Novell Open Enterprise Server Future and Roadmap



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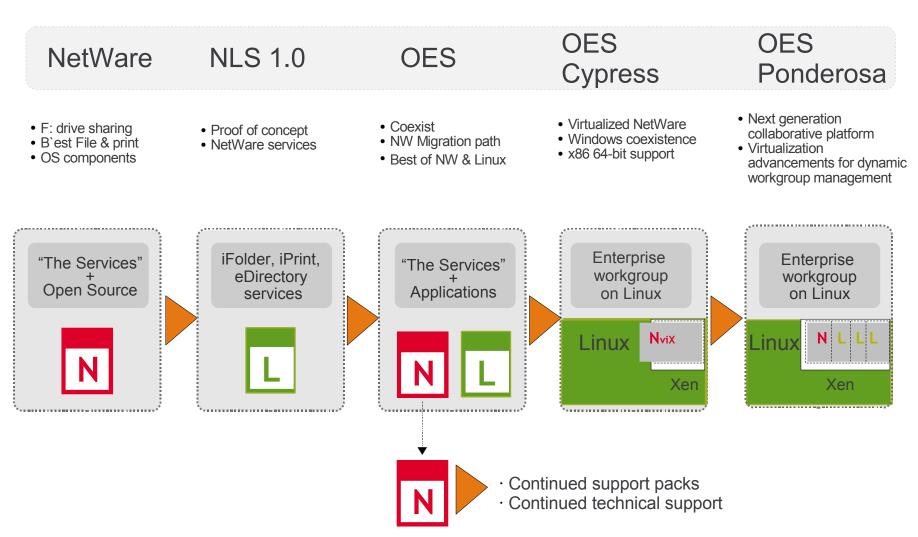
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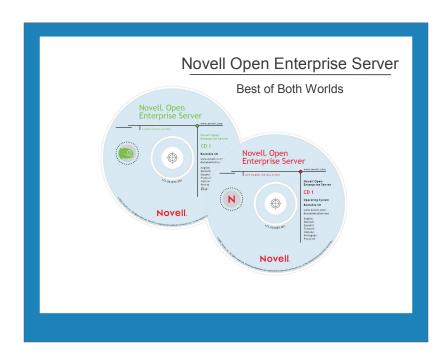
The Road to Open Enterprise Server

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Past and Future



Novell_® Open Enterprise Server



Customers using Open Enterprise Server have the flexibility to deploy services on the NetWare® and/or Linux platforms with common and familiar management experiences for both.

Futhermore, customers will be able to exploit the strengths of SUSE® Linux Server 9 as an application server and open source platform.















Industry-Wide Support for SUSE LINUX

Can you find any applications your company uses?



Hardware Support

























OES Backup and Anti-virus

Support for:

- · OES NetWare
- · OES Linux















Planned Support for:

- · OES NetWare
- · OES Linux













Get more information at the OES Backup and Anti-virus website http://www.novell.com/products/openenterpriseserver/partners/index.html



Industry Recognition for OES

"It's a new day, a new dawn, for Novell. And it's not just Novell saying it. It's thepeople who support Novell, who build their lives around Novell, who are enjoying the return of new light and life to an old company." -eWeek, New Day, New Novell

"Gartner sees Open Enterprise Server as the start of a new era for NetWare file/print services." -Gartner and John Enck, <u>Bottom Line</u>

For Novell, Linux Means New Life

After doing two major acquisitions to build its Linux portfolio and coming up with what at least one analyst calls a "clear roadmap" for moving its NetWare customers to Linux, Novell is winning credibility as a Linux player.

-Business Week

Desktop and Infrastructure Software (Relevant Again)

Importantly, Linux will change that materially, which should help drive new adoptions, and stabilize NetWare (again to become OES). Investors may want to note that maintenance renewals for NetWare have been good, and there has not been a meaningful run-off of the installed customer base.

-U.S. Equity Research Baird



OES Picks Up the Top Spot



Novell Open Enterprise Server Sweeps Microsoft and Others in Products, Support and Partnership!



In VARBusiness Magazine's Annual Report Card awards, partners ranked Novell Open Enterprise Server the highest in the Server Operating System category. Open Enterprise Server outpaced the competition by sweeping all sub categories to take top honors. August 2005

Network Magazine named Open Enterprise Server the "Product Breakthrough" for Infrastructure Software. "...The successor to NetWare, OES smooths the path by implementing all the familiar NetWare services under Linux."

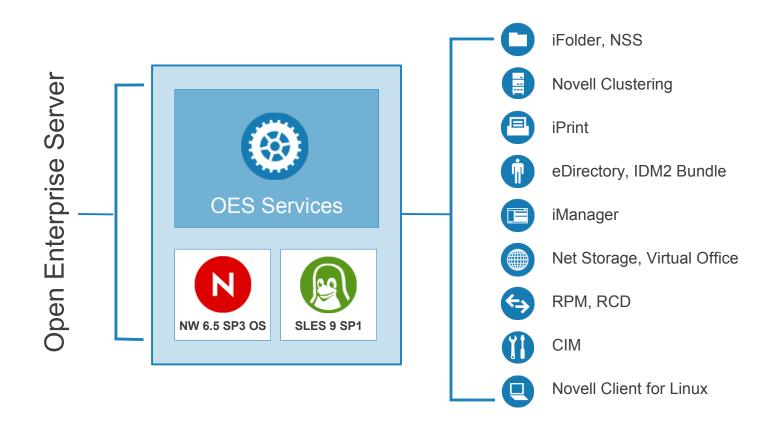
-Network Magazine, May 2005



"Novell's Open Enterprise Server...
Caught Excellent judge's eyes for the migration options it offers for enterprises."
-eWeek Product Excellence
Finalist, April 2005



Open Enterprise Server Services Available on Linux and NetWare



Open Enterprise Server Futures



OES futures overview

- SLES 10 values
- x86-64 SLES Support
- NetWare viX
- NetWare Services on Linux NSS, iManager, DHCP
- Windows Desktop Support
- Windows Co-existence Kerberos
- Novell's Workgroup Suite



SLES 10 Hardware Support

· CPU

- Available on x86, x86-64
- Support and optimizations for the latest CPU technology, including Virtualization (Vanderpool, Pacifica) and Multi-core.

Updated drivers for:

- Storage (RAID, SAS, SATA, Multipathing, Fibrechannel)
- Networking (including support for I/OAT and Wireless)
- Platform management (IPMI) and Power management
- Graphics, Audio, Bluetooth and USB devices

Hotplug

- Hotplug improvements through Hardware Abstraction Layer
- Persistent device naming

Scalability

Support for 10+ TB Memory and 12000 SCSI LUNs



SLES 10 Storage Foundation

- Integration of OCFS2, EVMS and Heartbeat
 - Complete solution with Cluster filesystem, cluster-aware volume management and HA failover with Heartbeat2
- · OCFS2
 - Optimized for fast access to large files
 - Joint Development Effort with Oracle
- Storage Features
 - Improve and harden multipathing support
 - > I/O Load balancing
 - > HA failover
 - NFS 4.x Client and Server
 - > Performance improvements
 - > Improved security



Security

Proactive

- Code audits of potentially dangerous programs
- Compiler improvements (buffer overflow checking with fortify)
- Stack less predictable with randomize

Server Jail

- Secure encapsulation in VM via Xen virtualization

AppArmor intrusion prevention

- Creates "firewall" around applications
- Protects against unknown application vulnerabilities
- Comprehensive wizard-based tool set, integrated in YaST
- No security expertise required
- Low performance impact (typical: < 0.2 %, worst case: 2%)

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Virtualization

Xen 3.x

- Hypervisor fully integrated and supported
- Support for SMP, PAE and 64-bit CPUs

Management

- Based on CIM standard, CIM providers for VM management
- YaST modules for easy management (setup, install, update, start, stop)

Use cases

- Server consolidation
- Workload isolation (e.g. dedicated VMs, QoS policies)
- Scheduled HW Maintenance w/o SW downtime
- Compatibility environments
- Concrete: SLES9 solution stack in VM running on SLES10

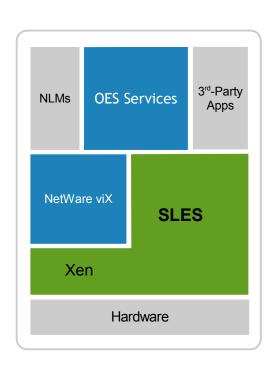
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NetWare 6.5 viX

- Out-of-the-box configuration option for running NetWare
- NetWare kernel optimized for performance on Xen hypervisor
- NetWare viX will help customers consolidate onto OES-Linux
- Extended hardware support for NetWare applications
- No retraining required

NetWare viX Capabilities:

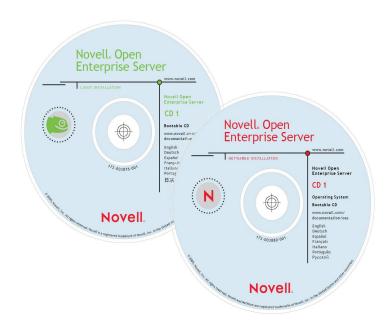
- Backward compatible NLM support
- Preserve NetWare management tools
 - NetWare's Server Console
 - iManager Console
 - 95% of NoRM's functionality
 - Abend recovery
 - Internal NetWare debugger
- Tools for NetWare to NetWare viX migrations
- NLM's on new hardware!





OES Linux closes gap

- File
 - DFS Junctions
 - Archive and Versioning server
- iManager 2.7
 - Plugins for GW management
 - Plugins for NSS management
 - Tree view
- eDir enabled DHCP
 - Migration Tools
 - Manage open source DHCP server from eDirectory





iPrint for the Workgroup

Cost control and allocation for enterprise print needs

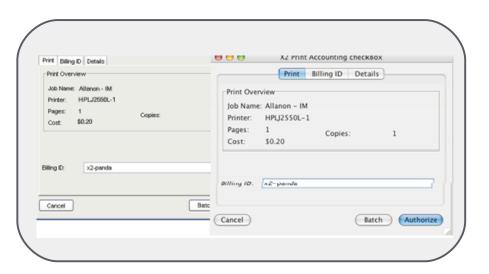
Print Accounting

- Denial of Services
- Billing Codes
- · Charge Back
- Most Requested



Remote Printer Management

- Printers follow users from workstation to workstation
- Assign printers remotely to users, groups and containers
- · Remotely set default printer
- Users automatically inherit printers when they are assigned to a group or container



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Hardware

64-bit Support for Workgroup services

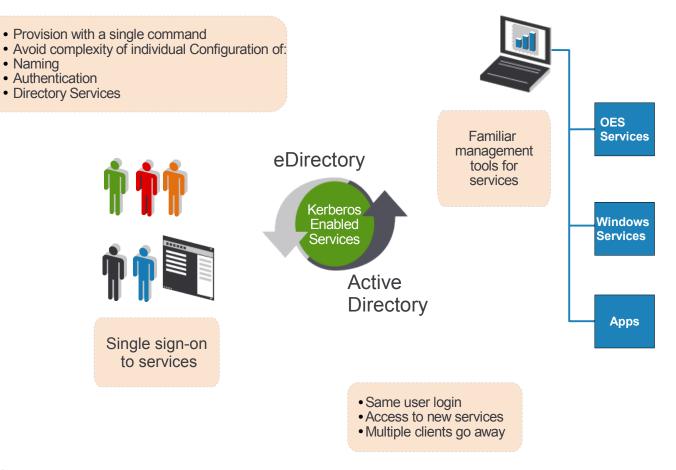
- OES Workgroup Services:
 - SLES 10 x86-32 on AMD64/EM64T
 - > Printing on 32-bit
 - > iFolder on 32-bit
 - > eDir on 32-bit with 64-bit interfaces
 - SLES 10 x86-64 on AMD64/EM64T
 - > NSS compiled for 64-bit
 - > Clustering compiled for 64-bit
 - > SMS compiled for 64 bit
 - Cypress OES SLES entitlement
 - Cypress customers entitled to SLES 10 x86-64 same as OES 1.0.



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Microsoft Interoperability

Out of the box support for Active Directory and Windows





Microsoft Interoperability

Supporting Windows for the Workgroup customers

Windows Vista

- · 32 and 64 bit clients
- · re-architecture of print spooler
- · re-architecture of file access

The Novell_® client will add:

Security



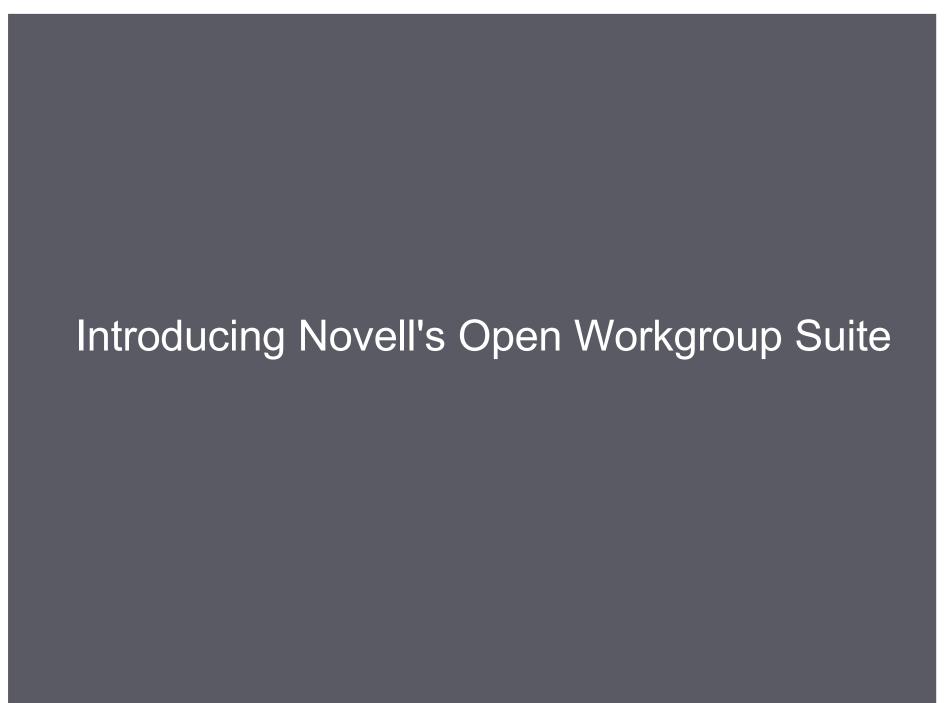
· Control



Manageability







Novell Open Workgroup Suite

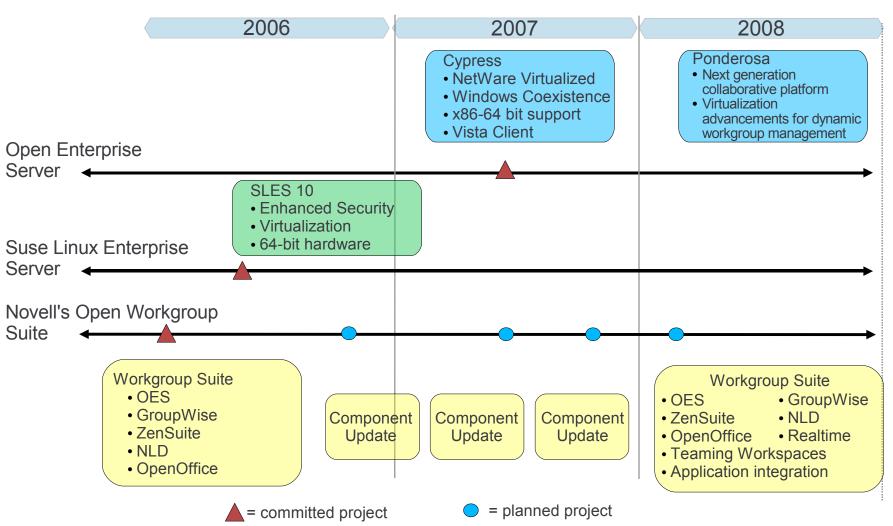
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Reclaim your IT-infrastructure with open and secure Workgroup software from Novell

- The Novell_® Open Workgroup Suite provides core infrastructure software based on mixed source. It combines technical innovation from the open source world with Novell's experience and global reach.
 - Open Enterprise Server
 - GroupWise®
 - ZENworks_® Suite
 - New!! Novell Linux Desktop
 - NEW OpenOffice on Windows
- Open source server for applications
- Industry leading enterprise networking services
- Cross platform systems management
- Secure and reliable collaboration suite
- Finally an Office alternative for Windows



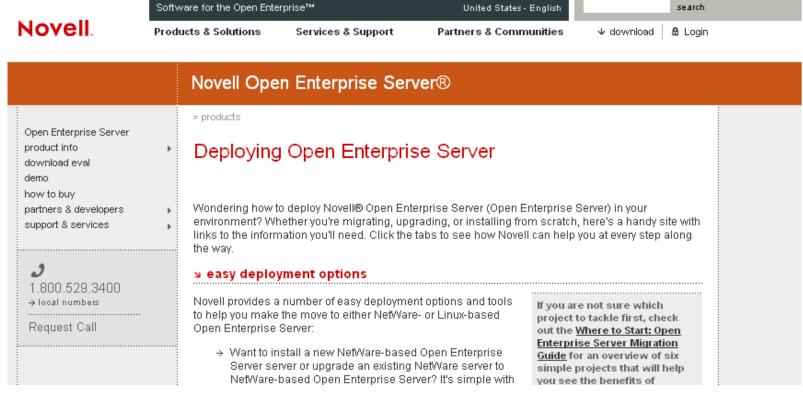
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Open Enterprise Server Programs



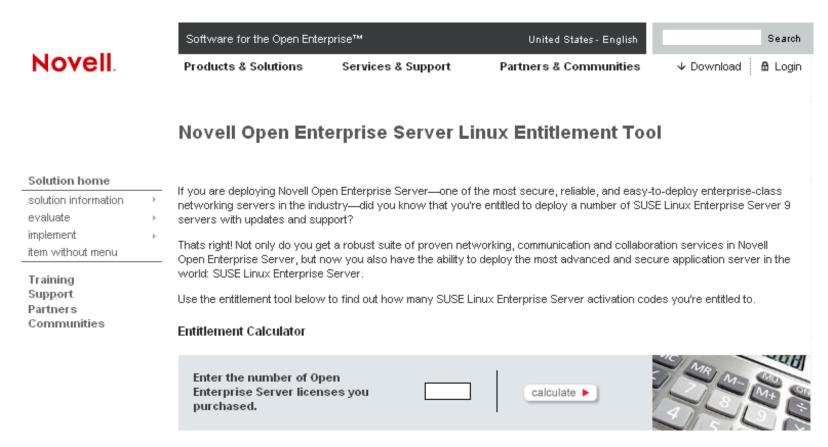
OES Deployment Page



- Install a new OES NetWare-based server
- Install a new OES Linux-based server
- Migrate data from 5.x or 6.x Netware to OES NetWare
- Consolidate data from Windows or NetWare to OES NetWare or OES Linux http://www.novell.com/products/openenterpriseserver/deployment.html



SLES Entitlement



As an owner of OES licenses you are entitled to SLES licenses. This page will quickly help you calculate the SLES servers you are entitled to deploy. http://www.novell.com/licensing/calc_tool.html



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