

PXE/DHCP Solaris Jumpstart onto non-Sun x86 based machines...

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Hi:

TIA

I had to bite the bullet ...

Im trying to setup jumpstart to hands-off build Solaris onto x86 machines, but not the x86 variety that are from Sun (lets say they are from Dell)... This makes a difference because there is no serial access until later on (when the machine is running Solaris).

Anyway my question is, how do I tell inetboot or nbp not to menu-prompt me for which type of installation I want (i.e. Solaris Interactive, Custom Jumpstart, etc).

I believe its a "boot-args" variable in the relevant /tftpboot/01MAC.bootenv.rc file.

I've tried the following values with no success:

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setprop boot-args "- install nowin"
setprop boot-args "net:dhcp - install"
setprop boot-args "net - install"
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Maybe my syntax is incorrect or maybe there is another way to do it completely (i.e. get rid of that pesky menu).

My sysidcfg, btw, file looks good, but here it is just in case.

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# -----
# Do not edit the values of any of the
# directives below unless you know what
# you are doing, and it is necessary.
# -----
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name_service=NONE
system_locale=en_US
timezone=US/Eastern
timeserver=localhost
terminal=vt100
root_password="*****"
security_policy=NONE

#network_interface=primary {dhcp protocol_ipv6=no}
network_interface=primary {netmask=255.255.255.0 protocol_ipv6=no}

keyboard=test:us101 {
    dev=/dev/vt00
    kbdfile=us101.kbd
    KbdChecksum=0x100cef96
}

display=test:SUNWxf86.ati {
    ddxHandler=ddxSUNWxf86.ati.so.1
    ddxInitFunc=SUNWxf86Init
}

pointer=test:ps22b {
    csize=0
    emulTimeout=25
    buttons=3
    strmod=vuid2ps2
    ddxInitFunc=ddxSUNWmouseProc
    ddxHandler=ddxSUNWmouse.so.1
    dev=/dev/kdmouse
    ptrfile=ps22b3be025.ptr
    PtrChecksum=0x45cafda9
}

monitor=test:ati {
    device=SUNWxf86.ati
    res=1024x768
    defdepth=8
    size="15-inch (38cm)"
    board=3:9:0/ati.xqa
    monitor=pnp/edidgen.vda
    dpix=85
    dpiy=85
    desktop=1024x768
    DisplayChecksum=0x3d487a31
    hz=75
    dcm=Adapter
}

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