

## FreeNAS - Bug #8194

### Documentation improvement for Freenas Install

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<b>Status:</b>	Resolved	
<b>Priority:</b>	Nice to have	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Dru Lavigne	
<b>Category:</b>	Documentation	
<b>Target version:</b>	N/A	
<b>Seen in:</b>		<b>Needs Merging:</b> Yes
<b>Severity:</b>	New	<b>Needs Automation:</b> No
<b>Reason for Closing:</b>		<b>Support Suite Ticket:</b> n/a
<b>Reason for Blocked:</b>		<b>Hardware Configuration:</b>
<b>Needs QA:</b>	Yes	<b>ChangeLog Required:</b> No
<b>Needs Doc:</b>	Yes	

#### Description

on this page [http://doc.freenas.org/9.3/freenas\\_install.html](http://doc.freenas.org/9.3/freenas_install.html)  
under paragraph 2.2.2 On OSX

you specify that one should use:

```
dd if=FreeNAS-9.3-RELEASE-x64.iso of=/dev/disk1 bs=64k
```

this is incredibly slow because OSX uses some buffering on top of this block devices.

you get a 10x increase by using the  
/dev/rdisk1 device instead.

reference:

<https://superuser.com/questions/631592/mac-osx-why-is-dev-rdisk-20-times-faster-than-dev-disk>

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision b79cf9b3 - 02/25/2015 11:37 AM - Dru Lavigne

Use raw disk in example. Fixes #8194.

#### History

##### #1 - 02/25/2015 06:10 AM - Dru Lavigne

- Status changed from Unscreened to Screened

##### #2 - 02/25/2015 11:39 AM - Dru Lavigne

- Status changed from Screened to Resolved

Fixed in commit b79cf9b3b29d57cdc4edfaf95ab4088e2a3be1a0.

##### #3 - 02/25/2015 11:47 AM - Jordan Hubbard

- Status changed from Resolved to Ready For Release

##### #4 - 04/09/2015 07:09 PM - Jordan Hubbard

- Target version set to Unspecified

##### #5 - 04/09/2015 07:28 PM - Jordan Hubbard

- Status changed from Ready For Release to Resolved

**#6 - 08/26/2016 01:47 PM - Kris Moore**

- Target version changed from Unspecified to N/A