Subject: Re: GUIs from a VPS
Posted by locutius on Mon, 20 Aug 2007 19:38:28 GMT
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i have nxserver running on CentOS 5 without any xfce* package installed

i will shoot my config at you in case it means anything:

did you see this?
http://wiki.centos.org/HowTos/FreeNX

in the middle of the document there is:

Note: No Machine just released a version 3.0.0 NX client.
I am not sure if it works with the CentOS NX/freeNx solution.
Here is a link to the latest 2.1.0 i386 client from no machine,
which does work.

although he is talking about the client on the local desktop, i use the nxclient v2 on the servers
and not v3. then nxclient v3 works fine from the local desktop

also important, the standard gnome install that ships with CentOS 4 and 5 will not start a nxserver
session. always i find it necessary to yum install gnome*. i have not isolated which package is
missing but it always works

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i am pleased you like nx. vnc sux and is just about unusable for playing mahjong, good for flying a
Russian spaceship but nothing more

when the nx factors finally soak into that linux brain of yours i am convinced you will start to see
scifi opportunities with real merit

e.g. portable nx on a mobile fone with a remote VPS

thank you for conceding a niche use for nx and vps. that niche is a secure ledge for my next
project