

Quickfixes

Relaunch KDE Plasma after freeze

Sometimes after some weeks of uptime when I entered my office in the morning, I discovered a frozen Plasma. To fix this, enter the system via SSH and then execute this command:

```
sudo systemctl restart sddm
```

And without re-login:

```
kquitapp5 plasmashell && kstart5 plasmashell
```

Fix NTFS file system

If a NTFS volume cannot be mounted due to a corrupted filesystem, it might be repairable by using `ntfsfix`:

```
sudo ntfsfix -d /path/to/blockdevice
```

Example: `sudo ntfsfix -d /dev/sda1`

After running this command the filesystem might be able to mounted again.

Setlocale failed Debian/Ubuntu

If you got any error of the following when running `apt` or anything else:

```
locale: Cannot set LC_ALL to default locale: No such file or directory
```

```
perl: warning: Falling back to the standard locale ("C")
```

```
perl: warning: Setting locale failed.
```

Just run the following command and select the correct locale:

```
sudo dpkg-reconfigure locales
```

Or use:

```
sudo localectl set-locale en_US.UTF-8
```

Allow users to write to specific directory

To allow any user to read/write a directory adjust permissions with:

```
chmod -R 0777 /path/to/dir
```

-R sets the permissions recursively.

Sourced from superuser.com - [Chmod to allow read and write permissions](#)

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