

Arch Linux on Reddit

- [What is this error in archinstall](#) (2026/01/31 10:07)
I'm trying to dual boot arch Linux until I got this error. What is this? <https://ibb.co/r2k2Y59J> I tried scrolling by shift pageup but won't work Edit: it's a grub error probably cause it downloads and install the kernel properly. submitted by /u/Persuasivwithoutout [link] [comments]
- [Build AIRCTL: A modern WiFi manager for Linux \(GTK4 + Python\)](#) (2026/01/31 09:53)
Link: github.com/pshycodr/airctl I built this because I wanted a clean WiFi manager for my Arch setup. Most tools felt clunky or terminal-only. What it does: • Scans available networks with auto-refresh • Connects to secured and open networks • Shows detailed network info (IP address, gateway, DNS servers, signal strength, frequency, security type) • Lets you forget and disconnect from networks • Toggles WiFi on/off Link: github.com/pshycodr/airctl submitted by /u/Aroy666 [link] [comments]
- [Is it possible to encrypt my root partition after installing?](#) (2026/01/31 09:35)
Hello, im new to Linux in general, I've decided to go with Arch Linux with KDE Plasma as i heard this is an popular combo. So, basically i installed Arch without disk encryption, and now i would like to encrypt my root partition with my TPM 2.0 module, so i get the auto disk unlock on boot. (Or is it better to somehow encrypt the whole disk with boot partition???) All the info i find online is confusing, there has to be an easy way to do it without braking my system, right? Thank you. submitted by /u/Adriaaaaaaano000 [link] [comments]
- [Tcl: The Most Underrated, But The Most Productive Programming Language \(like Bash\)](#) (2026/01/31 09:23)
submitted by /u/delvin0 [link] [comments]
- [\[Ayuda\] No puedo cambiar el teclado a Español Latinoamérica en Arch + Hyprland + Caelestia](#) (2026/01/31 07:45)
Hola a todos, Estoy teniendo un problema con mi setup de Arch Linux + Hyprland + Caelestia dots. Básicamente, mi teclado sigue en US-english (US) y no hay forma de cambiarlo a español latinoamérica. He intentado varias cosas: loadkeys la-latin1 localectl set-keymap la-latin1 Modificar archivos de configuración como hyprland.conf y console.conf Cambiar keyboard layouts en Hyprland y Caelestia Nada de esto funciona y sigo con el layout en inglés. Mi objetivo es que el teclado funcione en Español Latinoamérica, incluyendo la ñ y tildes. ¿Alguien con experiencia en Hyprland o Arch podría darme una guía clara de cómo solucionarlo? Cualquier ayuda se agradecería mucho ☺ submitted by /u/NvAlekz [link] [comments]
- [I moved the M.2 SSD to a different slot on the motherboard and I'm getting the "Start job is running..." error.](#) (2026/01/31 07:32)
Hi, I've moved my M.2 SSD to a different slot and removed another SSD I had installed; now I only have one. I'm using UKI and EFI Tub. I've recreated the kernel entry to boot the system. When it's booting, it says "start job is running for /sys/subsystem/net/devices/enp6s0u1". After 90 seconds, the system boots. I know it's the network card because it's now named enp5s0u1. How can I fix it so it boots without delay? Thank you very much. submitted by /u/xisnamh [link] [comments]
- [how can I set up OpenGL for development?](#) (2026/01/31 06:40)
ive been trying for 4 hours straight to get opengl to work and it just wouldnt work the only help I found was old posts with the key info deleted and 2007 tutorials that I am fairly confident dont apply learnopengl.com doesnt even mention installation. I think I am going crazy over how little

resources there. i am using clion as my ide but I would 100% change if it matters. submitted by /u/not_me_frfr [link] [comments]

- [Mulvad DNS issues](#) (2026/01/31 06:15)

Hey all, Having issues with two boxes, one Gnome and one labwc setup. When both boot and Mulvad starts DNS fails (both aur packages mulvad-vpn and mulvad-vpn-bin). On the Gnome desktop it seems to be worse where I need to toggle the hardware connection on and off for Ethernet to get the connection to start resolving again that doesn't really make sense to me. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks, ChCat submitted by /u/ChCat [link] [comments]

- [powersaving in gnome](#) (2026/01/31 05:04)

hey guys, do anyone know how to make a personalizable button on the upper taskbar to change tdp settings or somekind of powersaving at arch GNOME?? my mac has a terrible battery life and i need to have a powersaving mode, i tried to look on extension manager something, but i only found some for ubuntu submitted by /u/BiscoitoToDoBR [link] [comments]

- [Well i wanted to suffer so here i am](#) (2026/01/31 04:37)

The resolution is all wrong and I'm not allowed to switch it. It's using Wayland when i need direct x11, the nvidia drivers are the wrong version (590 instead of 550, GTX 1070ti). Also my main monitor isn't worthy of displaying arch. During installation i selected proprietary drivers for nvidia, idk what happened. If debian thought me anything that is to read the wiki. I believe this can be fixed by installing the right GPU drivers (correct me if im wrong). Can someone point me in the right direction? Thank you submitted by /u/AsAsin18 [link] [comments]

- [Arch Linux isn't 'hard', it's just 'explicit'. Once you understand the philosophy, going back to anything else feels like driving an automatic after learning manual.I used to be intimidated by the installation process, but after finally setting it up, I realized that having total control over every](#) (2026/01/31 01:48)

I used to be intimidated by the installation process, but after finally setting it up, I realized that having total control over every package is actually simpler than fighting with pre-configured 'user-friendly' distros. Is it just me, or does Arch actually save you more time in the long run because you know exactly how your system is built? submitted by /u/Prestigious-Ask9611 [link] [comments]

- [Unreasonable stuttering on X11](#) (2026/01/31 01:00)

I just bought a laptop with an Nvidia 5060(there's literally not a single laptop with a dedicated AMD gpu where I live) and I went on UFO test to just check out if my display had much ghosting just to realize the UFOs are just annoyingly sluggish. I mean sure the system "runs" at 144hz and the mouse moves fine but one out of three frames don't exist, it gets major stutters sometimes too and it just feels annoying since this is a brand new laptop with the newest generation GPU. I also installed KDE Wayland to see if that would help and it does a LOT but still, I have some major stutters lasting over 0.2 seconds occasionally, no matter what I'm doing. Can anyone help? submitted by /u/Alprolol_ [link] [comments]

- [samba usershare problem](#) (2026/01/31 00:40)

Hi, i was trying to set up a usershare, however i got this error: net usershare add: cannot create tmp file /var/lib/samba/usershares/:tmpTxZhyq sambashares folder permissions: drwxrwx--T+ 1 root sambashare 0 Jan 31 00:29 usershares and i checked i was in the sambashare group, i should also note that i do it in the dolphin gui, and if i run it with sudo in the terminal, it works. However I cannot for the life of me to make it work without sudo i am at a loss at this point, pls send help submitted by /u/fcwe1113 [link] [comments]

- [Laptop Speakers disappearing when connecting monitor through HDMI](#) (2026/01/31 00:30)

I've read the WirePlumber configuration from the Wiki so I could get rid of some garbage from the outputs, but I'm facing another issue now.

submitted by /u/radarvan07 [link] [comments]

- [Fresh Install Won't Accept keyboard input at LUKS prompt](#) (2026/01/30 18:42)

It's installed on an external NVME drive and when I boot it in Virtualbox it all works fine. and I can get to Getty. It's only when I boot it on my laptop directly that this issue occurs. I use GRUB for boot loader. > Partition scheme is: { /dev/sda1 == unencrypted /boot (Via GRUB) /dev/sda2 == LVM LVM PV == 1xVG w/LV schemed --> swap | root | home the root and home are LUKS encrypted Logical Volumes and the swap is just a plain dm-crypt } The title and first sentence of post basically say it all. However the one important thing to note is that when I boot the drive in VBOX (where it works fine), grubs menu contains an additional entry for "UEFI FIRMWARE SETTINGS". This option does NOT appear in grubs menu when booting from Laptop directly; Telling me Something is either going on with that firmware on my Laptops side (despite checking that with nvram -p [its a MacBook]) or there's some type of stale entry from the partition table as I had an old install on it with GRUB as the boot loader previously on the disk and its important to note that I DIDNT WIPE THE OLD GUID TABLE, I just wiped the partition and re-schemed > The things I have tried so far: { - Ensuring UUIDS match across the board and matching syntax based on busy-box/systd based initramfs - adding additional usb modules to initramfs - fully switching between a busy-box and system based initramfs - check, delete, reorder nvram entries with efibootmgr } Thanks in advanced for Taking time to help 🙏 EDIT: ISSUE RESOLVED SOLUTION: My Mac Motherboard was still using the old GUID Table UUID, so it found grub but loaded a menu pointing to old entries from a past install. After deleting EFI entries and starting from scratch it no longer showed up on my Mac boot so I realized The main issue was because I was installing it to my external Nvme ssd from a V-BOX Maschine with an iso attached, so when I ran grub-install it was setting the efibootmgr entries to the virtual Maschine as opposed to my machines motherboard and adding one for the enclosure as well which was odd. solved the issue by etching the iso to my Disk and redoing it for a 3rd time directly booted from my Maschine submitted by /u/define_MACRO-DOSE [link] [comments]

- [Segmentation Fault during pacman -Syu](#) (2026/01/30 13:31)

Today I casually ran sudo pacman -Syu but it fails when installing packages with segmentation fault. At this point i'm scared to reboot. Full output below: EDIT: I ended up chroot via live usb and pacman -Syu without an issue, after that i managed to reboot and logged in my arch pc. Thanks for the answers ↳\$ sudo pacman -Syu :: Synchronizing package databases... core is up to date extra is up to date multilib is up to date :: Starting full system upgrade... resolving dependencies... looking for conflicting packages... Packages (34) blender-17:5.0.1-3 chromium-144.0.7559.109-1 composer-2.9.5-1 electron38-38.8.0-1 electron39-39.4.0-1 freerdp-2:3.22.0-1 fuse-common-3.18.1-1 fuse3-3.18.1-1 gettext-1.0-1 gnome-mahjongg-49.1.1-1 hyprpaper-0.8.3-1 kio-6.22.1-1 lib32-curl-8.18.0-4 lib32-libcurl-compat-8.18.0-4 lib32-libcurl-gnutls-8.18.0-4 lib32-libxmu-1.3.1-1 lib32-orc-0.4.42-1 libcurl-compat-8.18.0-3 libcurl-gnutls-8.18.0-3 libxmu-1.3.1-1 linux-6.18.7.arch1-1 linux-headers-6.18.7.arch1-1 linux-zen-6.18.7.zen1-1 linux-zen-headers-6.18.7.zen1-1 mercurial-7.2-1 orc-0.4.42-1 procs-ng-4.0.6-1 python-confuse-2.2.0-1 python-pikepdf-10.3.0-1 python-pytokens-0.4.1-1 usd-25.11-4 vhba-module-20250329-62 yt-dlp-2026.01.29-1 yt-dlp-ejs-0.4.0-1 Total Download Size: 914.26 MiB Total Installed Size: 2389.17 MiB Net Upgrade Size: 10.12 MiB :: Proceed with installation? [Y/n] :: Retrieving packages... chromium-144.0.7559.109-1-x86_64 118.6 MiB 11.8 MiB/s 00:10 [#####] 100% electron39-39.4.0-1-x86_64 80.6 MiB 8.00 MiB/s 00:10 [#####] 100% linux-zen-6.18.7.zen1-1-x86_64 148.1 MiB 13.3 MiB/s 00:11 [#####] 100% linux-6.18.7.arch1-1-x86_64 143.0 MiB 11.3 MiB/s 00:13

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- [A Beginner Interested in Breaking stuff](#) (2026/01/30 11:34)

Hello! I recently switched to linux from being a life long windows user about 5 months ago. I currently use Bazzite as my main desktop environment for daily use. But now after learning a bit more, feeling a lot more comfortable with Linux, I want to grow more in my understanding, mess around with stuff and get a better understanding on things like building from source code, understanding more deeply how to contain packages, manage things without causing dependency hell, and just overall want to mess around on my other unused computer that I am not afraid to break stuff on. I am asking here on Arch because I know you guys are atleast considered one of the best for this, but I would like suggestions on if there are other options or better options for me to start with for getting my hands dirty. I very much like Fedora, I have heard good things about Linux mint, and also Arch is very appealing to me as well. I am just unsure what is a good STARTING PLACE for someone like me in experimenting and learning more about technical things relating to linux. I would love to hear from everybody and what you guys think would be a good starting point for me. Thank you in advance. submitted by /u/IHaveRest [link] [comments]

- [Wi-Fi stays connected but internet drops intermittently](#) (2026/01/30 07:18)

Hey, I need some help troubleshooting Wi-Fi issues on Linux. The main symptom is that wireless suddenly stops working. I stay connected to the Wi-Fi network, but there is no internet access. I cannot find any clear errors in journalctl. From what I can tell, the connection still shows as active even while networking is not working. The network often recovers on its own after one or two minutes, sometimes faster. During this time, it switches between having internet access and not having it, even though the connection itself appears to stay active the whole time. I also noticed that restarting NetworkManager brings the connection back immediately. Any ideas on what could cause this or how to debug it further? Wifi card: Intel AX210 submitted by /u/Kd_Gaming1 [link] [comments]

- [Bless everyone who contributes to the Arch wiki](#) (2026/01/29 19:56)

It's all in the title. Seriously, y'all make life so much better. I've been using Arch since 2018, dropped out of my compsci master during covid because of health issues, and still stuck to Arch despite cognitive fatigue and my increasingly rusty ability to use compsci arcana. Still no regrets, and the wiki is a large part of how smooth my overall Arch experience has been. Thank y'all so much for your work. submitted by /u/GoblinInAJar [link] [comments]

- [FAQ - Read before posting](#) (2018/07/04 22:56)

First read the Arch Linux FAQ from the wiki Code of conduct How do I ask a proper question? Smart Questions XYProblem Please follow the standard list when giving a problem report. What AUR helper should I use? There are no recommended AUR helpers. Please read over the wiki entry on AUR helpers. If you have a question, please search the subreddit for previous questions. If your AUR helper breaks know how to use makepkg manually. I need help with \$derivativeDistribution Use the appropriate support channel for your distribution. Arch is DIY distribution and we expect you to guide us through your system when providing support. Using an installer defeats this expectation. Why was the beginners

guide removed? It carried a lot of maintenance on the wiki admin as it duplicated a lot of information, and everyone wanted their addition included. It was scrapped for a compact model that largely referenced the main wiki pages. Why Arch Linux? Arch compared to other distributions Follow the wiki. Random videos are unsupported. <plug>Consider getting involved in Arch Linux!</plug> submitted by /u/Foxboron [link] [comments]

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