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Subject: Config a custom Kernel from the given src.rpm  
Posted by [ronaldsh](#) on Sat, 06 May 2006 14:17:27 GMT

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I have D/L the source rpm so as the kernel.spec. And here are the steps i did.

- 1) Install the source rpm with "rpm -ivh"
- 2) goto /usr/src/redhat/SPECS , and run "rpmbuild -bp --target=i686 kernel.spec"
- 3) goto /usr/src/redhat/BUILD , copied the default config as .config
- 4) run "make menuconfig" and made those changes i want and save the .config
- 5) goto /usr/src/redhat/SPECS, run "rpmbuild -ba --target=i686 kernel.spec"

However, I found that during the rebuild, the .config file is REPLACED BACK with the original one after the kernel patching. Is that I had the wrong steps?

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this is how RPM build works.

you need to change one of source config files in /usr/src/redhat/SOURCES/\*.config.ovz

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