

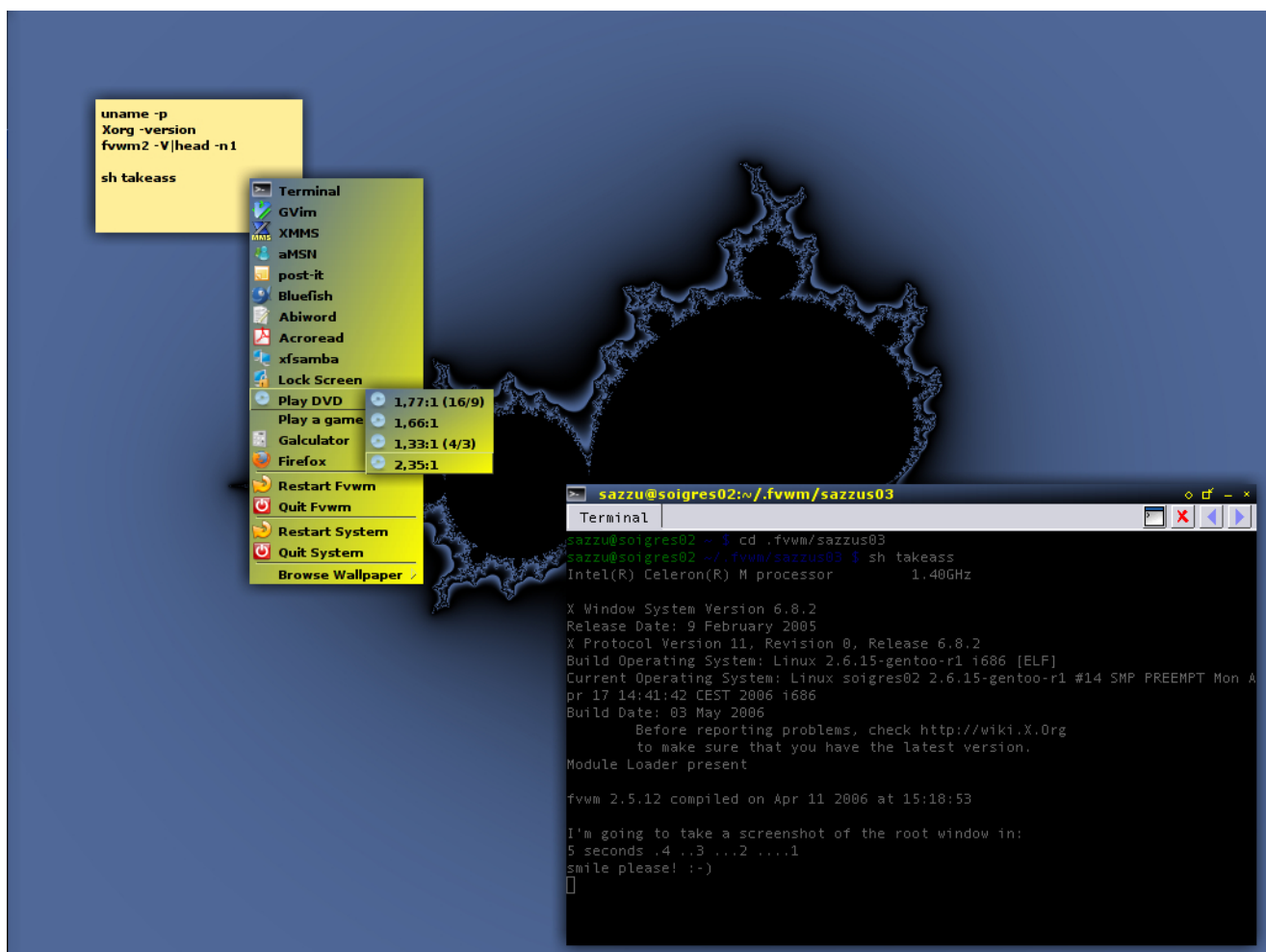
this is my first config

in the first screenshot you can see my desktop how it appears when you "startx":

- . the wallpaper is made by me
- . the terminal is mrxvt with bash shell and it auto starts... i can't do without it ;-)
- . the post-it is "xpad": you can read in it the commands run before the screenshot is taken
- . and last but not least the root menu... look: i'm going to start a DVD in 2,35:1

a little description of windows:

- . shadows are made with xcompmgr
- . buttons are all vectorial, from right to left: close, iconify, resize to 800x600, stay on top
- . no borders



in the second screenshot you can see MPlayer running the most wonderful film of the world; look:

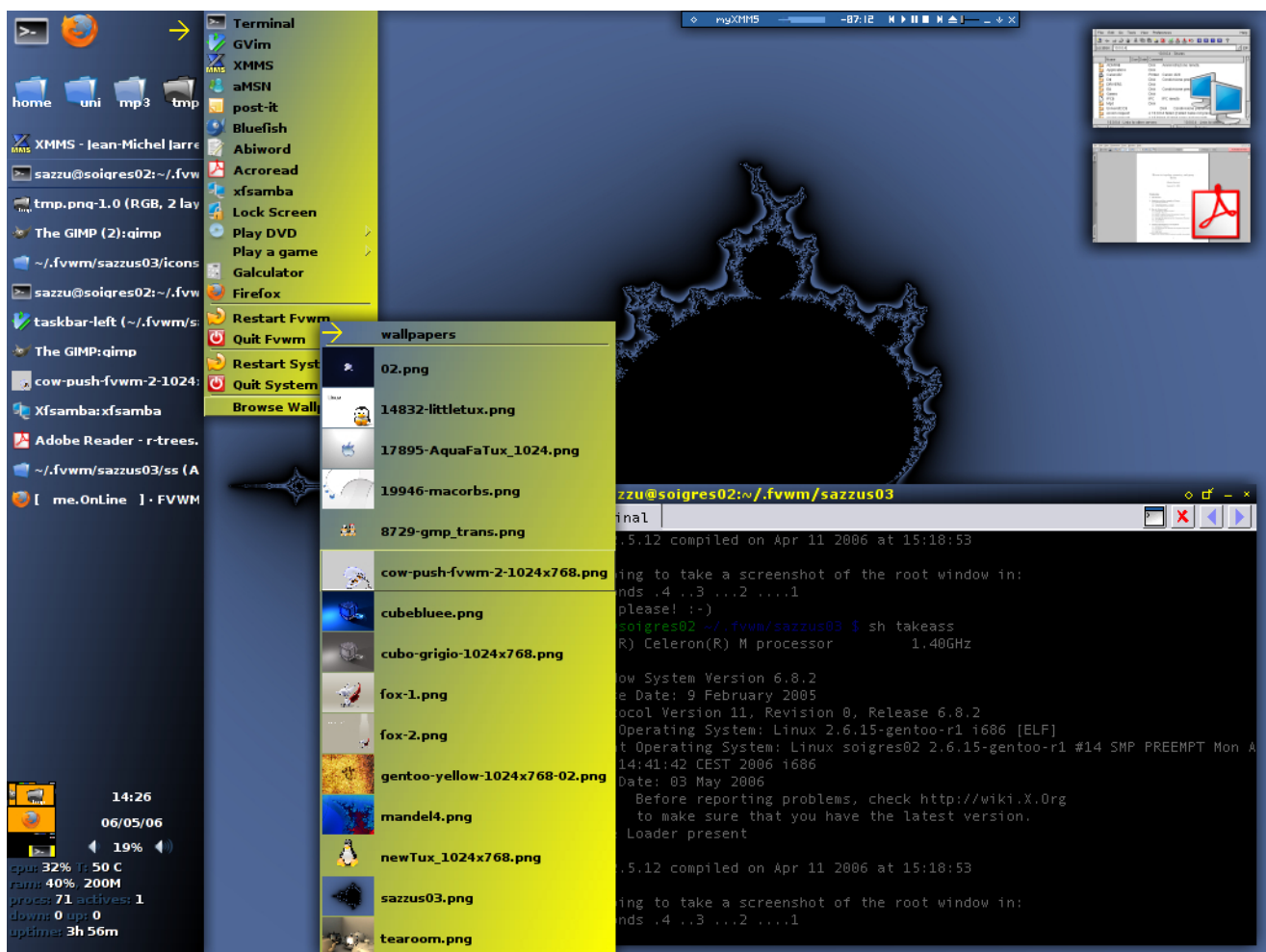
- . iconified windows are on the right top
- . real transparencies are obtained with "transset-df"
- . inactive title bar has also root transparency

pay attention: Firefox stays on top of the terminal and Mplayer stays on top of all; the terminal is the active window



in the last screenshot you can see the core of my work: the TASKBAR ON THE LEFT; properties:

- . autohide
- . 160 pixel width
- . quick start icons (terminal and firefox)
- . "start" menu (root menu again)
- . quick access to directories (using ROX-Filer)
- . a long list of windows (FvwmIconMan); in this way you can read the title of the window even when many windows are open
- . FvwmPager (i have 3 pages in vertical)
- . FvwmScript(s)
- . conky



this taskbar is the reason i use FVWM: i was looking for a way to build something like this... i found FVWM!