openSUSE Leap 42.3 Release - action #14936

revamp the desktop selection screen

2016-11-22 08:15 - lnussel

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Description
The current desktop selection screen offers KDE, GNOME, Server and behind an 'Other' option Minimal X and XFCE. Net install also Enlightenment.

- KDE, GNOME and Server are the recommended main options for the target audience.
- MinimalX ends up at xdm which is the worst of all DMs to present a user probably
- XFCE is unmaintained.
- Enlightenment is there for legacy reasons, probably due to social engineering.

The screen needs to be redone to better explain the main options and list alternative desktop offerings in a fair way if the online repos are enabled.

Suggestion:

[x] KDE Workstation
[ ] GNOME Workstation
[ ] Server (text mode)
[ ] Custom

Custom leads to the pattern selector screen (the one with the icons next to the pattern) in the next dialog. Displayed patterns are sorted alphabetically.

History

#1 - 2017-02-09 12:58 - okurz
proposal for changes with screenshots and videos of the workflow: https://github.com/yast/skelcd-control-openSUSE/pull/73

#2 - 2017-02-17 11:25 - dzedro
I will work on this, but can't update it.

#3 - 2017-03-13 12:55 - lnussel
- Due date changed from 2017-02-28 to 2017-03-31
- Assignee set to jreidinger
- Target version set to Stabilized
- % Done changed from 0 to 50

on the way to Factory

#4 - 2017-04-05 06:39 - jreidinger
- Status changed from New to Feedback
- % Done changed from 50 to 100

lets mark it as done as it is already in tumble weed and rest is solving via bug reports.

#5 - 2017-04-05 09:38 - lnussel
We still need the required changes in Leap though ...

#6 - 2017-05-24 11:47 - lnussel
- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

in meanwhile but there are bugs tracked in bugzilla