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Subject: **\*SOLVED\*** Test kernel install error  
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I used the kernel compile wiki on this site to compile my own kernel. I downloaded the vanilla kernel and applied the patches and ran into trouble on make install. I deleted and started over four or five times with the same result. I'm sure I forgot something stupid, but what??

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make install
sh /home/admin/kernwork/linux-2.6.16/arch/i386/boot/install.sh 2.6.16-026test015
arch/i386/boot/bzImage System.map "/boot"
WARNING: Couldn't open directory /lib/modules/2.6.16-026test015: No such file or directory
FATAL: Could not open /lib/modules/2.6.16-026test015/modules.dep.temp for writing: No such file
or directory
/lib/modules/2.6.16-026test015 is not a directory.
mkinitrd failed
make[1]: *** [install] Error 1
make: *** [install] Error 2
[root@schizoid linux-2.6.16]#
```

I have only compiled one other linux kernel before but that time it went just fine. Thanks

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Ok this one was solved by aistis in the OpenVZ IRC channel.

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mkdir /lib/modules/2.6.16-026test015
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Seems if someone pays attention they can learn something every day.

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