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Posted by Tom Bruhl on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 07:24:51 GMT

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Posted by Kim on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 13:44:45 GMT

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Posted by mike audet[1] on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 14:22:36 GMT
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Hi Kim,

I had the same thing happen to me in Windows 98 and XP if bus mastering was turned on for my G400 video card. A newer driver fixed that in XP, but I still have to have it off in 98.

You never know...

Mike

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Yeah I see your point. If they each get called in turn anyhow, then how does it fail?

Perhaps it is only possible for a single "IRQ 9" to have a turn in any one go. In that case it would mean:

- (*) IRQ sharing between identical devices would be ok if coded properly so that the driver checks all hardware it owns whenever it gets control. Then ALL the EDS cards would be checked whenever just one of them made the request. Mmm. :o) So then, for example, if we placed lots of devices on the same IRQ the driver itself could really get a lot through the hardware... as in what I believe happens in a MAGMA. ;o)
- (*) IRQ sharing with a different device would cause problems if the IRQ was reaching busy point where most of the IRQ driver calls were being used up. This would normally need two high data throughput devices. Say... Video

and Sound, say, for example. ;o)

Yes, I think that would explain it. Could be wrong. It's a theory though.

Cheers, Kim.

Subject: Re: Error 7/7 mystery.... IRQ Diversion Posted by mike audet[1] on Sun, 23 Dec 2007 15:15:18 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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That could be true if:

- 1) There is only one cpu to handle the IRQ request and
- 2) One of the drivers then changes its IRQ Level in software to a high enough level that nothing else can interrupt it. It could then "hog" the computer until the other drivers have a buffer under or over run. I'm actually starting to think that this is what the video drivers did/do in order to improve their benchmark scores.

It's funny how much we've heard about preemptive multitasking in Windows NT/2000/XP, when this can be completely subverted in drivers with almost no effort.

This stuff is a lot of fun. :)

I hope you're able to solve the 7/7 issue. I've fought with that a few times myself. It was always the video card driver for me, or my magma cable being slightly loose.

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What if there's only a one bit flag in the OS still? Or something like that. What if, say, there is a one bit flag (which is traditionally what an interrupt gets) to indicate the IRQ which interrupted, and then just, say, a single pointer variable which indicates which of the several devices on that IRQ requested the interrupt. You would end up in a scenario where only the most recent (or first depending on code) device to make a call was indicated.

I don't know how interrupts work on these Intel beasts, but I seem to recall that the 6502 processors used a system like that...

....or not. ;o)

It seems to line up too well with the symptoms to be wrong, but anything is possible...

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Well a restore of the hdd image has done nuttin'.;0)

This image has been restored several times and worked every time.

PCI slot test is next methinks... and/or IRQ's...

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I also tried switching PCI slots. Now admittedly I used the other slot which the other EDS was in, so if somehow they both blew then we'd still have trouble. I'd guess that if more than one has blown then the whole board has blown, or some BIOS thing may have changed.

But given I have tried two slots and reimaged the hdd...

....I'm starting to think the MB is fried. This MB has been nothing but trouble after the first couple of weeks. It's been replaced twice and still acts up. Maybe they don't like my Power Supply or something, but it's a Truepower.

Mmm.

Maybe I should just jump on ebay and find an appropriate second hand machine with a 2 gig processor and just hand away my \$250 and be fixed...

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I just tried running on the Interface 2. Same error, so no SCSI cables at all, which, by the way, visually looked fine, and given I've got two I don't want to get the meter out just yet...

....especially when the Interface 2 won't load...

Mmm. And tried the other C16 too...

Still could be MB...?

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Posted by Tom Bruhl on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 14:58:00 GMT
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Subject: Re: Error 7/7 mystery.... ...is still a mystery. Posted by Aaron Allen on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 19:14:53 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Have you tried firing up the EDS1000's solo, on each one, and having removed the daughter/FX board?

It's just an eds 500 at that point, BUT it tells you if that portion of the card will work.

AA

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"Kim" < hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:476f5c2f$1@linux...
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> I just tried running on the Interface 2. Same error, so no SCSI cables at
> all, which, by the way, visually looked fine, and given I've got two I
> don't
> want to get the meter out just yet...
> ...especially when the Interface 2 won't load...
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> Mmm. And tried the other C16 too...
> Still could be MB...?
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> "Kim" <hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote:
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>>I've re-imaged the hdd with a known working image, which still doesn't
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>>so all software-only solutions are pencilled off the list for now.
>>I also tried switching PCI slots. Now admittedly I used the other slot
>>which
>>the other EDS was in, so if somehow they both blew then we'd still have
> trouble.
>>I'd guess that if more than one has blown then the whole board has blown,
>>or some BIOS thing may have changed.
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>>But given I have tried two slots and reimaged the hdd...
>>...I'm starting to think the MB is fried. This MB has been nothing but
>>trouble
>>after the first couple of weeks. It's been replaced twice and still acts
>>up. Maybe they don't like my Power Supply or something, but it's a
>>Truepower.
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>>Mmm.
>>Maybe I should just jump on ebay and find an appropriate second hand
>>machine
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>>"Tom Bruhl" <arpegio@comcast.net> wrote:
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>>>Triple check the SCSI 2 cable. It burned me 5 times!!!
>>>Look at the pins and be sure they're straight. Use a different
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> Arsenault" <mani1147athotmaildotcom> wrote:<BR>>Kim, I =
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Subject: Re: Error 7/7 mystery.... not software.
Posted by steve the artguy on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 21:46:54 GMT
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you may have not read that using a pencil eraser on them might clean them, or might strip the contact material off of them.

> Hey Kim,
> By 'tabs' I mean the male portion of the eds card that slips
>into the PCI slot. I've read that a standard pencil eraser can clean
>then them appropriately. If your deduction is hardware then
>triple check the SCSI cables. I had to say it again. And try another=20
>PCI slot again with a different scsi cable whos pins you've checked.
> Mobo maybe?
> Good luck,
>Tom
>

Subject: Re: Error 7/7 mystery.... ...is still a mystery. Posted by Kim on Mon, 24 Dec 2007 23:37:22 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I had to re-silver one of mine once after that happened. Card works fine

No, I haven't...

....however it seems unlikely that both cards went, unless the MB did something freaky.

I'm very seriously thinking MB at the moment, but we'll start a new thread after Christmas and go from there. :o)

Cheers, Kim.

>>

"Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote:
>Have you tried firing up the EDS1000's solo, on each one, and having removed
>the daughter/FX board?
>It's just an eds 500 at that point, BUT it tells you if that portion of the
>card will work.
>
>AA
>
>"Kim" <hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:476f5c2f\$1@linux...

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>> I just tried running on the Interface 2. Same error, so no SCSI cables
>> all, which, by the way, visually looked fine, and given I've got two I
>> don't
>> want to get the meter out just yet...
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>> ...especially when the Interface 2 won't load...
>>
>> Mmm. And tried the other C16 too...
>>
>> Still could be MB...?
>>
>> Cheers.
>> Kim.
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>> "Kim" <hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote:
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>>>I've re-imaged the hdd with a known working image, which still doesn't
>>>work.
>>>so all software-only solutions are pencilled off the list for now.
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>>>I also tried switching PCI slots. Now admittedly I used the other slot
>>>which
>>>the other EDS was in, so if somehow they both blew then we'd still have
>> trouble.
>>>I'd guess that if more than one has blown then the whole board has blown,
>>>or some BIOS thing may have changed.
>>>But given I have tried two slots and reimaged the hdd...
>>>...I'm starting to think the MB is fried. This MB has been nothing but
>>>trouble
>>>after the first couple of weeks. It's been replaced twice and still acts
>>>up. Maybe they don't like my Power Supply or something, but it's a
>>>Truepower.
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>>>Mmm.
>>>Maybe I should just jump on ebay and find an appropriate second hand
>>>machine
>>>with a 2 gig processor and just hand away my $250 and be fixed...
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>>>Cheers.
>>>Kim.
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>>>"Tom Bruhl" <arpegio@comcast.net> wrote:
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>>>>Hi Kim,
>>>>Triple check the SCSI 2 cable. It burned me 5 times!!!
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>>>one if you have one to swap with. Check it's pins too.
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>>>Next thoughts are, one eds - one 442 for hardware, nothing else.
>>>Remove the default project and start Paris from the .exe only.
>>>Still getting 7/7 try re-erasing the tabs on the eds card.
>>>Still getting 7/7 try a different PCI slot. Could be some muck there
>>>too.
>>> Still getting 7/7 then swap the Mec with the 442 again.
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