



Fedora

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Fedora project

- fedora.us & Red Hat Linux merged
- Community project
- Launch October 2003
- One successor to Red Hat Linux
- Alternative to Red Hat Enterprise Linux
- Initially x86-only
- Aiming for biannual releases

Fedora community

- Transparent development
- Lists now active
- Red Hat engineers et al
- Anyone else

Parts

- **Fedora Core**
- **Fedora Extras**
- **Fedora Alternatives**

Fedora Core

- **The base distribution**
- **Beta : Severn**
- **Final : Yarrow (any day now)**
- **Initially based on RHL's package set**

Fedora extras

Extra stuff

Fedora Alternatives

Replacement to pkgs in Fedora Core

Choices for existing Red Hat users

- Do nothing
- Use alternative (community?) support
- Go for Fedora
- Go for Red Hat Enterprise
- Go for another distro

Will there be errata?

Uncertain

Cool stuff

- Up2date now talks to apt and yum repositories

In summary

Fedora = Red Hat Linux ++

Fedora != Red Hat Linux jr