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About this document

This document presents the information you need to set up and use the Xvfb program product.

In IBM Ported Tools for z/OS V1.2, the Xvfb code is delivered as a separate FMID, HVFB111 and is available only with the IBM Ported Tools for z/OS 245 FMID HOS1120. The Xvfb for z/OS code in FMID HVFB111 is the same code that was available as PTFs UA21819 and UA32671 with IBM Ported Tools for z/OS V1.1. The Xvfb for z/OS code is delivered as a separate FMID in order to allow IBM to provide more efficient support.

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This document is for the system programmers who run a z/OS system with z/OS UNIX System Services (z/OS UNIX), and for their users who use the Xvfb portion of IBM Ported Tools for z/OS. On other open systems, some system programmer tasks might be done by an administrator.

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Chapter 1. Xvfb — Virtual framebuffer X Server for X Version 11

Synopsis

Xvfb [option] . . .

Description

Xvfb is an X server that can run on machines with no display hardware and no physical input devices. It emulates a dumb framebuffer using virtual memory.

The primary use of this server was intended to be server testing. The mfb or cfb code for any depth can be exercised with this server without the need for real hardware that supports the desired depths. The X community has found many other novel uses for Xvfb, including testing clients against unusual depths and screen configurations, doing batch processing with Xvfb as a background rendering engine, load testing, as an aid to porting the X server to a new platform, and providing an unobtrusive way to run applications that don't really need an X server but insist on having one anyway.

Options

In addition to the normal server options described in the Xserver Options section, Xvfb accepts the following command line switches:

-screen *screennum* WxHxD

This option creates screen *screennum* and sets its width, height, and depth to W, H, and D respectively. By default, only screen 0 exists and has the dimensions 1280x1024x8.

-pixdepths *list-of-depths*

This option specifies a list of pixmap depths that the server should support in addition to the depths implied by the supported screens. *list-of-depths* is a space-separated list of integers that can have values from 1 to 32.

-linebias *n*

This option specifies how to adjust the pixelization of thin lines. The value *n* is a bitmask of octants in which to prefer an axial step when the Bresenham error term is exactly zero. This option is probably only useful to server developers to experiment with the range of line pixelization possible with the cfb and mfb code.

-blackpixel *pixel-value*, -whitepixel *pixel-value*

These options specify the black and white pixel values the server should use.

Xserver options

:displaynumber

The X server runs as the given *displaynumber*, which by default is 0. If multiple X servers are to run simultaneously on a host, each must have a unique display number.

- a** *number*
Sets pointer acceleration (that is, the ratio of how much is reported to how much the user actually moved the pointer).
- ac** Disables host-based access control mechanisms. Enables access by any host, and permits any host to modify the access control list. Use with extreme caution. This option exists primarily for running test suites remotely.
- audit** *level*
Sets the audit trail level. The default level is 1, meaning only connection rejections are reported. Level 2 additionally reports all successful connections and disconnects. Level 0 turns off the audit trail. Audit lines are sent as standard error output.
- auth** *authorization-file*
Specifies a file which contains a collection of authorization records used to authenticate access. See also the xdm and Xsecurity manual pages.
- bc** Disables certain kinds of error checking, for bug compatibility with previous releases (such as working work around bugs in R2 and R3 xterms and toolkits). Deprecated.
- bs** Disables backing store support on all screens.
- br** Sets the default root window to solid black instead of the standard root weave pattern.
- c** Turns off key-click.
- c** *volume*
Sets key-click volume (allowable range: 0-100).
- cc** *class*
Sets the visual class for the root window of color screens. The class numbers are as specified in the X protocol.
- co** *filename*
Sets name of RGB color database.
- core** Causes the server to generate a core dump on fatal errors.
- dpi** *resolution*
Sets the resolution of the screen, in dots per inch. To be used when the server cannot determine the screen size from the hardware.
- deferglyphs** *whichfonts*
Specifies the types of fonts for which the server should attempt to use deferred glyph loading. *whichfonts* can be one of the following:
 - All (all fonts)
 - None (no fonts)
 - 16 (16 bit fonts only)
- f** *volume*
Sets feep (bell) volume (allowable range: 0-100).
- fc** *cursorFont*
Sets the default cursor font.
- fn** *font*
Sets the default font.
- fp** *fontPath*
Sets the search path for fonts. This path is a comma separated list of directories which the X server searches for font databases.

- help** Prints a usage message.
- I** Causes all remaining command line arguments to be ignored.
- nolisten** *trans-type*
Disables a transport type. For example, TCP/IP connections can be disabled with **-nolisten tcp**.
- noreset**
Prevents a server reset when the last client connection is closed. This overrides a previous **-terminate** command line option.
- p minutes**
Sets screen-saver pattern cycle time in minutes.
- pn** Permits the server to continue running if it fails to establish all of its well-known sockets (connection points for clients), but establishes at least one.
- r** Turns off auto-repeat.
- r** Turns on auto-repeat.
- s minutes**
Sets screen-saver timeout time in minutes.
- su** Disables save under support on all screens.
- t number**
Sets pointer acceleration threshold in pixels (that is, after how many pixels pointer acceleration should take effect).
- terminate**
Causes the server to terminate at server reset, instead of continuing to run. This overrides a previous **-noreset** command line option.
- to seconds**
Sets default connection timeout in seconds.
- tst** Disables all testing extensions (for example, XTEST, XTrap, XTestExtension1, RECORD).
- ttvxx** Ignored, for servers started the ancient way (from init).
- v** Sets video-off screen-saver preference.
- v** Sets video-on screen-saver preference.
- wm** Forces the default backing-store of all windows to be WhenMapped. This is a backdoor way of getting backing-store to apply to all windows. Although all mapped windows will have backing store, the backing store attribute value reported by the server for a window will be the last value established by a client. If it has never been set by a client, the server will report the default value, NotUseful. This behavior is required by the X protocol, which allows the server to exceed the client's backing store expectations but does not provide a way to tell the client that it is doing so.
- x extension**
Loads the specified extension at init. This is a no-op for most implementations.
- [+/-]xinerama**
Enables(+) or disables(-) the XINERAMA extension. The default state is disabled.

Signals

The X server attaches special meaning to the following signals:

SIGHUP

This signal causes the server to close all existing connections, free all resources, and restore all defaults. It is sent by the display manager whenever the main user's main application (usually an xterm or window manager) exits to force the server to clean up and prepare for the next user.

SIGTERM

This signal causes the server to exit cleanly.

SIGUSR1

This signal is used quite differently from either of the above. When the server starts, it checks to see if it has inherited SIGUSR1 as SIG_IGN instead of the usual SIG_DFL. In this case, the server sends a SIGUSR1 to its parent process after it has set up the various connection schemes. Xdm uses this feature to recognize when connecting to the server is possible.

Examples

1. `Xvfb :1 -screen 0 1600x1200x32`

The server will listen for connections as server number 1, and screen 0 will be depth 32 1600x1200.

2. `Xvfb :1 -screen 1 1600x1200x16`

The server will listen for connections as server number 1, will have the default screen configuration (one screen, 1280x1024x8), and screen 1 will be depth 16 1600x1200.

3. `Xvfb -pixdepths 3 27 -fbdir /usr/tmp`

The server will listen for connections as server number 0, will have the default screen configuration (one screen, 1280x1024x8), will also support pixmap depths of 3 and 27, and will use memory mapped files in /usr/tmp for the framebuffer.

4. `xwud -in /usr/tmp/Xvfb_screen0`

Displays screen 0 of the server started by the preceding example.

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Chapter 2. Xvfb messages

XVFB0001 *number spans*

Explanation: Informational printing of the number spanned.

User response: None.

XVFB0004 **allocation failed**

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to allocate memory.

User response: Verify that the system has enough resources available for use.

XVFB0005 **unterminated string on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program encountered a non-terminated string at the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question has a correct termination character.

XVFB0006 **expected identifier on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected identifier on the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains the correct identifier.

XVFB0007 **expected '=' on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected '=' character on the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains a '='.

XVFB0008 **expected ';' or newline on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected ';' or newline on the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains a ';' or newline.

XVFB0009 **expected a boolean value on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find a boolean value at the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question

contains an appropriate boolean value.

XVFB0010 **expected a numeric value on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected numeric value at the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains an appropriate numeric value.

XVFB0011 **expected a string on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find a string at the specified line.

User response: Verify that an appropriate string exists at the line in question.

XVFB0012 **expected a modifier name on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find a modifier name at the specified line.

User response: Verify that a modifier name exists at the line in question.

XVFB0013 **expected a control name on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected control name on the specified line.

User response: Verify that an appropriate control name exists at the line in question.

XVFB0014 **expected an AccessX option on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected AccessX option on the specified line.

User response: Verify that an AccessX option exists at the line in question.

XVFB0015 **expected '+' or '-' on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected '+' or '-' at the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains either a '+' or '-'

XVFB0016 **expected wrap, clamp or group number on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program failed to find an expected wrap, clamp or group number on the specified line.

User response: Verify that the line in question contains an appropriate wrap, clamp or group number.

XVFB0017 **unknown error on line** *number*

Explanation: While parsing the xkb configuration file, the program encountered an unknown error at the specified line.

User response: Examine the xkb configuration file for any anomalies or stray characters. Verify that all options are correct.

XVFB0019 *XTestEXTENSION_NAME:* **invalid key/button state** *keystate.*

Explanation: The current key state is not in either a pressed or released state.

User response: Verify that the keyboard is not faulty, as a key should only be able to reside in one of the two states.

XVFB0021 **Default symbols not implemented yet!**

Explanation: No keycode was specified in the configuration and there are no default symbols available.

User response: Provide the program with a specific keycode map in the configuration.

XVFB0022 **Default types not implemented yet!**

Explanation: No type was specified in the configuration and there are no default types available.

User response: Provide the program with a specific type in the configuration.

XVFB0023 **Default interps not implemented yet!**

Explanation: No interups were specified in the configuration and there are no default interups available

User response: Provide the program with a specific interup in the configuration.

XVFB0024 **No file**

Explanation: No file name was given to test authorization.

User response: Ensure that the complete list of paramaters has been passed into the program.

XVFB0025 *ProgramName:* **unable to open display**
XDisplayName

Explanation: The program is unable to open the specified display.

User response: Verify that any necessary network connections are available and the display in question is a valid display.

XVFB0026 **access control enabled, only authorized clients can connect**

Explanation: Informational message. User has activated the access control features.

User response: None.

XVFB0027 **access control disabled, clients can connect from any host**

Explanation: Informational message. User has deactivated the access control features.

User response: None.

XVFB0028 **unknown address in family** *list[i].family*

Explanation: When looking up the hostname, an unexpected value was returned.

User response: Verify that you are attempting to use a valid hostname, such as localhost.

XVFB0029 **(no nameserver response within**
NAMESERVER_TIMEOUT seconds)

Explanation: The nameserver failed to respond within the set timeout window.

User response: Verify that the connection is free of bandwidth problems or increase the timeout window.

XVFB0030 *ProgramName:* **bad hostname** *arg*

Explanation: A bad hostname has been provided to the program.

User response: Verify that you are attempting to use a valid hostname.

XVFB0031 *ProgramName:* **malloc bombed in**
change_host

Explanation: The given program name has failed when attempting to call malloc.

User response: Verify that the system has enough available resources.

XVFB0032 *ProgramName:* **not compiled for TCP/IP**

Explanation: The given program has not been compiled with TCP/IP support.

User response: You must recompile the binaries, adding in support for TCP/IP.

XVFB0033 *ProgramName:* **not compiled for DECnet**

Explanation: The given program has not been compiled with DECnet support.

User response: You must recompile the binaries, adding in support for DECnet.

XVFB0034 *ProgramName:* **not compiled for Secure RPC**

Explanation: The given program has not been compiled with Secure RPC support.

User response: You must recompile the binaries, adding in support for Secure RPC.

XVFB0035 *ProgramName:* **not compiled for Kerberos 5**

Explanation: The given program has not been compiled with Kerberos 5 support.

User response: You must recompile the binaries, adding in support for Kerberos 5.

XVFB0036 *ProgramName:* **unknown address family lname**

Explanation: The given program encountered an unknown address family.

User response: This error occurs when trying to edit the list of hosts that may connect to the server. Verify that the information you are trying to add or edit is in the correct format.

XVFB0037 *ProgramName:* **unable to get node name for name::**

Explanation: The given program is unable to retrieve the node name

User response: When compiled with DNETCONN, if the `change_host` function cannot parse the given host name to find the correct node, this error will occur. Verify that the host name is correct and in the correct format.

XVFB0038 *ProgramName:* **cannot parse Kerberos name: error_message(retval)**

Explanation: The given program is unable to parse the shown Kerberos name

User response: When compiled with K5AUTH, if the

`change_host` function cannot parse the supplied Kerberos name, this error will occur. Verify that the data passed into the program is correct and formatted properly.

XVFB0039 *ProgramName:* **non-network local connections add_msg/remove_msg**

Explanation: You are adding or removing a non-network local connection.

User response: None.

XVFB0040 *ProgramName:* **no such user name**

Explanation: No such user name exists.

User response: If `SECURE_RPC` is defined and the given user name cannot be found, this error will occur. Verify that the given user name is valid and exists.

XVFB0041 *ProgramName:* **failed to get netname for name**

Explanation: Failed to get netname for the given name.

User response: If `SECURE_RPC` is defined and the netname for the given name cannot be found, this error will occur. Verify that the given user name is valid and the netname exists.

XVFB0042 *ProgramName:* **must be on local machine to add or remove hosts.**

Explanation: The given program must be on the local machine to add or remove hosts.

User response: You are trying to add or remove hosts from a remote machine. For security reasons, you must be on the local machine to perform such an action. Ensure you are on the local machine and try again.

XVFB0043 *ProgramName:* **must be on local machine to enable or disable access control.**

Explanation: The given program must be on the local machine to enable or disable access control.

User response: You are trying to enable or disable access control from a remote machine. For security reasons, you must be on the local machine to perform such an action. Ensure that you are on the local machine and try again.

XVFB0044 *ProgramName:* **bad display name dpy in cmd command**

Explanation: A bad display name was entered in the given command.

User response: Verify that the given display name is valid and properly formatted.

XVFB0045 **bad cmd command line**

Explanation: You have entered a bad command from the command line.

User response: The most probable cause of this error is an incorrect argument list being input from the command line. Verify that the syntax for the command in question.

XVFB0046 *cmd: stdin already in use*

Explanation: When trying to open a file, standard in was found to be in use.

User response: Another process has set the `okay_to_use_stdin` flag to false. Wait for this process to finish or manually kill the process.

XVFB0047 *cmd: unable to open file filename*

Explanation: While attempting to open the file name in question, `fopen` failed.

User response: Verify that the file exists with the correct permissions. If attempting to create the file, ensure that you have permission to do so. Furthermore, verify that no other processes have the file in question open or locked.

XVFB0048 *ProgramName: unable to alloc entry reading auth file*

Explanation: The call to `malloc` failed when trying to read the authorization file.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available to read the contents of the authorization file into a linked list.

XVFB0049 **0: unable to parse displayname**

Explanation: The program was unable to parse the given display name.

User response: Verify that the display name in question is correct and in the proper format.

XVFB0050 **0: unable to get protocol address for displayname**

Explanation: The program was unable to parse out the protocol address for the given display name

User response: Verify that the display name in question is correct and in the proper format.

XVFB0051 *ProgramName: unable to allocate len bytes for hexkey*

Explanation: When attempting to `malloc` a space the size of `len`, an error was encountered.

User response: Verify that there is sufficient system resources available for use.

XVFB0052 **Attempting to break locks on authority file authfilename**

Explanation: The program is trying to break the locks on the authority file.

User response: None.

XVFB0053 *ProgramName: errormsg in locking authority file authority filename*

Explanation: An error occurred when trying to lock the given file name.

User response: There are 3 possible error: unknown, timeout, and error. For timeout errors, the problem is typically related to network latency issues or a lack of available resources on the machine. Verify that the environment is in working order. An "error" error is indicative of permission or file locked issues. Verify that authority file has the correct permission settings. Unknown errors encompass all other problems.

XVFB0054 *ProgramName: authority filename not writable, changes will be ignored"*

Explanation: After establishing a lock on the authority file, the program could not write to the file.

User response: After the program has successfully established a lock on the authority file, it failed to write the new changes. Verify that the file is in working order and not corrupt.

XVFB0055 *ProgramName: creating new authority file authority filename*

Explanation: The program is starting to create the new authority file.

User response: None.

XVFB0056 *ProgramName: unable to read auth entries from file authority filename*

Explanation: The program could not open the authority file for reading.

User response: When executing `fopen` against the authority file, the program failed to establish a file pointer. Verify that the file in question is not corrupt and has the correct permission settings.

XVFB0057 *ProgramName: unable to open tmp file filename*

Explanation: The program failed to open a new temporary file.

User response: When executing `fopen`, the program

was unable to establish a file pointer to a new temporary file. Verify the permission settings on the folder in which the file would live as well as verifying there is sufficient disk space.

XVFB0058 *ProgramName: filename* **not writable, changes ignored**

Explanation: The program was unable to write to the file in question.

User response: Verify that the file in question has the correct permission settings.

XVFB0059 *ProgramName: unable to write authority file filename*

Explanation: The program was unable to write the authority file

User response: Verify that the file in question has the correct permission settings and there is sufficient disk space available.

XVFB0060 *ProgramName: unable to link authority file xauth_filename, use temp_name*

Explanation: When trying to establish links between the temporary file and the new authority file, the program encountered an error.

User response: None.

XVFB0061 **unknown command** *user entered command*

Explanation: The user has tried to enter an unknown command from the command line.

User response: Verify that the command given was typed correctly as well as a valid command.

XVFB0062 **unable to open extraction file** *filename*

Explanation: Xauth was unable to open the file for reading.

User response: The user has requested an extract option from Xauth. While attempting to open the given filename for reading, the program encountered an error. Verify that the file in question has the correct permissions.

XVFB0063 **internal error with help**

Explanation: Xauth encountered an error while trying to process a help command.

User response: The user has requested help for a given command. If a command was given at the command line, the entered command will be displayed after this message. If no command was given, this message will be the only indication of the error. Verify

that files containing Xauth help messages are available and not corrupt.

XVFB0064 **on command** *user entered command*

Explanation: A possible extension to an internal help error message.

User response: If the user entered a command with the request for help, this message will be printed out. Verify that the command in question is a valid command and the Xauth help file containing this command exists and has the correct permissions.

XVFB0065 **no help for nonexistent command** *user entered command*

Explanation: The user has requested help on a non-existent Xauth command.

User response: Verify that the desired command was typed correctly and is a valid Xauth command.

XVFB0066 **Commands:**

Explanation: Header message for the help ? command.

User response: None.

XVFB0067 **unable to read any entries from file** *filename*

Explanation: No lines were read while trying to read from the authorization file.

User response: The xauthorization file appears to have no data in it. Verify that there is in fact information within the file. If there is indeed data within, verify permissions on the file are correct.

XVFB0068 **digit entries read in: digit new, digit replacement(s)**

Explanation: If merging entries with the verbose option turned on, this message will print.

User response: None.

XVFB0069 **No matches found, authority file** *filename not written*

Explanation: When executing the xauth option 'extract', no matches for the given display could be found.

User response: Verify that the display argument given to the xauth 'extract' command is a valid display.

XVFB0070 *number* **entries written to filename**

Explanation: If the verbose option is turned on, this message will show after a successful xauth extract command.

User response: Information message only. Nothing to be done.

XVFB0071 **key contains odd number of or non-hex characters**

Explanation: The key entered from the command line is not in the correct format.

User response: Verify that the key was typed correctly and is of the proper format.

XVFB0072 **unable to allocate *number* bytes for Xauth structure**

Explanation: The program was unable to malloc enough space for the Xauth structure.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0073 **unable to allocate *number* character protocol name**

Explanation: The program was unable to malloc enough space for the character protocol name.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0074 **unable to allocate *number* bytes for auth list**

Explanation: The program was unable to malloc enough space for the authorization list.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0075 **unable to merge in added record**

Explanation: When attempting to merge a new record into the existing records, an error occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0076 *number* **entries removed**

Explanation: If the verbose option is enabled, this message will show how many entries were removed

User response: None.

XVFB0077 **Authority file: *authfilename* OR none**

Explanation: Will print the xauthorization file name if it exists. Will print none if not.

User response: None.

XVFB0078 **File new: *Yes* OR *No***

Explanation: If an xauthorization file existed, the message will show No. If the xauthorization file has just been created, the message will show Yes.

User response: None.

XVFB0079 **File locked: *Yes* OR *No***

Explanation: Displays the lock status of the xauthorization file. If the ignore_locks flag is set, the message will print No, otherwise, Yes.

User response: None.

XVFB0080 **Number of entries: *number***

Explanation: Will print the number of entries in the xauthorization file.

User response: None.

XVFB0081 **Changes honored: *Yes* OR *No***

Explanation: If the changes to the xauthorization file were allowed, the status will show Yes, otherwise, No.

User response: None.

XVFB0082 **Changes made: *Yes* OR *No***

Explanation: If changes were made to the xauthorization file, the status will show Yes, otherwise, No.

User response: None.

XVFB0083 **Current input: *filename:linenumber***

Explanation: Displays the current input filename and the line within the file.

User response: None.

XVFB0084 **line too long**

Explanation: The xauth command 'source' has found a line within the specified file to be too long.

User response: A command found within the file passed to the source command is too long for the buffer. Either reduce the length of the command within the file (suggested) or increase the size of the buffer.

XVFB0085 unable to break line into words

Explanation: The xauth command 'source' has found a line within the specified file that it is unable to parse.

User response: A command found within the file passed to the source command is preventing the program from correctly parsing the command. Verify that there are no stray hidden characters within the file. A common cause of this can be creating the file in a windows environment and later moving this file to a *nix system. Also, verify that the file is in EBCDIC format.

XVFB0086 data contains odd number of or non-hex characters

Explanation: While attempting to validate the key, an data format issue occurred.

User response: Verify that the key was entered correctly.

XVFB0087 unable to open display *displayname*.

Explanation: While trying to open the specified display, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that the given display is a valid display and any required connection is available.

XVFB0088 couldn't query Security extension on display *displayname*

Explanation: While trying to query the Security extension on the given display, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that the display in question is fully functioning and any required connection is available.

XVFB0089 couldn't generate authorization

Explanation: xauth could not generate the required authorization.

User response: None.

XVFB0090 authorization id is *number*

Explanation: If the verbose option is set, this message will show what the authorization ID is.

User response: None.

XVFB0091 *ProgramName*: unable to generate an authority file name

Explanation: While trying to generate an authority file name, an error was encountered.

User response: Specify the name of an authority file name from the command line with the -f 'filename' argument.

XVFB0092 unlink *filename* failed, *errno* *number*

Explanation: The program failed to unlink the memory mapped file. An error number is given.

User response: Use the provided error number to learn more about the specific failure.

XVFB0093 shmdt failed, *errno* *number*

Explanation: The program encountered an error while attempting to access shared memory. An error code is given.

User response: use the provided error number to learn more about the specific failure.

XVFB0094 Invalid screen number *screen number*

Explanation: An invalid screen number has been entered from the command line.

User response: Verify that the command was entered correctly and the entered screen number is within the acceptable range.

XVFB0095 Invalid screen configuration *entered configuration*

Explanation: An invalid screen configuration has been entered from the command line.

User response: Verify that the command was entered correctly and the entered screen configuration is in the correct format.

XVFB0096 Invalid pixmap depth *number*

Explanation: An invalid pixmap depth has been entered from the command line.

User response: Verify that the command was entered correctly and the entered pixmap depth is valid.

XVFB0097 msync failed, *errno* *number*

Explanation: While trying to flush any changes made to the screens out to the mapped file, an error occurred.

User response: Use the provided error number to learn more about the specific failure.

XVFB0098 open *mapped filename* failed, *errno* *number*

Explanation: The program failed to successfully open the mapped file. An error code is given.

User response: Verify that user permissions on the directory structure are correct. Also use the given error code to learn more about the specific problem.

XVFB0099 **write mapped filename failed, errno number**

Explanation: The program failed to write to the mapped file. An error code is given.

User response: Verify that the user permissions on the directory structure are correct. Also use the given error code to learn more about the specific problem.

XVFB0100 **mmap mapped filename failed, errno number**

Explanation: While trying to map pages of memory, an error was encountered. An error code is given.

User response: Verify that the user permissions on the directory structure are correct. Also use the given error code to learn more about the specific problem.

XVFB0101 **shmget number bytes failed, errno number**

Explanation: While trying to allocate the given amount of space in shared memory, an error occurred. An error code is given.

User response: Verify that user permissions on the directory structure are correct. Verify that there are sufficient resources available for use. Also use the given error code to learn more about the specific problem.

XVFB0102 **shmat failed, errno number**

Explanation: While trying to attach the allocated shared memory to the process, an error occurred. An error code is given.

User response: None.

XVFB0103 **screen number shmID number**

Explanation: Informational message of screen number and shmID ID.

User response: None.

XVFB0104 **Internal Error! Attempt to remove a non-existent device**

Explanation: The program has attempted to remove a non-existent device.

User response: None.

XVFB0105 **FreeFontPath: FPE "length and name" refcount is actual count, should be expected count; fixing.**

Explanation: The expected and actual counter values were found to be different. The program will automatically adjust.

User response: None.

XVFB0106 **failed to set default font path 'path to default font'**

Explanation: The program failed to successfully set the default font path.

User response: Verify that the program is attempting to set the correct path.

XVFB0107 **Internal error in ConfigureWindow, smode == number**

Explanation: While internally organizing the window stack, an error occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0108 **iop_disable failed (error condition)**

Explanation: While trying to disable the IOP Server, an error was encountered. An error code is given.

User response: None.

XVFB0109 **iop_getevents failed (error condition)**

Explanation: While polling the IOP server for events, an error occurred, preventing the query to happen.

User response: None.

XVFB0110 **Couldn't open RGB_DB 'path to RGB_DB'**

Explanation: The program could not open the given path to the RGB DB.

User response: Verify that the program is trying to access the correct file.

XVFB0112 **Value for "name" out of range: path:line number**

Explanation: The given value for a color found in the RGB config file is out of the acceptable range.

User response: Acceptable range is: red >= 0 And red <= 0xff green >= 0 And green <= 0xff blue >= 0 And blue <= 0xff

XVFB0113 **Fatal server error:**

Explanation: Header that is printed any time a fatal error is encountered.

User response: None.

XVFB0114 **XDM: reason code, declaring session dead**

Explanation: The session has been declared dead for the given reason code. This event typically happens because of too many timeouts or a failed keepalive attempt.

User response: Try increasing the length of timeouts. Also check the status of any network communications.

XVFB0115 XDM: too many retransmissions

Explanation: The program has reached the upper limit of retransmissions.

User response: Increase the maximum limit of retransmissions.

XVFB0116 XDMCP fatal error: *type length.data*

Explanation: A fatal error of the given type and length has occurred. The offending data is provided.

User response: Examine data section for clues to the cause of the error.

XVFB0117 XDMCP warning: *message*

Explanation: An event of warning level severity has occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0118 Xserver: missing host name in command line

Explanation: The program could not find a host name from the command line.

User response: Verify that the previous command line entry was typed correctly.

XVFB0119 Xserver: unknown host: *unknown host*

Explanation: An unknown host name has been entered from the command line.

User response: Verify that that command was typed correctly.

XVFB0120 Xserver: host on strange network *name*

Explanation: The program is alerting you to the possibility of the host being misconfigured.

User response: Verify that all settings are correct for the host/server relation.

XVFB0121 Unknown beep type *number*

Explanation: The given number is of an unknown beep type.

User response: None.

XVFB0122 Error parsing config file:

Explanation: While parsing the XKB config file, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that the contents of the config

file, looking for any erroneous characters or new lines.

XVFB0123 Couldn't open compiled keymap file *filename*

Explanation: While trying to open the keymap file listed, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that the given file name is correct and the file has the correct permission settings.

XVFB0124 Error loading keymap *filename*

Explanation: While attempting to load the keymap file, an error occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0125 Extra data (*number bytes*) after SelectEvents

Explanation: Additional data was found after the SelectEvent action.

User response: None.

XVFB0126 BOGUS LENGTH in write keyboard desc, expected *number*, got *number*

Explanation: The expected and actual values of the data length in the write keyboard description do not match.

User response: None.

XVFB0127 Internal error! Bad length in XkbSetMap (after check)

Explanation: The length found in XkbSetMap was determined to be incorrect.

User response: None.

XVFB0128 Internal error! Bad length in XkbSetMap (after set)

Explanation: The length found in XkbSetMap was determined to be incorrect.

User response: None.

XVFB0129 Internal length error on read in ProcXkbSetCompatMap

Explanation: The length of a read in ProcXkbSetCompatmap was incorrect.

User response: None.

XVFB0130 **BOGUS LENGTH in write names, expected *number*, got *number***

Explanation: The expected and actual values of the data length in the write names do not match.

User response: None.

XVFB0131 **Unknown doodad type *number* in XkbWriteGeomDoodads**

Explanation: The given doodad is unknown.

User response: None.

XVFB0132 **Ignored**

Explanation: The unknown doodad has been ignored.

User response: None.

XVFB0133 **BOGUS LENGTH in XkbSendGeometry, expected *number*, got *number***

Explanation: The expected and actual values of the data length in XkbSendGeometry do not match.

User response: None.

XVFB0134 **Internal Error! bad RemoveResourceClient in XkbClientGone**

Explanation: An error occurred while trying to remove a resource client.

User response: None.

XVFB0135 **Attempt to change unknown pointer default (*number*) ignored**

Explanation: The program has ignored the request to change the default pointer type to an unknown type.

User response: None.

XVFB0136 **Atom error: *atom* not created**

Explanation: The specified atom was not created.

User response: None.

XVFB0137 **Allocation error: *atom* property not created**

Explanation: When trying to allocate the given atom, an error occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0138 **Internal Error! bad size (*number*!=*number*) for _XKB_RULES_NAMES**

Explanation: The expected and actual values for the size of _XKB_RULES_NAMES were different

User response: None.

XVFB0139 **Error loading keymap file *filename* (error code in *location*)**

Explanation: The program failed to successfully load the keymap file.

User response: None.

XVFB0140 **reverting to defaults**

Explanation: After a failed keymap file load, the program will revert to the default values.

User response: None.

XVFB0141 **Error opening keymap file *filename*, reverting to defaults**

Explanation: The program failed to successfully load the keymap file. The default values will be reinstated.

User response: None.

XVFB0142 **Internal Error!! XKB and core keymap have different range**

Explanation: XKB and the core keymap have been found with different ranges.

User response: None.

XVFB0143 **Couldn't load XKB keymap, falling back to pre-XKB keymap**

Explanation: Tried to load an XKB keymap file. This action failed and the previous settings will be used.

User response: None.

XVFB0144 **InternalError! Illegal radio group *number***

Explanation: XKB tried to process an illegal radio group.

User response: None.

XVFB0145 **unknown key behavior 0x*behavior* type**

Explanation: An unknown key behavior type has occurred. This typically indicates an error with the keyboard. Typical key behavior includes pressed or not.

User response: Verify that no keys are stuck and the keyboard is functioning properly.

XVFB0146 **Extra data (*number* bytes) after SelectEvents**

Explanation: Extra data was found after the SelectEvents action.

User response: None.

XVFB0147 **Internal Error! Bad XKB info in SetPhysicalLockingKey**

Explanation: While reading the SetPhysicalLockingKey, bad information was found contained within.

User response: None.

XVFB0148 **MAXFORMATS is too small for this server**

Explanation: The current setting of MAXFORMATS is too small.

User response: Increase the level of MAXFORMATS

XVFB0149 **Couldn't add screen *number***

Explanation: XVFB could not add the given screen.

User response: None.

XVFB0150 **initializing atoms**

Explanation: Informational message. The program is initializing atoms.

User response: None.

XVFB0151 **SetMaskForEvent: bogus event number**

Explanation: The found event number falls outside the acceptable range.

User response: None.

XVFB0152 **SetCriticalEvent: bogus event number**

Explanation: The found event number falls outside the acceptable range.

User response: None.

XVFB0153 **Impossible keyboard event**

Explanation: The program encountered an unexpected keyboard event.

User response: Restart the server and try again.

XVFB0154 **bogus pointer event from ddx**

Explanation: The pointer received is invalid.

User response: None.

XVFB0155 **client not on event list**

Explanation: The program could not find a given client within the previously configured client list.

User response: Verify that all clients are listed and you are trying to connect to a client on the list.

XVFB0156 **failed to allocate spriteTrace**

Explanation: While attempting to xalloc space, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0157 **Not implemented**

Explanation: Informational message which accompanies additional messages when an as yet unimplemented function or feature is called.

User response: None.

XVFB0158 **server restarted. Jumped through uninitialized pointer?**

Explanation: The server has been restarted. The most typical cause of this is from jumping through an uninitialized pointer.

User response: None.

XVFB0159 **couldn't create client array**

Explanation: While trying to xalloc space for an array, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0160 **couldn't create server client**

Explanation: While trying to xalloc space for an array, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0161 **couldn't init server resources**

Explanation: While trying to initialize resources for the root resources, an error occurred.

User response: None.

XVFB0162 **couldn't create root window table**

Explanation: While trying to xalloc space, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0163 **no screens found**

Explanation: The program was unable to find any active screens.

User response: None.

XVFB0164 **failed to allocate serverClient devprivates**

Explanation: The program failed to allocate serverClient devprivates.

User response: None.

XVFB0165 **failed to create scratch pixmaps**

Explanation: The program failed to create scratch pixmaps.

User response: None.

XVFB0166 **failed to create screen resources**

Explanation: The program failed to create screen resources.

User response: None.

XVFB0167 **failed to create scratch GCs**

Explanation: The program failed to create scratch GCs.

User response: None.

XVFB0168 **failed to create default stipple**

Explanation: The program failed to create default stipple.

User response: None.

XVFB0169 **failed to create root window**

Explanation: The program failed to create root window.

User response: None.

XVFB0170 **failed to initialize core devices**

Explanation: The program failed to start necessary core devices.

User response: None.

XVFB0171 **could not open default font '*font name*'**

Explanation: The program could not open the default font listed.

User response: Verify that the specified font file exists and has the correct permissions.

XVFB0172 **could not open default cursor font '*font name*'**

Explanation: The program could not open the default cursor font.

User response: Verify that the specified font file exists and has the correct permissions.

XVFB0173 **could not create connection block info**

Explanation: The program failed to create connection block info.

User response: None.

XVFB0174 **FakeClientID: server internal ids exhausted**

Explanation: All possible ID's have been assigned.

User response: Restart the server.

XVFB0175 **client not in use**

Explanation: When attempting to add a resource, the target client was found to not be in use.

User response: Ensure that the correct client is trying to be utilized.

XVFB0176 **Freeing resource id=*ID* which isn't there**

Explanation: The program attempted to free an ID which does not exist.

User response: None.

XVFB0177 **could not create root tile**

Explanation: The program could not initialize the required root tile.

User response: None.

XVFB0178 **Failed to establish all listening sockets**

Explanation: The program failed to establish all the expected listening sockets.

User response: Verify that the network connection is working properly. Use a tool such as netstat to verify which ports are open and currently listening.

XVFB0179 **Cannot establish any listening sockets -
Make sure an X server isn't already
running**

Explanation: The program failed to create any listening sockets.

User response: Verify that an existing instance of an X server is not running.

XVFB0180 **No hostname, no screen**

Explanation: When trying to get the IOP server capability and start it, an error occurred.

User response: Verify that the correct hostname and screen ID have been used.

XVFB0181 **Cannot find IOP server for *server*
*hostname: error code***

Explanation: The program cannot find the IOP server for the listed hostname. An error code is provided.

User response: Ensure that the given hostname is correct. Also use the given error code to find more information on the specific error.

XVFB0182 **iop_enable failed (*error string*)**

Explanation: While trying to enable the IOP server, an error occurred. An error code is provided.

User response: Use the given error code to find more information on the specific problem.

XVFB0183 **Cannot start IOP reader thread**

Explanation: While attempting to start the thread used to read information from the IOP server, an error occurred.

User response: Restart the server.

XVFB0184 **Can't open option file *filename***

Explanation: The program cannot open the given option file.

User response: Verify that the file name is correct and the file exists with the correct permissions.

XVFB0185 **Out of Memory**

Explanation: The program has run out of memory.

User response: Verify that the system has sufficient memory available.

XVFB0186 **Error reading option file *filename***

Explanation: The program cannot open the given option file.

User response: Verify that the file name is correct and the file exists with the correct permissions.

XVFB0187 **Out of memory reallocing option buf**

Explanation: While attempting to reallocate space for a buffer, an error occurred.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0188 **Out of memory**

Explanation: The program has run out of memory

User response: Verify that the system has sufficient memory available.

XVFB0189 **Couldn't allocate keyboard controls**

Explanation: The program failed to allocate the keyboard controls.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0190 **Couldn't allocate keyboard description**

Explanation: The program failed to allocate the keyboard description.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0191 **Couldn't allocate client map in
XkbInitDevice**

Explanation: The program could not allocate client map in XkbInitDevice.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0192 **Couldn't allocate server map in
XkbInitDevice**

Explanation: The program failed to allocate server map in XkbInitDevice.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0193 **Couldn't allocate keysyms**

Explanation: The program couldn't allocate keysyms.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0194 Couldn't allocate modifierKeyMap in UpdateCore

Explanation: The program failed to allocate modifierKeyMap in UpdateCore.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0195 Couldn't allocate symbols map in UpdateCore

Explanation: The program failed to allocate symbols map in UpdateCore.

User response: Ensure that there are sufficient system resources available.

XVFB0196 could not add Xie as an extension

Explanation: While attempting to add Xie as an extension, an error occurred.

User response: None.

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