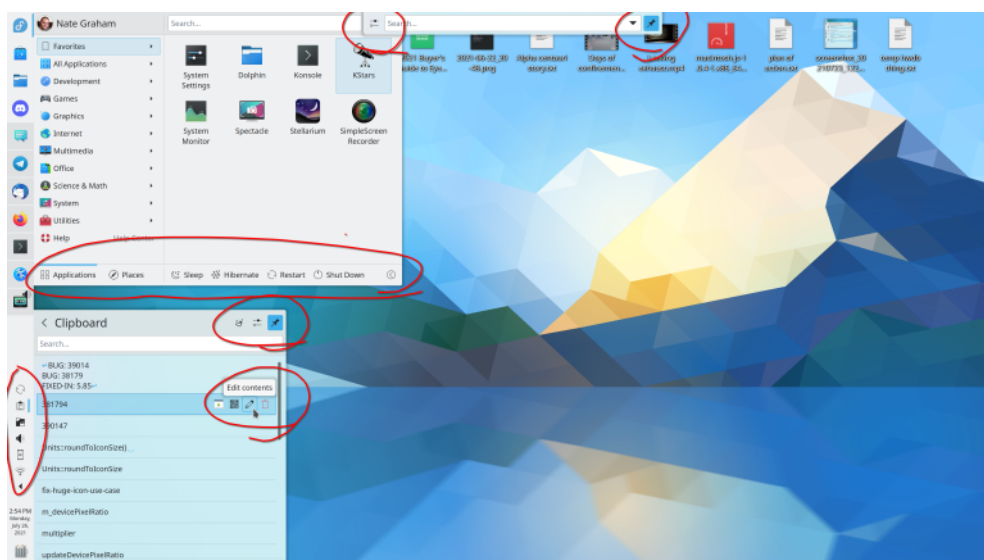


This week in KDE: Better HiDPI on X11

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We made a big improvement to Plasma's high DPI support on X11 this week! Beyond that, there's a lot more cool stuff in progress that hasn't been merged yet; look for that stuff next week and beyond.

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The buttons that appear when you hover your cursor over entries in the Clipboard applet are no longer sometimes mispositioned (Eugene Popov, Plasma 5.22.4)

A System Tray popup that has been pinned open no longer closes unexpectedly when you open its configuration page (David Redondo, Plasma 5.22.4)

Plasma Panels once again use the correct edge-specific theme graphics, when present (Obno Sim, Plasma 5.22.5)

In the Plasma Wayland session, System Settings's Shortcuts page no longer lists three 'KWin' items; they now all have proper names (David Redondo, Plasma 5.23)

When using a high DPI scale factor on X11 with the default Plasma scaling system (instead of native Qt scaling, which is used on Wayland and when manually setting `PLASMA_USE_QT_SCALING=1`), large Task Manager icons, System Tray icons and ToolButton icons all over the place are now displayed with the correct size! (me: Nate Graham,

Frameworks 5.85). This is not the end; other things are still too small, but I am working on those too.

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