

Overview of Linux Distribution

Linux is not just a single operating system .it exists in several dozen versions called distributions. Unlike windows ,no one company has guided the development of linux.

Linux comes in many different appearances.the basic system is the same,but the look,feel and the subsystems around it are different.

Each version is produced by a different organization with its own ethos(philosophy) and aims.

The result is a unique version of linux (Known as a distro in linux speak) which is aimed at a slightly different set of users.

Distribution Table

Sr.No	Distribution.	User Interface	URL	Released Year
01	openSUSE	KDE,GNOME	www.suse.com	1992
02	Debian	GNOME	www.debian.org	1993
03	Slackware	KDE,GNOME	www.slackware.com	1993
04	Red Hat	KDE,GNOME	www.redhat.com	1995
05	Mandriva	KDE	www.mandriva.com	1998
06	Knoppix	KDE	www.knopper.net	2000
07	Fedora	GNOME	www.getfedora.com	2003
08	Ubuntu	Unity,GNOME	www.ubuntu.com	2004
09	Mint	KDE,GNOME	www.linuxmint.com	2006