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Thread: [Best Linux Operating System For My System?](#)

P???ce - August 27, 2013, 3:55 am

Hi Every one ?

Currently I'm having Windows 7, With in a month or so I wish to get experience over Linux Operating System.

Basic Computer Specifications:

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Can you suggest me any good flavor? I mostly surf Internet, Use Dev C++ & VPNs, I want something better in look & which could run smooth on my machine :)

Thank you friends :)

SHADOW REALM - August 27, 2013, 4:01 am

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3686291>

P???ce - August 27, 2013, 4:12 am

(Aug 27, 2013 04:01 AM)Cody? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) <https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=3686291>

Thanks dear Cody :)

I got three good looking Flavours,

Ubuntu

Fedora

Suse Linux

But Suse Linux is really big to download, so I'm going to try for Fedora or Ubuntu :)

Thank you ;)

sl???g?T of ???D - August 27, 2013, 4:15 am

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That's great :D I'm going to downloading this one ;) Thank you friend ;)

butwhatif - August 27, 2013, 7:54 am

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X25519 - August 27, 2013, 8:31 am

(Aug 27, 2013 07:54 AM)butwhatif Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) best linux is a pc xD

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umm... wut?

On topic: I would recommend Slackware or Ubuntu. Both are very great distros to learn Linux with.

Ubuntu: Very user-friendly, easy enough to start learning Linux.
Slackware: Challenging, actually learn hardcore Linux.

Netherex - August 27, 2013, 9:03 am

Go with Ubuntu.. You will not even feel the difference between windows 7 and Ubuntu much..
It can run on your system I guess, also make sure you download the 32 bit version

dnh43sdn399wsj39 - August 27, 2013, 10:23 am

Ubuntu 13.04 32bit Operating System

oz@bsd - August 27, 2013, 10:48 am

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Boing - August 27, 2013, 10:49 am

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Loki123 - August 27, 2013, 11:22 am

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Ethelwulf - August 27, 2013, 12:27 pm

well if you're looking forward to learning a lot more about how linux works overall, anything but ubuntu. if you're using it just to use it, make sure the interface isn't so graphic heavy. any flavor that has a light interface actually.

Mafugsa Bob - August 27, 2013, 12:29 pm

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Xentric QT - August 27, 2013, 2:12 pm

just run arch linux like a boss configure it exactly how you like it :)

beginners guide and all :3

?A.J? - August 27, 2013, 2:14 pm

I am a fan of Manjaro Linux and that's what I suggest to you.
Good luck.

Loki123 - August 27, 2013, 5:54 pm

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If you are not going to challenge yourself then you won't get anywhere. And CrunchBang is not hard.

3 commands that you will have to get used to and you are fine. Google will help him a lot and then they have a good help pages.

apt-get install

apt-get remove

aptitude search

Ubuntu is a distro that wipes your ass. Using it won't get you anywhere if you intend on learning anything and while it is heavy as fuck and you need +1.5GB RAM to be able to use it. He has 1GB. Ubuntu is the WORST choice he can make.

And then it is down to personal opinions if you like Ubuntu layout or Mint. Mint is the better choice for many reason. For example it is not as much bloated with programs that you will never use.

P???ce - August 28, 2013, 4:37 am

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qwerty42000 - August 29, 2013, 2:08 pm

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