

Linux desktop applications are moving into more government desktop computers

Vendor	Product name	Type	Key features	Linux distributions supported*	Other OS supported	Price
IBM Corp. Armonk, N.Y. 800-426-4968 www.ibm.com	DB/2 Universal Database Personal Edition 7.2	Database	Connectivity and data warehouse tools, SQLJ, Web support, wizards	Caldera OpenLinux 2.4; Debian; Mandrake 7.2; RedHat 6.2, 7.1; SuSE 6.2, 6.3, 7.0; TurboLinux 6.0	AIX, AS/400, HP-UX, NUMA-Q, OS/2, OS/390, Solaris, Windows	\$351
MandrakeSoft Inc. Altadena, Calif. 626-296-6290 www.mandrakesoft.com	Mandrake Linux 8.2 PowerPack Edition	Linux distribution with bundled third-party applications	Browser, graphics, office suite, open-source development tools, personal finance	Mandrake Linux 8.2	None	\$149
The MathWorks Inc. Natick, Mass. 508-647-7000 www.mathworks.com	Matlab 6.1	Scientific and engineering computation	Data acquisition and analysis, modeling, simulation, visualization	2.2.x and 2.4.x kernels	AIX 4.3.3; HP-UX 10.20-11.0; IRIX and IRIX 64 6.5.8-6.5.12; Solaris 2.6, 2.7, 2.8; Tru64 4.0f, 5.0, 5.1	\$1,900
The Mozilla Organization www.mozilla.org	Mozilla 1.0 Release Candidate 1	Web browser	Browser, chat, e-mail, newsgroups, Web page composer	Debian 2.1, Red Hat 6.x, SuSE 6.2	Mac OS 8.5 and later, OpenVMS Alpha 7.2-1 or later, Solaris 8, Windows 95 and later	Free
Netscape Communications Corp. Mountain View, Calif. 650-254-1900 www.netscape.com	Netscape 6.2	Web browser	Browser, e-mail, instant messaging, spell check, Web page composer	Red Hat 6.0, 6.1, 6.2, 7.0 with X11 R6	Mac OS 8.6, 8.6i, 9.x; OS X; Windows 95 and later	Free
Opera Software ASA Oslo, Norway +47 24 16 40 00 www.opera.com	Opera 6.0 for Linux	Web browser	Browser only	Debian, Mandrake 8, Red Hat 7.1, SuSE 7.x	BeOS, Mac OS, OS/2, QNX, Solaris, Symbian, Windows	\$39
Lycoris (formerly Redmond Linux) Redmond, Wash. 805-587-9555 www.lycoris.com	Lycoris Desktop/LX	Linux distribution with bundled third-party applications	Browser, CD burner, graphics, multimedia readers, office suite	Desktop/LX	None	\$29.95; \$39.95 with developer tools
Red Hat Inc. Raleigh, N.C. 888-733-4281 www.redhat.com	Red Hat Database	Database	SQL 92, ODBC and JDBC APIs, locking, transactions	Red Hat 7.1	None	\$2,295
	Red Hat Linux 7.2	Linux distribution with bundled third-party applications	E-mail transport agent, StarOffice 5.2, utilities	Red Hat 7.2	None	\$199
Sun Microsystems Inc. Santa Clara, Calif. 800-555-9786 www.sun.com	StarOffice 6.0	Office suite	Graphics, presentation, spreadsheet, word processor	Linux kernel 2.0x and later	Solaris 2.6, 7, 8; Windows 95 and later	\$76
ThinkFree Corp. Cupertino, Calif. 408-861-9494 www.thinkfree.com	ThinkFree Office 2.0	Office suite	Cyberdrive online storage, file manager, presentation, spreadsheet, word processor	Red Hat 6.0, 6.2, 7.1, 7.2	Mac OS X (10.1); Solaris 2.6, 7, 8; client-based Windows version	\$49 per user/year
VistaSource Inc. Westboro, Mass. 800-827-8379 www.vistasource.com	Anyware Office 2.2 (formerly Applixware Office 5.0)	Office suite	E-mail, graphics, presentation, spreadsheet, word processor	Caldera 2.3, 2.4; Corel 1.x; Debian 2.1; Mandrake 7.x; Red Hat 5.x, 6.x, 7.x; Slackware 7.x; SuSE 5.3, 6.x, 7.x	None	\$99
Ximian Inc. Boston 617-375-3800 www.ximian.com	Ximian Desktop Professional Edition 1.1	Desktop software with e-mail, personal information manager and third-party office apps	E-mail client, personal information manager, application bundle includes Web browser	Debian GNU/Linux 2.2; Mandrake 8.0, 8.1; Red Hat 6.2, 7.0, 7.1, 7.2; SuSE 7.1, 7.2, 7.3	Solaris 8	Free (\$49 on CD); Standard Edition (minus StarOffice) \$29.95

Note: Only the latest versions of applications are shown; some vendors also sell older versions for Linux.

* For Intel x86 systems