorrect username or password entered.

What else does it check if it find an incorrect login?

I takes more than 3 seconds to come back with the

"Login incorrect" message.

Why does it echo characters during searching for incorrect login?

Thank you,

Dennis

Dennis wrote:

> *Hello all,*

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> *I'm using RH 9 and noticing that it takes more that 3 seconds*

> *to check for user name and password at login process.*

> *I have only one administrator and one user in*

> *the system password profile.*

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> *1. Why does it take so long to compare only two login names and passwords?*

> *2. Why does it treat <ESC> key at login prompt different than other*

> *non printable key?*

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> *Thank you,*

> *Have a great thanksgiving!*

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> *Dennis*

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