

← Problems Entering Password With Full Disk Encryption

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There is a bug in the Plymouth splash screen which can cause issues inputting your password. This only affects systems with NVIDIA hardware.

The current work-around is to disable the splash screen while booting. To disable the splash screen on the first boot, tap ESC while booting to enter the GRUB menu. Press 🗉 to edit the default option, then delete the word "splash" from the second to last line, and press 🕫 to continue booting. If the system pauses with a maroon background shown, enter the full disk encryption password. Once booted, disable the Plymouth splash screen permanently by editing the GRUB configuration file with this command:

sudo gedit /etc/default/grub

And change this line:

GRUB_CMDLINE_LINUX_DEFAULT="quiet splash"

to this:

GRUB_CMDLINE_LINUX_DEFAULT="quiet"

Save the file, and run this command to make it permanent:

sudo update-grub

There is a bug report filed here:

Bug 1386005

Any additional people that mark Does this bug affect you? on that bug report will help gain additional traction from developers to get this issue resolved.

