

# Re: Retirement of CAM\_QUIRK\_NOSERIAL

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On 9/11/07, Scott Long <[scottl@xxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:scottl@xxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

All,

The attached patch should make CAM behave properly with regard to probing device serial numbers only when the device advertises that it supports it. It will hopefully eliminate the need for the CAM\_QUIRK\_NOSERIAL quirk (one instance is left because of an unrelated legacy problem that may or may not be possible to fix). This should especially benefit USB-UMASS devices, where the console output should be less noisy. It might even make more devices work out-of-the-box. So please focus testing on USB, but I'd also ask that people test the following devices as well as any firewire devices:

- \* Western Digital My Book 250GB (USB)
- \* Maxtor Personal Storage 3000XT (Firewire)

As far as I tested a few months ago, the quirk for Maxtor 3000XT is not necessary any more, though I don't know why.

Please remove it.

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