

FreeBSD Branches/Tags

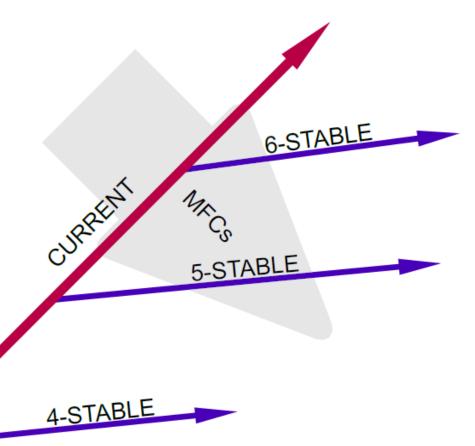
- Three parallel development branches:
 - RELEASE
 - Latest Release version
 - 7.0 January 2009, 6.3 November 2008
 - http://www.freebsd.org/releases/
 - -STABLE: Tested new features and bug fixes
 - ABI-compatibility
 - MFC: Merge From Current
 - -CURRENT: Working space for FreeBSD developers
 - Current version
 - 8.0-CURRENT

FreeBSD Version

- FreeBSD-A.B.C—Type
 - A: major version Number
 - B: minor version Number
 - C: slight patch version number
- Type: version type
 - -PRELEASE
 - BETA
 - -RC (0, 1, 2...)
 - -RELEASE
 - -STABLE
 - -CURRENT
- Choosing the FreeBSD Version That Is Right For You:
 - http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en/articles/version-guide/index.html

FreeBSD Development Branches

- Simultaneous parallel development
- Divergence based on feature maturity
- "MFC" merges changes from CURRENT to STABLE branches



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FreeBSD Release Cycle

- Most of the tome open development
- Release cycle on STABLE branches
 - Code slush
 - Code freeze
 - Beta series, branching (-BETA)
 - Release candidate series (-RC)
 - Release (-RELEASE)
 - Errata/Security advisories
- Big "dot zero" release less frequently

FreeBSD Release Engineering

- Release Engineering Information
 - http://www.freebsd.org/releng/
- Upcoming Release Schedule
 - To be defined FreeBSD 7.2
 - June 2009 FreeBSD 8.0
- Code-Freeze Status

Branch	Status	Contact	Notes
HEAD	Open	Committers	Active development branch for 8-CURRENT.
RELENG_7	Open	Committers	Development branch for 7-STABLE.
RELENG_7_1	Frozen	security-officer@FreeBSD.org	FreeBSD 7.1 supported errata fix branch.
RELENG_6_2	Frozen	security-officer@FreeBSD.org	FreeBSD 6.2 errata fix branch (not officially supported).
RELENG_5	Open	Committers	Maintenance branch for 5- STABLE (not officially supported)

Documentation

- Handbook
 - http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en/books/handbook/
- Chinese resources
 - http://freebsddoc.twbbs.org
 - https://opensvn.csie.org/traccgi/freebsddoc
- Wiki
 - http://wiki.freebsd.org

Getting FreeBSD

- http://www.freebsd.org/where.html
- Taiwan Official Mirror Site
 - ftp.tw.FreeBSD.org
 - ftp://FreeBSD.cs.nctu.edu.tw
- FTP site layout
 - pub/
 - FreeBSD/
 - ISO-IMAGES-*/
 - (linked to ISO-IMAGES under release/<arch>)
 - branches/
 - 7.0-stable/
 - releases/
 - amd64/
 - i386/
 - 7.1-RELEASE/
 - ISO-IMAGES/
 - 0 7.1/
 - 7.1-RELEASE-1386-DISC1.ISO



Booting

```
ata0 master: QEMU HARDDISK ATA-7 Hard-Disk (  64 GBytes)
ata1 master: QEMU DVD-ROM ATAPI-4 CD-Rom/DVD-Rom
Press F12 for boot menu.
Booting from CD-Rom...
509MB medium detected
CD Loader 1.2
Building the boot loader arguments
Looking up /BOOT/LOADER... Found
Relocating the loader and the BTX
Starting the BTX loader
BTX loader 1.00 BTX version is 1.01
Consoles: internal video/keyboard
BIOS CD is cd0
BIOS drive C: is disk0
BIOS 639kB/261056kB available memory
FreeBSD/i386 bootstrap loader, Revision 1.1
(root@logan.cse.buffalo.edu, Sun Feb 24 16:31:36 UTC 2008)
Loading /boot/defaults/loader.conf
/boot/kernel/kernel text=0x6fd45c -
```

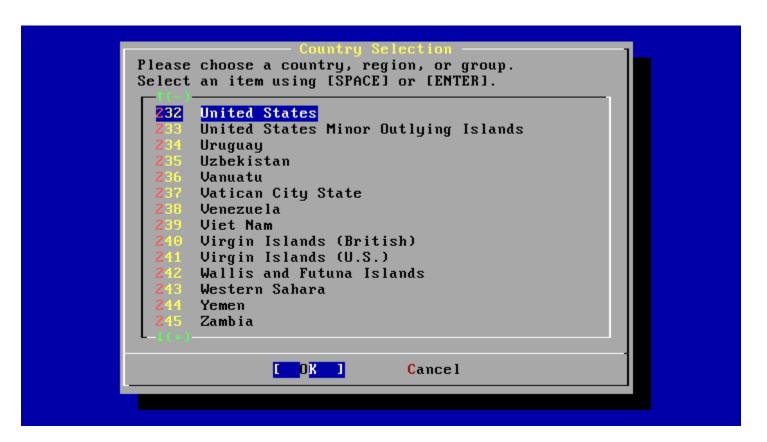
Booting...

- Just press Enter
- "loader prompt": some custom/special settings
 Ex: loading modules, loader tunables



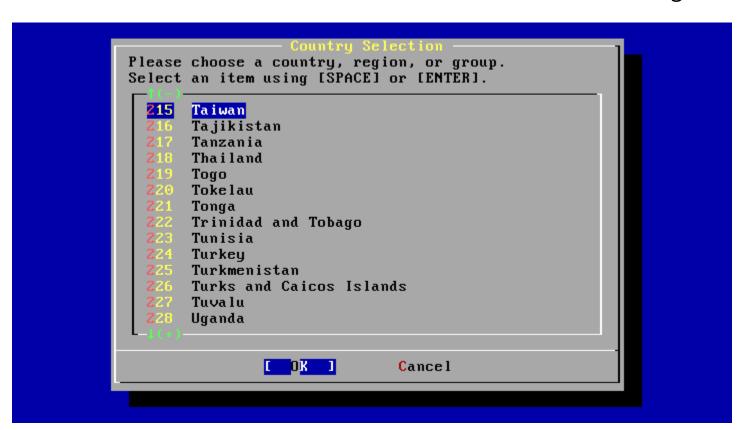
Country Selection

Just use default or...



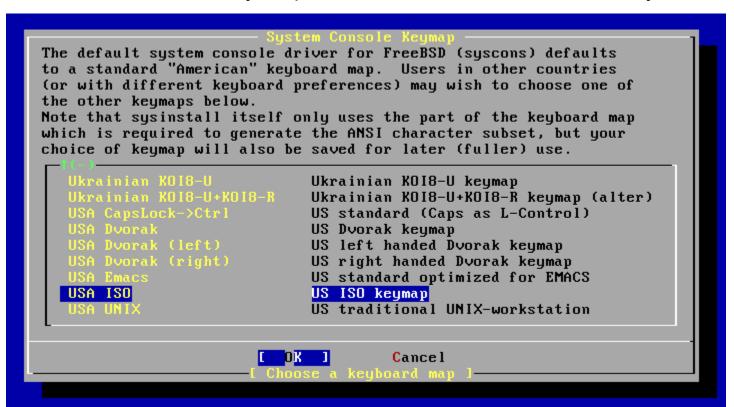
Country - Taiwan

This is loving Taiwan!



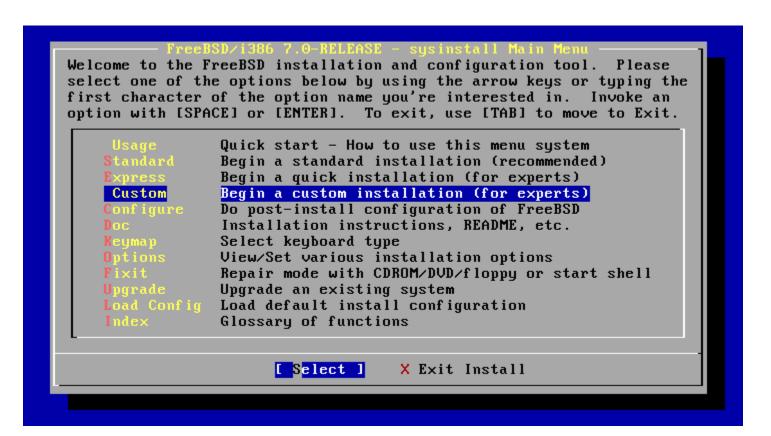
Keymap

Use USA ISO keymap because we don't have our keyboard layout...



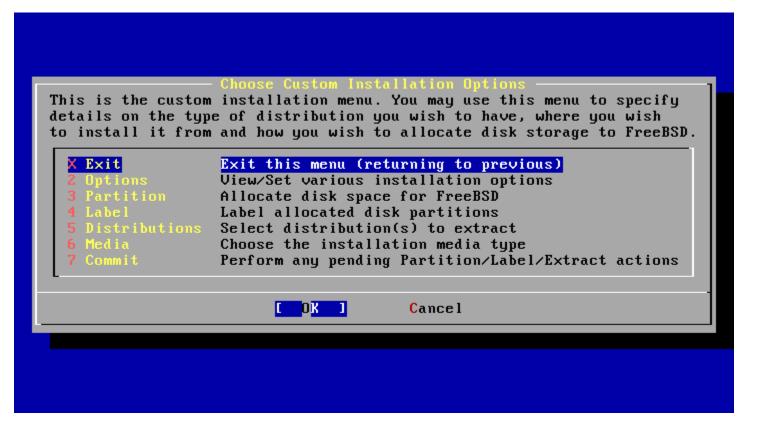
Sysinstall Main Menu

Being experts!



Custom Installation

- Installation variables
- Partition your disk
- Label your disk
- What to install
- How to install
- Do it!



Options

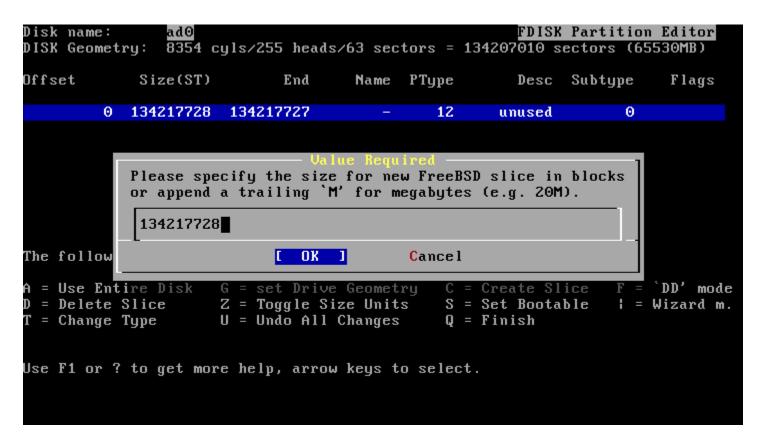
- Sometimes you can change "Release Name "
- Leave default is enough
- Only change things when you know what you're doing

Media Type Interview Media Type Interview	### Browser package links ####################################	ame	Value	Name	Value
Browser Exec /usr/local/bin/link Browser Exec /usr/local/bin/local/	### Browser Exec /usr/local/bin/link ####################################				
Media Type Interview Media Type Interview	Media Type Interview Media Type Interview Interview Media Type Interview Interview				
Media Timeout 300	Media Timeout 300				
No Package Temp	No Package Temp /var/tmp Yes to All NO Newfs Args -b 16384 -f 2048 OHCP NO Fixit Console standard IPv6 NO Re-scan Devices <*> Skip PCCARD NO Use Defaults [RESET!] TTP username ftp				
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Editor /usr/bin/ee	Editor /usr/bin/ee	_		Use Defaults	[RESET!]
Tane Blocksize 20	Cape Blocksize 20				
Extract Detail high			•		
Release Name 7.0-RELEASE	Melease Name 7.0-KELEASE	elease Name	7.0-RELEASE		

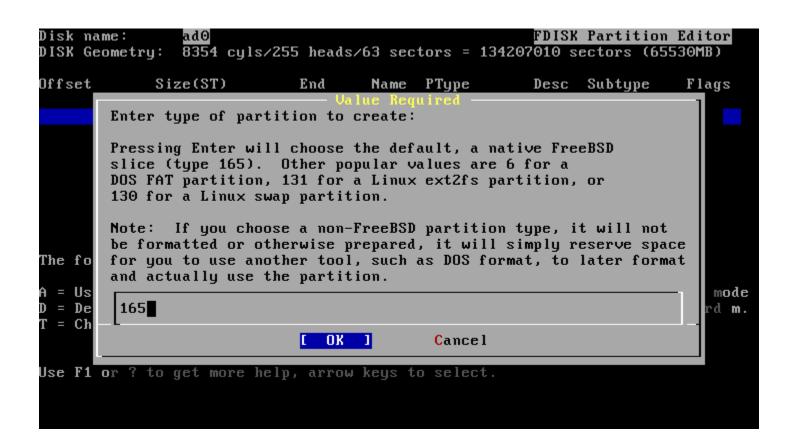
- C = Create
- D = Delete
- W = Write
- \cdot Q = Finish

```
FDISK Partition Editor
Disk name:
               ad0
               8354 cyls/255 heads/63 sectors = 134207010 sectors (65530MB)
DISK Geometry:
            Size(ST)
Offset
                            End
                                    Name PType
                                                      Desc Subtype
                                                                       Flags
           134217728
                      134217727
                                             12
                                                    unused
                                                                  Θ
The following commands are supported (in upper or lower case):
 = Use Entire Disk
                     G = set Drive Geometry C = Create Slice
                                                                 F = D' mode
 = Delete Slice
                     Z = Toggle Size Units S = Set Bootable
                                                                 l = Wizard m.
                                              Q = Finish
T = Change Type
                     U = Undo All Changes
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

Size of the partition Default value: entire free space



165 - FreeBSD's magic number



Partition hard disk as only one partition

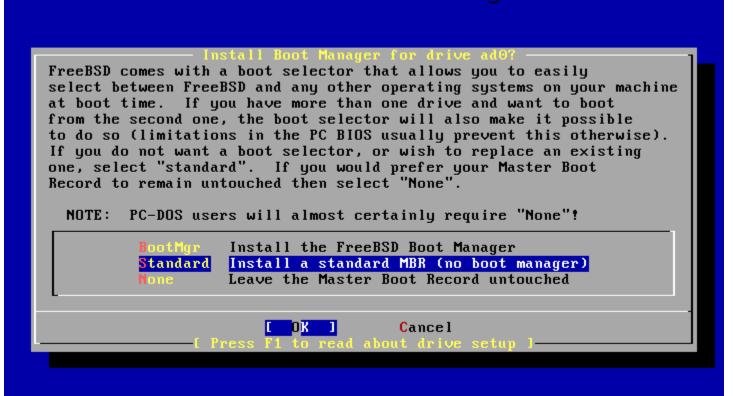
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FDISK Partition Editor
Disk name:
               ad0
               8354 cyls/255 heads/63 sectors = 134207010 sectors (65530MB)
DISK Geometry:
            Size(ST)
Offset
                            End
                                     Name PType
                                                            Subtype
                                                                        Flags
                                                       Desc
                              62
                                              12
                                                                   0
                   63
                                                     unused
       63
            134206947
                       134207009
                                    ad0s1
                                                    freebsd
                                                                 165
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               10718
                      134217727
                                              12
                                                     unused
                                                                   0
The following commands are supported (in upper or lower case):
 = Use Entire Disk
                     G = set Drive Geometry C = Create Slice
                                                                  F = DD' mode
 = Delete Slice
                     Z = Toggle Size Units
                                              S = Set Bootable
                                                                  l = Wizard m.
                     U = Undo All Changes
T = Change Type
                                              Q = Finish
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

S = Set bootable

```
Disk name:
                                                       FDISK Partition Editor
               ad0
               8354 cyls/255 heads/63 sectors = 134207010 sectors (65530MB)
DISK Geometry:
            Size(ST)
Offset
                            End
                                     Name PType
                                                            Subtype
                                                                        Flags
                                                       Desc
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        0
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       63
            134206947
                       134207009
                                    ad0s1
                                                    freebsd
                                                                 165
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                                              12
 134207010
               10718
                      134217727
                                                     unused
                                                                   0
The following commands are supported (in upper or lower case):
A = Use Entire Disk
                     G = set Drive Geometry C = Create Slice
                                                                  F = DD' mode
D = Delete Slice
                     Z = Toggle Size Units
                                              S = Set Bootable
                                                                  l = Wizard m.
                     U = Undo All Changes
T = Change Type
                                              Q = Finish
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

Partition - Boot Manager

- BootMgr install a simple boot manager to disk MBR
- Standard write to disk MBR
- None leave it unchanged



Partition - More than 1 HDs

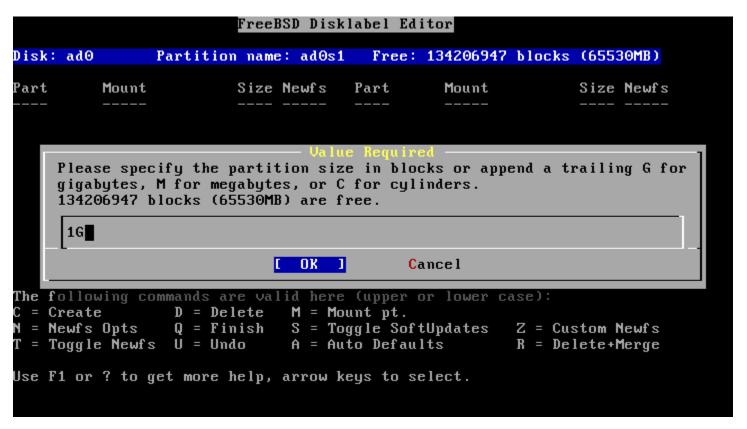
Be aware which disk is your right target!



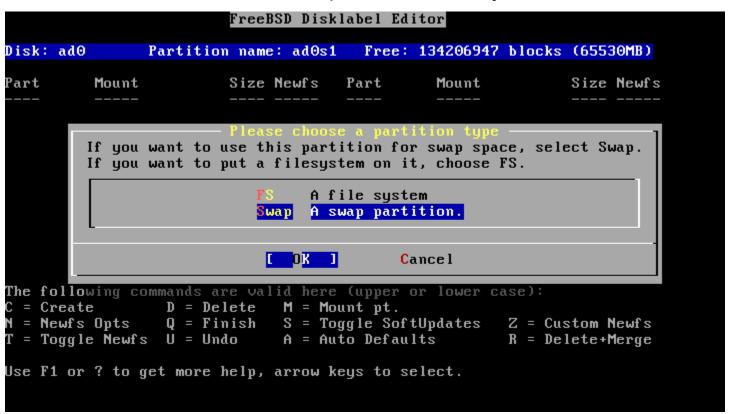
C = CreateD = DeleteQ = Finish

```
FreeBSD Disklabel Editor
Disk: ad0
               Partition name: ad0s1
                                       Free: 134206947 blocks (65530MB)
Part
         Mount
                        Size Newfs
                                                             Size Newfs
                                     Part
                                               Mount
The following commands are valid here (upper or lower case):
 = Create
                 D = Delete
                              M = Mount pt.
                             S = Toggle SoftUpdates Z = Custom Newfs
N = Newfs Opts
                Q = Finish
T = Toggle Newfs U = Undo
                              A = Auto Defaults
                                                      R = Delete+Merge
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

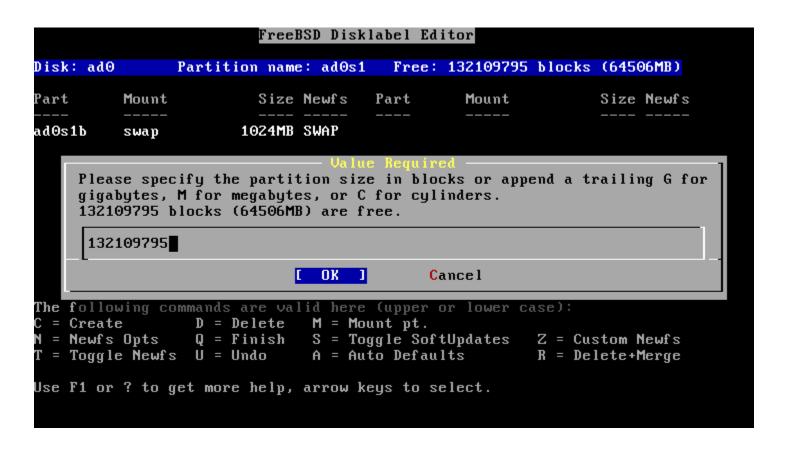
- Allocation space for swap:
- Typically is 2x of your memory size.
- But this is not the absolute rule!



- Set to be used for swap
- Swap spaces can be distributed on different disks
 - Good practice when you have more than one disk



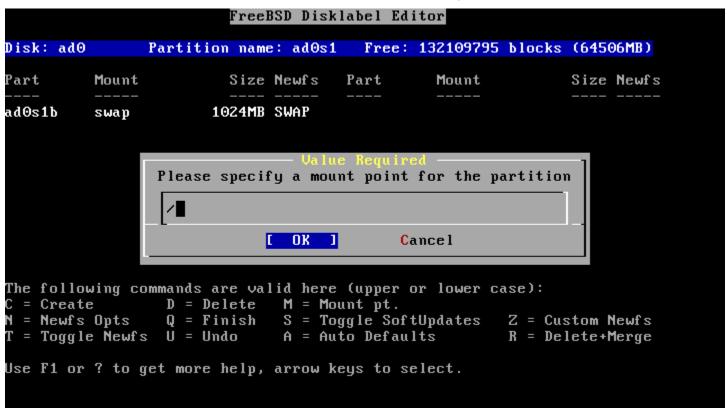
Default is all that remained...



File system type, for data storage



Setting mount point
For learning '/' is enough.
(Not so good for practical using, unless all other things are on other machines)



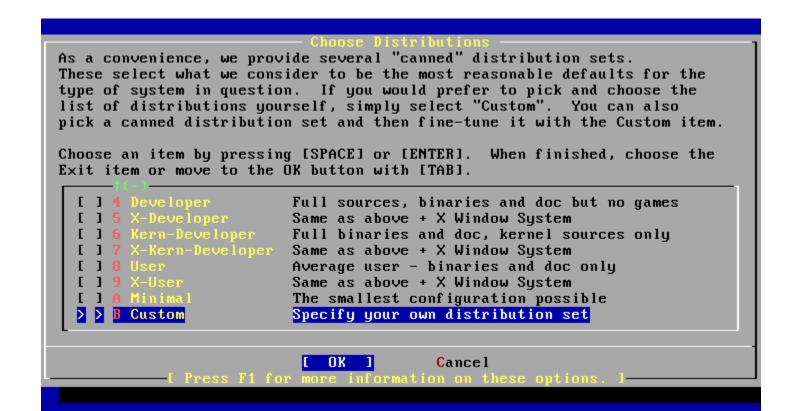
Then we have two labels for meet minimal requirement

```
FreeBSD Disklabel Editor
Disk: ad0
               Partition name: ad0s1
                                       Free: 0 blocks (OMB)
Part
         Mount
                        Size Newfs
                                     Part
                                               Mount
                                                             Size Newfs
ad0s1b
                      1024MB SWAP
         swap
ad0s1a
                     64506MB UFS2
The following commands are valid here (upper or lower case):
 = Create
                 D = Delete
                             M = Mount pt.
N = Newfs Opts Q = Finish S = Toggle SoftUpdates Z = Custom Newfs
T = Toggle Newfs U = Undo
                              A = Auto Defaults R = Delete+Merge
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

S = Toggle SoftUpdates (something like journaling) http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Soft_updates http://www.mckusick.com/softdep/

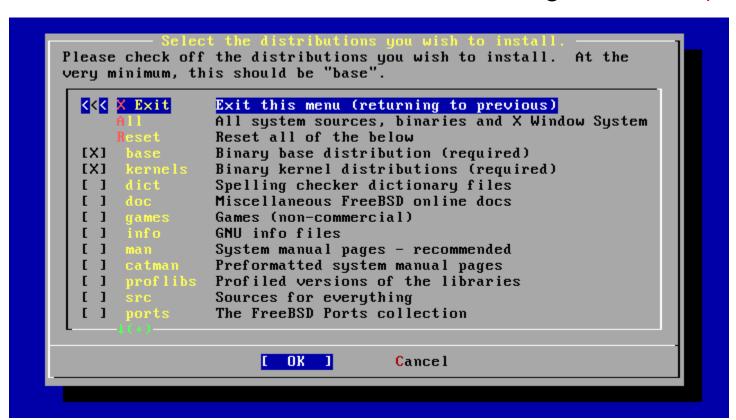
```
FreeBSD Disklabel Editor
Disk: ad0
               Partition name: ad0s1
                                       Free: 0 blocks (OMB)
Part
                        Size Newfs
                                                              Size Newfs
         Mount
                                               Mount
                                     Part
ad0s1b
                      1024MB SWAP
         swap
ad0s1a
                     64506MB UFS2+S Y
The following commands are valid here (upper or lower case):
 = Create
                 D = Delete
                              M = Mount pt.
 = Newfs Opts
                Q = Finish
                              S = Toggle SoftUpdates Z = Custom Newfs
T = Toggle Newfs U = Undo
                              A = Auto Defaults
                                                       R = Delete+Merge
Use F1 or ? to get more help, arrow keys to select.
```

Distributions



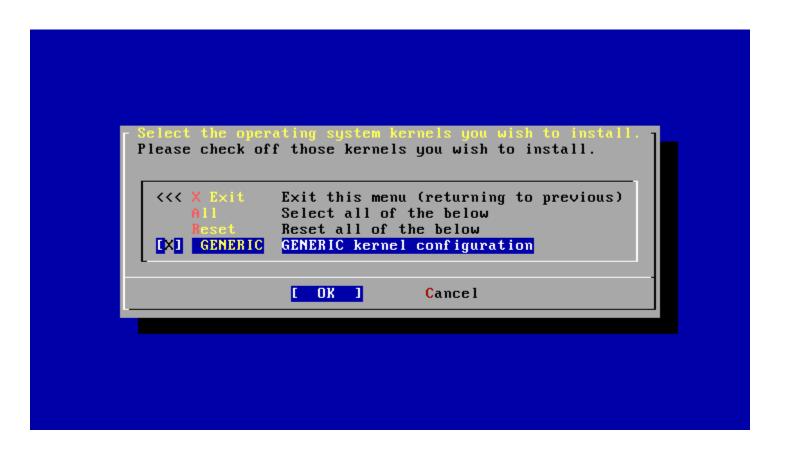
Distributions

Minimum: base and kernel Also be good: src and ports

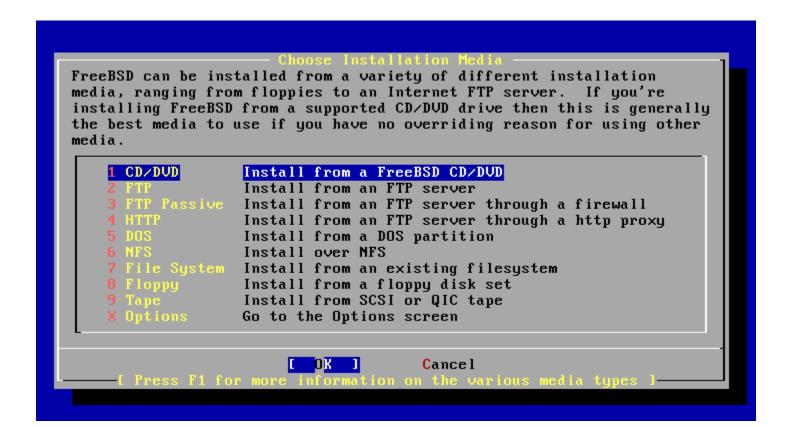


Distributions - kernel

• SMP



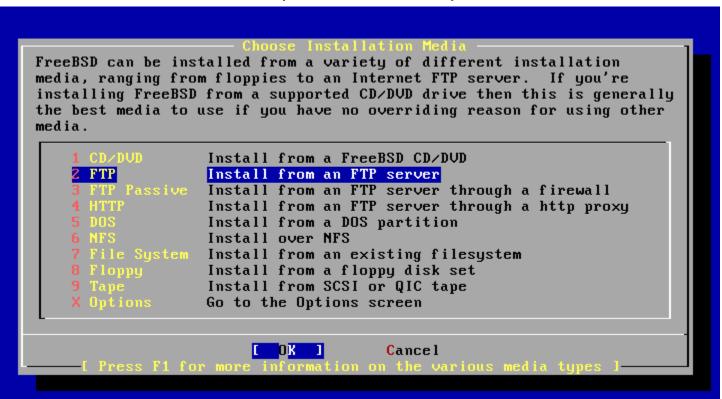
Media - CD/DVD



Media - FTP

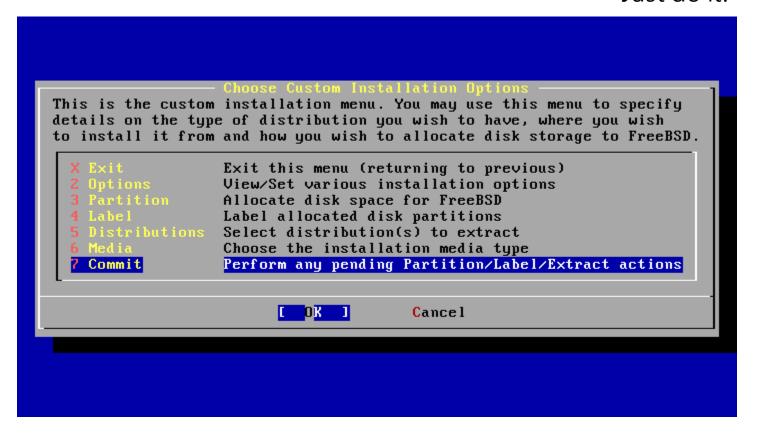
Passive Mode:

Server opens the port and let client to connect to. (recommended)



Commit

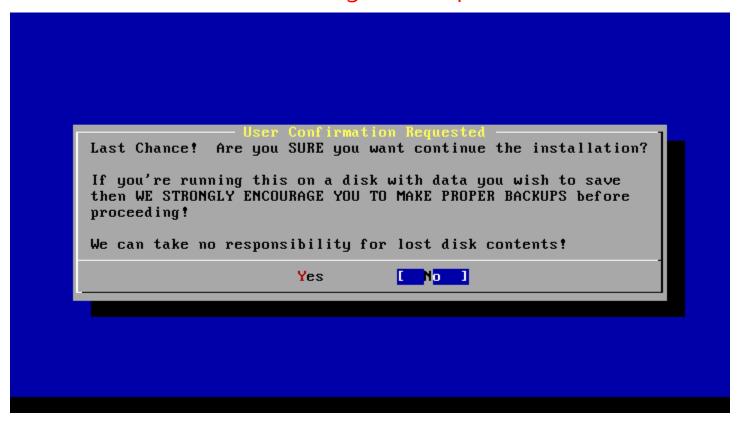
Just do it!



Last Chance!

We can take no responsibility for lost disk contents!

Don't forget backup!

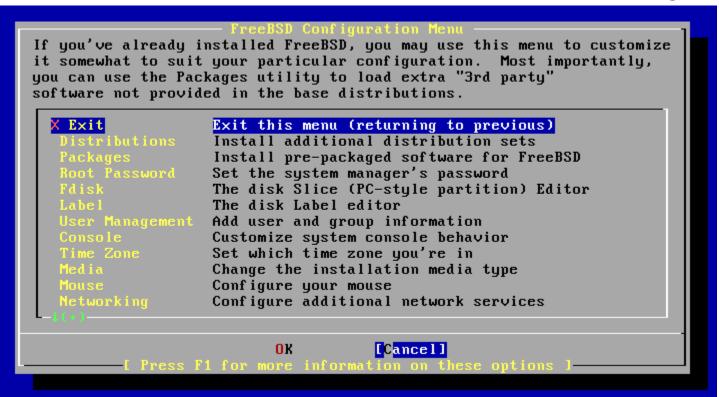


Installing...



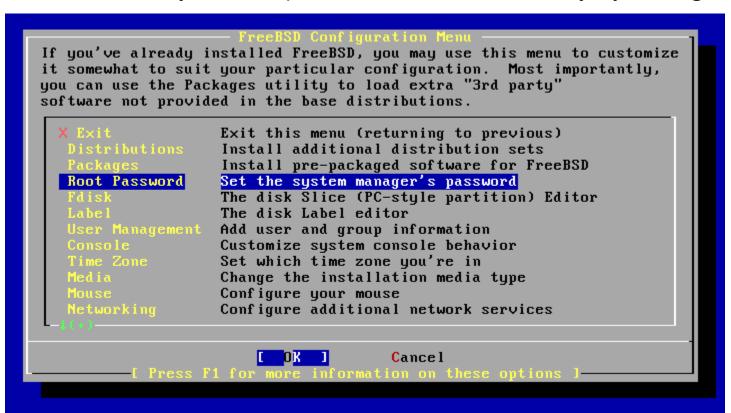
Configuration

- Root Password
- User Management
- Time Zone
- Networking



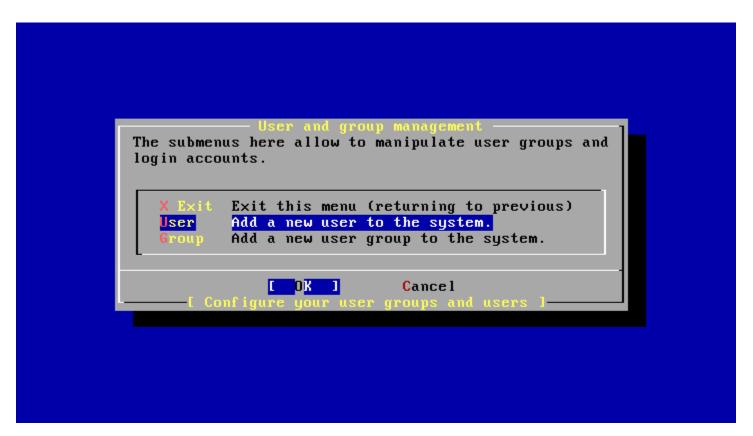
Root Password

Or your computer will be cracked barely by hitting one [Enter]



User Management

Create a user different than root for remote login



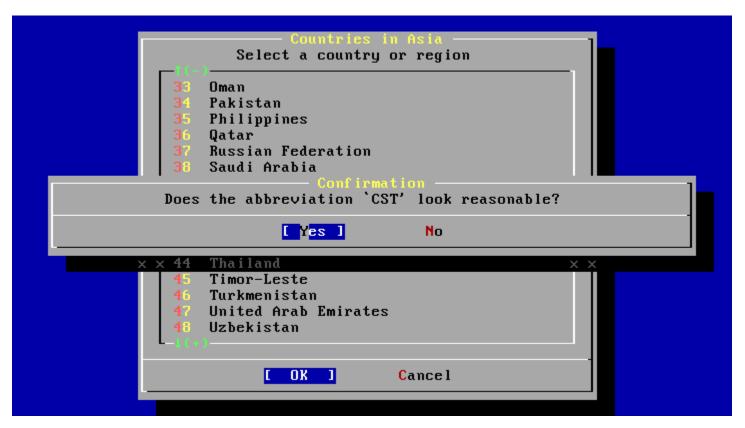
User Management

- For administration user, "staff" is a good group.
- If you want to become root, be sure you are in "wheel" group.



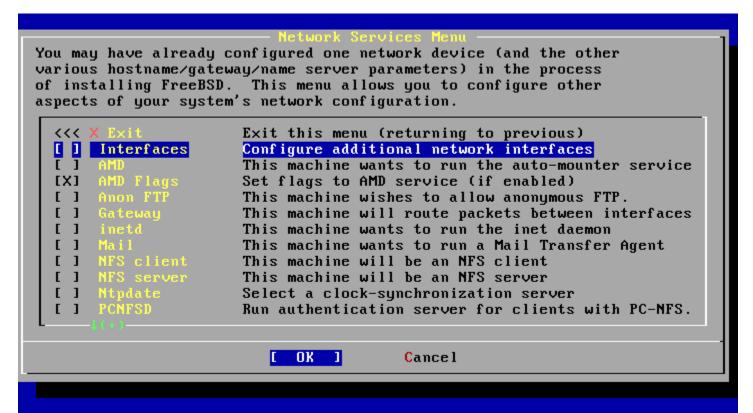
Time Zone

- Asia -> Taiwan
- Is BIOS time UTC? No
- CST? Yes



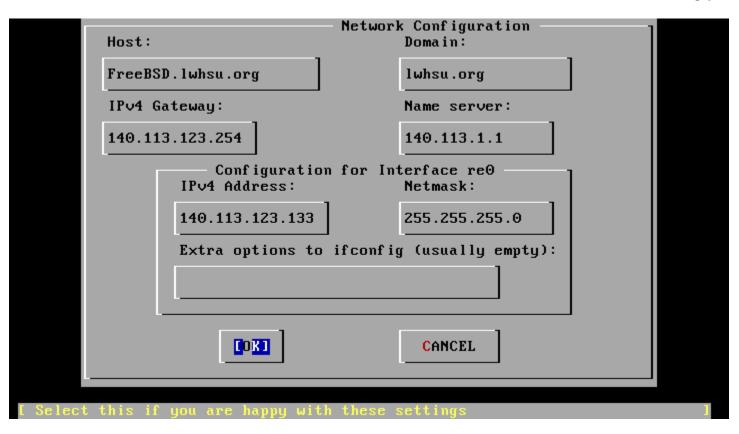
Network Services

- Interface
- sshd



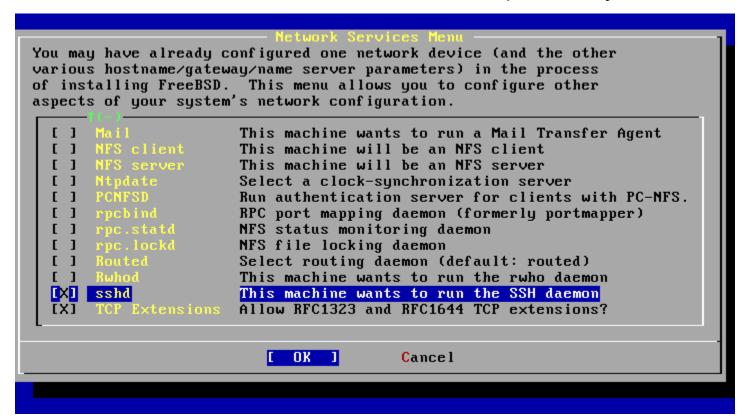
Network Services - Interface

- DHCP?
- IPv6?

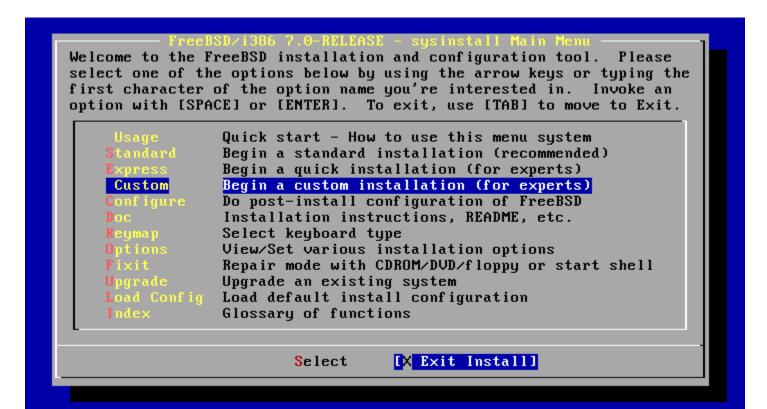


Network Services - sshd

Open a way for remote login

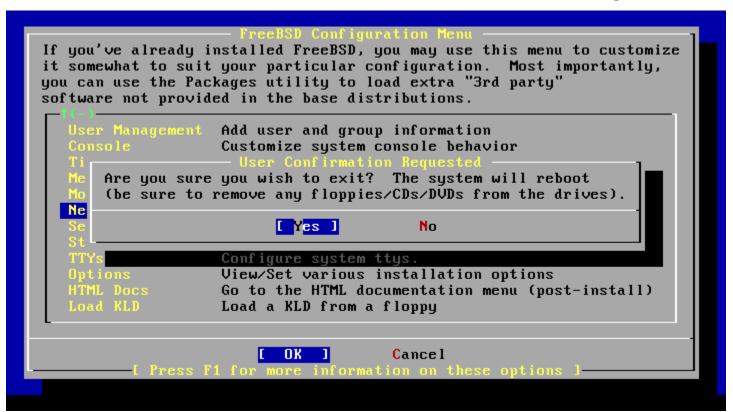


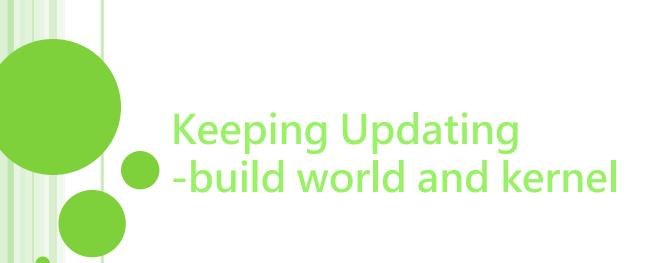
Done!



Last Step...

Be sure to remove booting media.





CVS Tags

- Branch Tags
 - HEAD (.) (-CURRENT)
 - RELENG_7 (-STABLE)
 - RELENG_7_1 (-RELEASE)
 - RELENG_7_1_BP
- Release Tags
 - RELENG_7_1_0_RELEASE

CVSup Configuration File

- /usr/share/examples/cvsup/
 - standard-supfile

```
*default host=cvsup.tw.FreeBSD.org
```

- *default base=/var/db
- *default prefix=/usr
- *default release=cvs tag=RELENG_7_1
- *default delete use-rel-suffix
- o csup <supfile>
 csup(1)

Make configuration file

```
/etc/make.conf:
SUP UPDATE=
                  yes
                 /usr/bin/csup
SUP=
SUPFLAGS=
                  -L 2
SUPFILE=
                 /usr/local/etc/src-supfile
#PORTSSUPFILE=
                 /usr/local/etc/ports-supfile
KERNCONF=
                  SABSD
CPUTYPE=
                  core2
```

/usr/share/examples/etc/make.conf /usr/share/mk/bsd.cpu.mk

Make configuration file (advanced)

```
NO_CLEANDIR=yes
NO_CLEAN=yes
NO_KERNELCLEAN= yes
#NO_MODULES= yes
#MODULES_WITH_WORLD= true
NO_PORTSUPDATE= yes
```

Use these options carefully! /usr/src/Makefile.inc1

Steps

- (Read /usr/src/UPDATING)
- cd /usr/src
- o make update
- mergemaster -p (Pre-buildworld mode)
- o make (-j∧) buildworld
- make (-j∧) kernel (buildkernel, installkernel)
- (reboot and boot in single user mode)
- make installworld
- mergemaster (or mergemaster -Ui)
- o (make check-old, make delete-old)
- Reboot

Kernel configuration file

- Kernel configure file
 - cd /usr/src/sys/{i386,amd64}/conf/
- "LINT"
 - make LINT
- Make your own kernel configuration file
 - cp GENERIC "YOUR-KERNEL-NAME"
- Edit your configuration file
- Edit /etc/make.conf

Reboot & Check

- Reboot and enjoy it
 - # reboot
- Check
 - # uname -a

If Something Goes Wrong

- Boot from old kernel
 - "6. Escape to loader prompt"
 - Boot /boot/kernel.old/kernel
 - cd/boot
 - cp -R kernel.old kernel.ok
 - rm -fr kernel
 - mv kernel.old krenel

Handbook!

- Chapter 8 Configuring the FreeBSD Kernel
 - http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en/books/handbook/ke rnelconfig.html
- 23.4 Rebuilding "world"
 - http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en/books/handbook/makeworld.html
- 8.7 If Something Goes Wrong
 - http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en/books/handbook/ke rnelconfig-trouble.html



FreeBSD ports/package

- Package
 - Pre-built ports
 - pkg_add, pkg_delete, pkg_deinstall, pkg_info, pkg_version

Ports

- cd /usr/ports, make search, make install clean
- ports/ports-mgmt/portupgrade
 - o portinstall, portupgrade, portversion
 - /usr/local/etc/pkgtools.conf
- Ports/ports-mgmt/portmaster

CVSup Configuration File

- /usr/share/examples/cvsup/
 - ports-supfile
- *default host=cvsup.tw.FreeBSD.org
- *default base=/var/db
- *default prefix=/usr
- *default release=cvs tag=.
- *default delete use-rel-suffix

Updating Ports Tree

- Update your ports tree every time you want to install/upgrading software
- Read /usr/ports/UPDATING
- CVSup
- csup <ports-supfile>
- cd /usr/ports && \
 make update && \
 make fetchindex

portsnap

- o /etc/portsnap.conf
 - portsnap.freebsd.org -> portsnap.tw.freebsd.org
- first time
 - portsnap fetch extract
- update
 - portsnap fetch update
- o portsnap(8)

Ports system

- Find your application
 - cd /usr/ports
 - make search name=program name
 - make search key=string
- change to the directory for the port you want to install
- Type "make install clean" to install your application
 - make
 - make install
 - make clean
- /usr/ports/Mk/bsd.port.mk
 - "Default targets and their behaviors"

Package System

- pkg_add(1)
 - pkg_add pkg_name
 - # pkg_add lsof-4.56.4.tgz
 - pkg_add -r pkg_name
 - If you don't have a source of local packages
 - If you are using FreeBSD-CURRENT or FreeBSD-STABLE, pkg_add will download the latest version of your application
 - If your are using FreeBSD-RELEASE, it will grab the version of the package that was built with your release
 - PACKAGESITE environment variable

Managing Packages

pkg_info(1)

o pkg_version(1)

```
pkg_delete(1)# pkg_delete xchat-1.7.1
```

More port utilities

- All under "ports-mgmt" catalog
- Search ports
 - Psearch
- Delete unnecessary ports
 - pkg_cutleaves
 - pkg_rmleaves
- Upgrading
 - portsupgrade
 - Portmaster
- Security
 - portaudit



__FreeBSD_version values

o /usr/src/sys/sys/param.h

 http://www.freebsd.org/doc/en_US.ISO8859-1/books/portershandbook/freebsd-versions.html

Maintenance

- Root Mails
 - Daily run output
 - Security run output
 - packages with security vulnerabilities
 - Monthly run output
- Read mailing-lists
 - -stable
 - -ports
 - -CVS
 - -SVN