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TOPIC ---

When using MacX 1.5 and the XDMCP protocol to connect to a workstation, I
noticed that some of my keys no longer work. If I use a remote command like
xterm, I do not have this key mapping issue. Why are the key mappings
different.

DISCUSSION --

We believe the XDM settings have mapped the keys differently. To correct this,
follow the following steps:

Step 1

Connect with a remote xterm command, so the keys mappings are correct.

Step 2

Type the command:

xmodmap -pke > $HOME/mykeymap

This command will output your key mappings to a file.

Step 3

Create a file called '.xsession' in you HOME directory.

Step 4

In .xsession, enter this line: 'xmodmap mykeymap'

Step 5

Save this file, make it executable and exit.

Step 6

Connect again with XDMCP. The Xsessions file will read the user's .xsession
file, issuing the command to execute the command xmodmap and map the users
working key map.

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