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The GNOME Desktop project.

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The GNOME Desktop project
(GNU Network Object Model Environment)
[http://bananoid.nuclecu.unam.mx/gnome](http://bananoid.nuclecu.unam.mx/gnome)
* Goals

We want to develop a free and complete set of user friendly applications and desktop tools, similar to CDE and KDE but based entirely on free software:

- We want the applications to have a common look and feel, and to share as many visual elements and UI concepts as possible.

- We want to use the GTK toolkit as our toolkit for writing the applications.

  The GTK toolkit (http://www.cs.umn.edu/~amundson/gtk and http://levien.com/~slow/gtk/) is the toolkit written by Peter Mattis, Spencer Kimball, Josh MacDonald, for the GNU Image Manipulation Program (GIMP) project (http://scam.xcf.berkeley.edu/~gimp).

- We want to encourage people to contribute code and to test the code, so that the software will compile out of the box by using GNU's tools for automatic source configuration.

- We plan to export the GTK API through a procedural database (which will in fact be an object database) to allow easy integration with scripting languages and modules written in other languages.

- We plan to use GTK/Scheme bindings for coding small utilities and applications. When these bindings are more mature, it should be possible to write complete applications in Scheme.
* Some common questions regarding the project

**Why don't you just use/contribute to KDE?**

KDE is a nice project; they have good hackers working on it and they have done a very good job. Unfortunately, they selected the non-free Qt toolkit as the foundation for the project, which poses legal problems for those desiring to redistribute the software.

**Why not write a free Qt replacement instead?**

The KDE project - in its current form - has about 89,000 lines of code, on the other hand, the source code for the Qt library has about 91,000 lines.

Qt also forces the programmer to write his code in C++ or Python. GTK can be used in C, Scheme, Python, C++, Objective-C and Perl.

Also, we believe that KDE has some design problems (they have lots of good ideas though) that we plan to fix.
Under what license does the GNOME fall?

As most GNU software, GNOME application code will be released under the GNU GPL. GNOME specific libraries will be released under the terms of the GNU LGPL.

Will you rewrite everything from scratch?

No. We will try to reuse the existing code for GNU programs as much as possible, while adhering to the guidelines of the project. Putting nice and consistent user interfaces over all-time favorites will be one of the projects.

We plan on reusing code from KDE as well.
GNU Network Object Model Environment

- Free
- Easy to use
Helix Code / Ximian 1999

- Support
- Usability oriented
- Automatic update system
- Making money
GNOME Foundation

- Membership
- Advisory Board
- Board of Directors
- Release team / ...
GUADEC 2001

GNOME Users and Developers European Conference
June 26, 2002

- i18n and a11y
- Human Interface Guidelines 2.0
- Evolution
- Nautilus
- Time-based releases
Hello, Gnome2 world!
Not everything went well...
Hardware that “Just Works”
GNOME 2.8
September 15, 2004

Remote Desktop Preferences

Sharing
- Allow other users to view your desktop
- Allow other users to control your desktop

Users can view your desktop using this command:
vncviewer pingu.madeley.id.au:0

Security

- Ask you for confirmation

When a user tries to view or control your desktop:
- Require the user to enter this password:
  Password:
10x10
Welcome to Tomboy!

Use this page as a Start Page for organizing your notes and unorganized ideas around.

GNOME 2.16

Make screenshots for release notes.
Email Elijah about blocker bugs
Re: Potential blockers for 2.16
Great-Aunt Emma (not Linus Torvalds)
Butterfly

Kingdom: Animalia
Phylum: Arthropoda
Class: (unranked)
Order: (unranked)

- Superfamily: Hedyliidae
- Superfamily: Papilionoidea
- Superfamily: Hesperiidae
- Superfamily: Papilionoidea

Skippers differ in several important ways from the remaining butterflies, which are classified in the superfamily Papilionoidea and the neotropical superfamily Hedyloidea. Collectively, these three groups of butterflies share several characteristics especially in the egg, larval and pupal stage (Ackery et al. 1999). However, skippers have the antennae clubs hooked backward like a crochet, whilst butterflies have club-like tips to their antennae and hedyliids have feathered or pectinate antennae giving them an even more "moth"-like appearance than skippers. Skippers also have generally stockier bodies than the other two groups, with stronger wing muscles. Hesperiidae is very likely the sister group of Papilionoidea, and together with Hedyloidea constitute a natural group or clade.
Hi Gnome World!
I've just attached a new screenshot of gnome 2.20 :)

- Andrea Cimitan
home desktop

Todo
- fix the roof
- buy flowers for Sarah
- call John about the project
- upgrade to GNOME 2.20!

Tomboy Preferences
- Editing
- Hotkeys
- Synchronization
- Add-ins

Service: WebDAV (xfdfs FUSE)
URL: http://backup.ladybug.com
Username: sunflower
Password: ********

Delete

office desktop

Todo
- fix the roof
- buy flowers for Sarah
- call John about the project
- upgrade to GNOME 2.20!
Visueel

Orca

Activeren bij aanmelden

Opdracht: orca

Mobiliteit

Dasher

Activeren bij aanmelden

Opdracht: dasher
Desktop User Guide

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جنوم

جنوم هي بيئة رسومية لنظام التشغيل جنو/لينكس (و أنظمة *نكس الأخرى). وهي واحدة من الواجهات الأكثر استعمالًا، وربما الأكثر شعبية بيئة رسومية افتراضية على نوافيرات لنكس، لذلك فإن تعريضها ذو أهمية شديدة. العربية من أكثر اللغات استخداماً، ولكننا لأسف لا نجد من تُركة عن صفحة ترجمة جنوم، وذلك بالطبع نتيجة للنشرة الجيدة لها.

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GNOME 3 – project topaz

- Explore simpler, more intuitive UI concepts
- Get away from the rectangle model
- Constraints imposed by new devices in form factors and limited input devices
GUADECE 2007 (Birmingham, UK)

GNOME Online Desktop (GOD)