

Installation Media - Bug #939

parabola mate 2016.1.11 iso doesn't work the way it should,

2016-02-21 08:17 PM - calmstorm

Status: fixed	% Done: 100%
Priority: bug	
Assignee:	
Category:	
Description I have burned the iso onto a usb with dd and I can't get to step 4 in the graphical install. strangely enough, the keys and the date don't work properly, the date I can fix on my own, its the keys that do not work properly or something of that sort, I have tried many times, but no matter what I do, The configure parabola (step 4 in graphical mode of mate) doesn't work it keeps wanting me to start back from scratch it seems like. is there anything i can do to fix this?	

History

#1 - 2016-02-24 07:51 PM - isacdaavid

- Status changed from open to info needed

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http://parabolagnulinux.mirrors.linux.ro/$repo@/os/$arch
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[1] <https://labs.parabola.nu/issues/933>

#2 - 2016-02-25 02:16 AM - calmstorm

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#3 - 2016-02-25 02:32 AM - Anonymous

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mirrorlist file is on /etc/pacman.d/

#4 - 2016-08-02 03:24 AM - Anonymous

- Assignee set to Anonymous

- % Done changed from 0 to 100

- Status changed from info needed to fixed