

## Re: SATA disk experience/ SATA DVD+RW

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Kevin D. Kinsey, DaleCo, S.P. wrote:

> *Mike Jeays wrote:*

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>> *I have just borrowed a brand new Pentium 4 3.6 GHz machine from the  
>> office, intending to use it as an open source demonstration machine.*

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>> *To my surprise, it has no IDE disk, only a SATA drive, which I have not  
>> used before personally.*

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>> *Fedora Core 1 and Suse Enterprise Server completely failed to install,  
>> complaining about "no disk drive".*

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>> *FreeBSD 5.3 installed perfectly, and runs like the wind! Hats off again  
>> to the FreeBSD team.*

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> *Woo Hoo! And I second that; FBSD's a great thing, even if  
> the mascot looks evil sometimes... <heh! j/k ... >*

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> *Wonder if you should have cross-posted this to advocacy@?*

> *Not too late to forward it, if you want to ....*

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> *Kevin Kinsey*

> *DaleCo, S.P.*

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Hi Kevin and all, I just bought a beautiful Plextor SATA DVD+RW, etc, etc. Am I screwed, or is this going to work? I didn't see anything in the dmesg related to this. But it is on my AMD64 machine with 5.3-RELEASE. Generic kernel modified for IPFilter and audio, thats all. Even XP-64 beta won't recognize this thing.

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