

Packages - Bug #2406

[xfce4-settings] xfce4-display-settings is not working correctly

2019-07-30 05:38 PM - pisechka

Status:	not-a-bug	% Done:	0%
Priority:	bug		
Assignee:			
Category:			
Description			
With more than one monitor. After start in 9 out 10 cases Display manager determines monitors incorrectly.			

History

#1 - 2019-07-30 06:09 PM - freemor

It sounds like you haven't taken the time to properly define your device and monitor stanzas in your xorg config. Without which X may sometimes be switching which monitor is which when it autoconfigs.

See:  
<https://wiki.archlinux.org/index.php/Multihead>

With attention to the configuring xorg section.

#2 - 2019-07-30 08:55 PM - pisechka

freemor wrote:

It sounds like you haven't taken the time to properly define your device and monitor stanzas in your xorg config. Without which X may sometimes be switching which monitor is which when it autoconfigs.

See:  
<https://wiki.archlinux.org/index.php/Multihead>

With attention to the configuring xorg section.

I do not understand what you are thinkng, but after excluding compton from autoload, everything work correctly.

#3 - 2019-07-30 09:18 PM - freemor

I was thinking that there was a race condition happening when X11 was auto-configuring that was causing it to sometimes enumerate the monitors in different order.

If such was the case writing proper (aka maunal) Device and Monitor Stanzas in your xorg config files would create a fixed mapping as to which device is which and also which is the primary.

Seems you found the issue tho so unless there is some objection I'll close this as not-a-bug

#4 - 2019-07-31 12:18 AM - freemor

- Status changed from unconfirmed to not-a-bug

#5 - 2019-07-31 05:24 PM - bill-auger

XFCE has multiple issues piling up recently - we should probably collect them into an epic and try to at least confirm them