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EXPERIENCES WITH THE RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX 8 BETA

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Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8



Faster, more consistent delivery

Faster onboarding for non-linux users

Leading, security focused platform

Seamless, non-disruptive migration

Faster time to Hello world

Leading database partner

Ease of transition and fuels adoption of containerized workloads

Intelligent OS Insights

INTRODUCTIONS



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INTRODUCTIONS - RED HAT



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James Mills

Senior Principal Software
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AUDIENCE POLL - WHAT IS YOUR LEVEL OF FAMILIARITY WITH THE RHEL 8 BETA?

① Huh? What is the Beta?

② Heard about the Beta, but haven't really explored

③ Installed and tested the Beta

④ Love the Beta!

QUESTION

What has been your general impression of the Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 Beta?

QUESTION

**How does Red Hat Enterprise
Linux 8 addresses your
business challenges?**

QUESTION

What have been the key takeaways for the Red Hat Enterprise Linux team?

THE OS CONTINUES TO MATTER

DOWNLOADS

39,408



CUSTOMERS

228



CASES

422

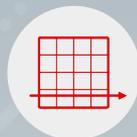


- ▶ "Overall, we will use RHEL 8 like we used 7, 6, 5 and 4, as a base OS for applications – very successfully."
- ▶ "Great job on RHEL 8 HTB"
- ▶ "the rollout went very well"
- ▶ "The workbooks(lab manuals) were a definite improvement over the RHEL 7 Beta"
- ▶ "Yum is a lot faster than it used to be and all the commands work well"

Jim Nauer, systems engineer, Case Western Reserve University

"Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 AppStreams will allow us to provide our researchers an OS platform with an enterprise support lifecycle, but also access to up-to-date languages and tools in a way that interoperates easily with third-party source code."

KEY LEARNINGS AND OUTCOMES



Smooth Adoption

“Help me plan a smooth adoption of Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8”



Additional documentation on considerations for adopting version 8.0; expanded uses cases for upgrade tooling



Security risk

“I require a platform that conforms to industry standards”



Resolved issues that prevented the IdM subsystem from operating as expected in FIPS mode



Issue resolution

“It is hard for me to get status on the defect I reported”



Introduced process improvements for releases to be more frequent and predictable.



Availability and stability

I don't see packages that I'm used to with Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 Optional



Additional packages in support of Developer use-cases are available via the “CodeReady Builder” content set.

...and we resolved 1000+ defects since the Beta was made available...

ASK THE PANEL

Please come upto the microphone in
the middle of the room and pose your
question

ALIGNING ROADMAPS

ACCESS



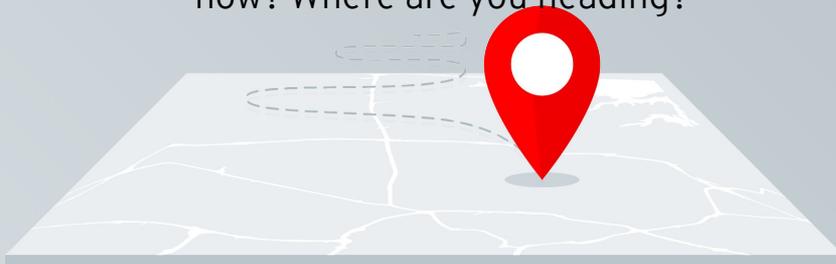
Test pre-release software and validate your applications

ADVOCACY



Be Red Hat's partner and influence product roadmap

Where are you coming from? Where are you now? Where are you heading?



How can we help you get there?

AUDIENCE POLL - HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN A FUTURE BETA PROGRAM ?

① YES, Absolutely

② Maybe, I need more information

③ Maybe, need to talk to my peers

④ No, it is not suited to our workflow

FIND OUT MORE....

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SESSIONS TO LOOK OUT FOR

GENERAL SESSION TOMORROW at 8:30 am

WHAT'S NEW IN RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX 8 BETA?

RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX ROADMAP

UPGRADING/MIGRATING TO RHEL 8 BEST PRACTICES

TOP 10 SECURITY CHANGES IN RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX 8 BETA

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