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Productivity Tools
From the Open Source World

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1999

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Linux
Open Source

1999
"Where are the applications?"

2006

2006
"There are too many choices!"

You can't please everyone
can you?
:)

Abundance of applications

Productivity Tools

Productivity Tools
For End Users

Office Suites
Internet Tools
Entertainment
Multimedia
Education
Business
Utilities
Communication
Databases
etc.

Productivity Tools
For Developers

IDEs
Compilers
Editors
Utilities
Debuggers
Documentation
Source Code!
etc.

Productivity Tools
For SysAdmins

Installation
User Management
Security
Auditing
System Inventory
Updates
etc.

Common Factor

They are free

"Free"
as in
No Cost

"Free"
as in
Freedom

Unencumbered
Freely Distributable

Productivity
=
More done in less time

Procurement Time

License Auditing

From where?

"Scruffy hackers in the basements of their mothers' homes"

Right

Developers
=
Actual Users

Individuals

Corporations

IBM

IBM

HP

IBM

HP

CA

IBM

HP

CA

Sun

IBM
HP
CA
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Infosys

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