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Fedora – How to Contribute?

Things to know

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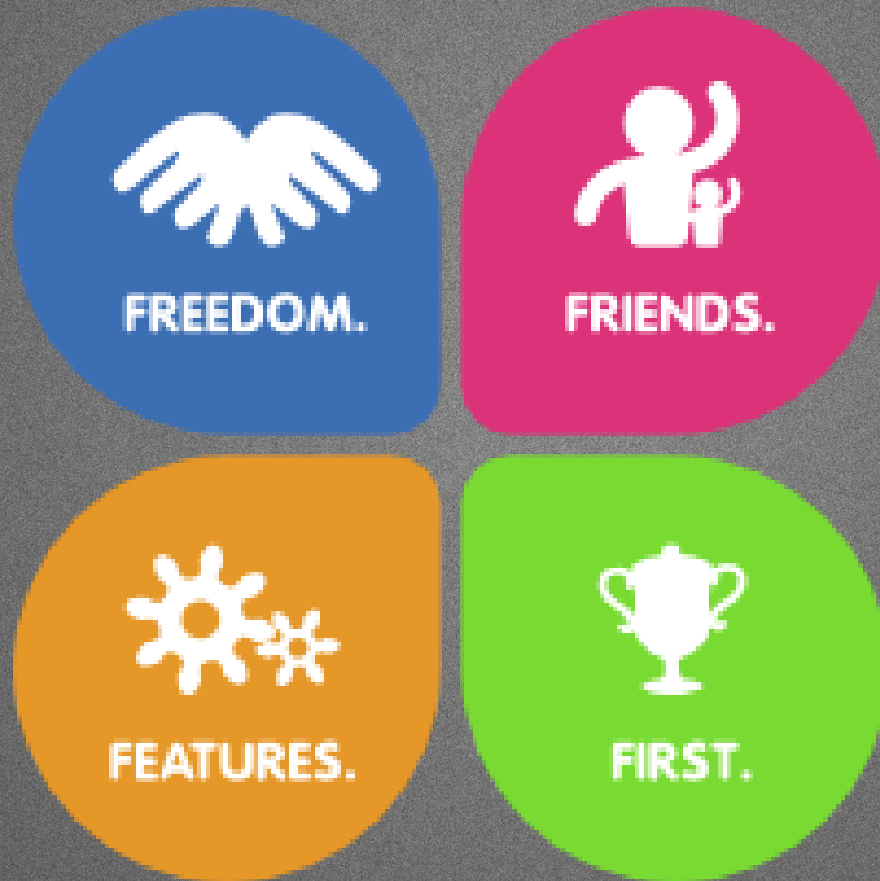
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Understanding Fedora

Four Foundations



Understanding Fedora

- Strong focus on Free and open source software licensing
- Cutting edge – Six month release, ~13 months of updates per release
- Culture of innovation
- Upstream orientation
- Sponsored by Red Hat





Where to start?

Where to start? - I

- You don't have to be a rock star programmer!
- Packaging
- Infrastructure
- Design
- Documentation



Where to start? - II

- Quality Assurance
- Translator
- Marketing
- Much more at <http://join.fedoraproject.org>





Tools of the trade

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- Communication - Mailing lists, IRC
- Collaboration - Wiki, Etherpad
- Presentation - Libreoffice, LaTeX
- Packaging - RPM, Yum, Koji, Bodhi and Pkgdb
- Artwork - Inkscape, GIMP, Blender
- Infrastructure - Python - Turbo gears, Django





Questions?

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