Something for Everyone

For Users

openSUSE allows you to design cool graphics, write great documents, create awesome videos or surf the Net with ease—because all the applications you need are included. But shoulld you want more, thousands of additional apps are a click away. It's a desktop ready for the most demanding user: anytime, anywhere, anyway.

For Administrators

openSUSE offers a full range of software to meet your networking, management and maintenance needs for both home and enterprise networks. Create a mail, Web or file server. It's powerful and flexibile with it's unique command line, graphical and Web interface. Deploy virtual machines or a firewall perimeter—and maintain your user accounts. And thanks to YaST™, the most comprehensive and powerful admin tool in the industry, you can manage your environment with surprising ease.

For Developers

Unleash your creativity and join the ranks of developers using the openSUSE platform. With unparalleled stability, flexibility and all the relevant tool chains, there is no better Linux for software development.

openSUSE comes with IDEs for a wide variety of development workflows, from Anjuta to QtCreator, complete with all the languages, libraries and tools Free Software has to offer. And with YaST, you can install the required development libraries with one click.

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Welcome to openSUSE

Hello! We're the international openSUSE Community team—friendly, welcoming and active in creating the premier Linux for the future.

What We Do

We provide an open and innovative atmosphere. Here, barriers and limitations don't exist. We believe in the freedom to create technology that will better ourselves and the world. It's why everything we do is free and open.

Working Together

Our freedom-loving philosophy is what drives us and is why we work extensively with the wider Free Software community and other Linux distributions. We also initiate new projects and embrace anyone who wants to build upon our technology or integrate it into their own project. One example is Appstream, which helps unify software installation. Our package building infrastructure delivers more than 120,000 packages to 30,000 users supporting 21 distro's on seven architectures.

Helping You Out

Whether you're a new user looking for help, or an experienced developer looking to cross-compile and distribute software, openSUSE provides the tools and support you need.

For a full list of communication channels, or if you'd just like to talk with us about ideas, visit opensuse.org/communication.

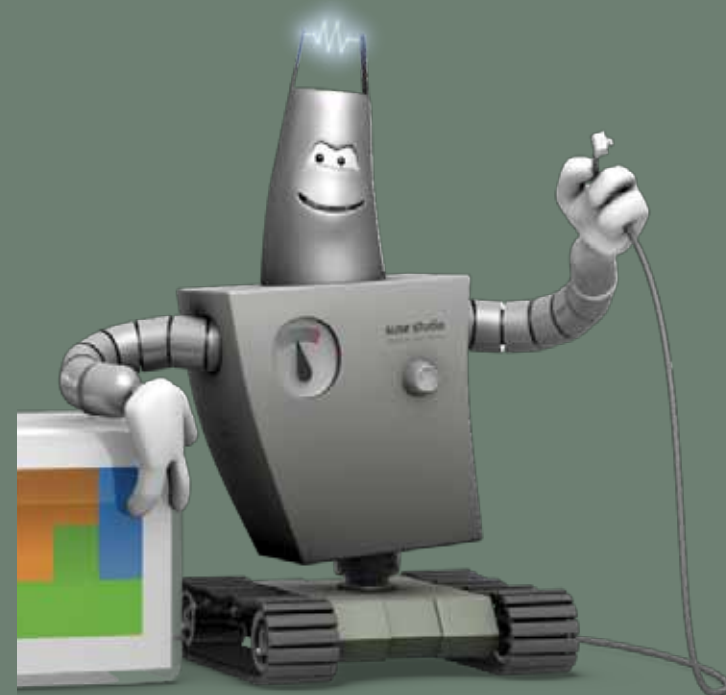# What's Cool About
openSUSE

SUSE Studio ™

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→ Build a full distro from a browser—customized with your packages, script and artwork

→ Build on the latest openSUSE platform, or the dependable SUSE Linux Enterprise

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→ Test drive your OS via SSH or Web browser, and your changes get saved to the appliance

→ Output choice includes VMware, KVM and LiveCD/USB with one-click deployment to Amazon EC2

→ Include WebYaST and make your OS configurable from any Web browser

→ Export your config as KIWI XML for custom building in OBS

For more information, please visit:
susestudio.com
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openSUSE Build Service

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→ Builds rpm and deb packages from a Web browser, pulling from git/SVN using VMs to build for any platform or OS

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→ Support for Windows "packages" is in the making

→ Easy nightly builds

→ Integration with application store

→ Spec file generation from tarball

→ Use a powerful command line interface, or a convenient Web interface

desktop Choice

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→ openSUSE offers the full selection of desktop choices—all fully integrated for a seamless computing experience

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→ Popular desktops (including GNOME, KDE, LXDE and XFCE) all ship on a single DVD—providing you with simplicity and complete freedom of choice

Tumbleweed

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→ Tumbleweed offers a "rolling release" repository for openSUSE so you can escape the Upgrade Mill and enjoy smooth and stable progress.

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→ openSUSE Tumbleweed is a project on the move. Testers are encouraged to join the mailing list and provide feedback. And certaintly, contributors are always welcome.

For more information, please visit:
http://en.opensuse.org/tumbleweed

Appinstaller

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→ Application Center technology based on FD.o standards

→ openSUSE is collaborating with other distros (including Red Hat) to create a cross-distribution technology

KIWI

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→ Connect with OBS to automatically build live images (CD/USB/Virtual) directly from git/SVN