

How To Utilize Your New Multimedia Keyboard Under Linux

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Xbindkeys is a program that allows you to launch shell commands with your keyboard or your mouse under X Window. It links commands to keys or mouse buttons, using its configuration file. It does not depend on the window manager and can capture all keyboard keys.

Prerequisites:

a keyboard with special/multimedia buttons

xbindkeys

working X Window, doesn't matter if it is KDE, Gnome or any other

Links:

<http://hocwp.free.fr/xbindkeys/xbindkeys.html>

Installation

Now you are familiar with the scope of this tuto, so let's start! First of all xbindkeys can be obtained from two sources:

[Full Story](#) [2].

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Source URL: <http://www.tuxmachines.org/node/15815>

Links:

[1] <http://www.tuxmachines.org/taxonomy/term/98>

[2] http://www.howtoforge.com/linux_multimedia_keyboard