



Beginning in January 2006, Global Partner and Channel Marketing commissioned WebWise Solutions to conduct a survey on Novell Cool Solutions to discover which Windows-only apps were critical to Novell customers, and were preventing companies from migrating away from Windows to Linux. This report suite shows the data collected thus far.

Note: The responses are not exclusively from Novell customers. Due to heavy coverage in the Linux press, this survey has come to the attention of a global audience and the Linux community.

Click here to see or take the survey.

<http://www.novell.com/coolsolutions/tip/16646.html>

'Top 20' Overview (Top 20 of each area of interest)

14055 entries tallied.

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Top 20 Applications Requested		
Rank	Application	Requests
1.	PHOTOSHOP	1757
2.	AUTOCAD	1245
3.	DREAMWEAVER	778
4.	ITUNES	651
5.	FLASH	528
6.	STUDIO	520
7.	QUICKEN	444
8.	VISIO	415
9.	QUICKBOOKS	338
10.	LOTUS NOTES	311
11.	WORLD OF WARCRAFT	279
12.	PREMIERE	250
13.	ACROBAT	238

14.	TURBOTAX	202
15.	ILLUSTRATOR	200
16.	DRAW	196
17.	VISUAL STUDIO	183
18.	CUBASE	176
19.	MS OFFICE	173
20.	WORD PERFECT	160

Top 20 Manufacturers Requested		
Rank	Manufacturer	Requests
1.	ADOBE	2738
2.	MACROMEDIA	1736
3.	AUTODESK	1335
4.	MICROSOFT	1149
5.	INTUIT	1000
6.	--	894
7.	APPLE	722
8.	COREL	425
9.	IBM	359
10.	BLIZZARD	235
11.	STEINBERG	166
12.	ABBYY	90
13.	GOOGLE	85
14.	SAGE	82
15.	GHISLER	79
16.	NOVELL	62
17.	BORLAND	41
18.	SPSS INC	41
19.	SONY	40
20.	VALVE	38

Top 20 Industries Making Requests		
Rank	Industry	Requests
1.	TECHNOLOGY	2410

2.	EDUCATION	1627
3.	HOME	1562
4.	ENGINEERING	1299
5.	CONSULTING	736
6.	STUDENT	642
7.	GRAPHIC DESIGN	468
8.	GOVERNMENT	430
9.	MANUFACTURING	404
10.	ARCHITECTURE	363
11.	NONPROFIT	363
12.	FINANCIAL	289
13.	MARKETING	272
14.	MEDICAL/HEALTH CARE	259
15.	MEDIA	222
16.	PRIVATE	198
17.	RETAIL	167
18.	RESEARCH	150
19.	MUSIC	121
20.	PUBLISHING	106

Top 20 Countries Making Requests		
Rank	Country	Requests
1.	United States	3481
2.	Germany	2216
3.	Italy	807
4.	Spain	534
5.	Canada	514
6.	Poland	510
7.	United Kingdom	499
8.	Brazil	461
9.	Russian Federation	414
10.	Czech Republic	296
11.	Hungary	296
12.	Australia	278
13.	Sweden	270

14.	Austria	243
15.	Netherlands	215
16.	Bulgaria	202
17.	Switzerland	194
18.	Norway	190
19.	chile	141
20.	Ukraine	139

Breakdown by # of Colleagues		
Rank	# Colleagues	Requests
1.	1-50	10906
2.	50-100	1431
3.	100-500	632
4.	500-1000	263
5.	1000-5000	211
6.	10000	166
7.	5000-10000	91

Top 20 Novell Products Used		
Rank	Country	Requests
1.	SUSE Linux	7818
2.	NONE	3982
3.	MySQL Database Application	1882
4.	Mono	1625
5.	SUSE Linux Enterprise Server	1080
6.	Novell Linux Desktop	867
7.	Novell eDirectory	615
8.	Novell GroupWise	589
9.	Novell ZENworksDesktop Management	388
10.	Novell Open Enterprise Server	387
11.	Novell AppArmor	334
12.	Novell BorderManager	236
13.	Novell ZENworks Suite	227
14.	Hula	211

15.	Novell Cluster Services	198
16.	Novell Identity Manager	168
17.	Novell ZENworks Linux Management	137
18.	Novell ZENworks Server Management	119
19.	Novell Small Business Suite	118
20.	Novell Linux Small Business Suite	114

How Many of Which Processors		
Rank	Processor	Requests
1.	INTEL X86	2921
2.	AMD X86	1520
3.	AMD64	1081
4.	INTEL EM64T	108
5.	AMD OPTERON	98
6.	POWER	42
7.	INTEL ITANIUM	13

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