
Subject: Re: Ubuntu 8.04

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jonathanku wrote on Tue, 19 August 2008 07:48To be honest I don't know. I've not looked for the reference on boot options.

But all the complications seemed to stem from the DVD drive which is an IDE device... so something related to that.

If anyone knows.... share the wealth.

After some research I found that all_generic_ide does this in init script:

```
if grep all_generic_ide /proc/cmdline 2>/dev/null; then
```

```
    modprobe -v ata_generic all_generic_ide=1
```

```
fi
```

kernel module ata_generic's source describes it as:

```
/*
```

```
32 *    A generic parallel ATA driver using libata
```

```
33 */
```