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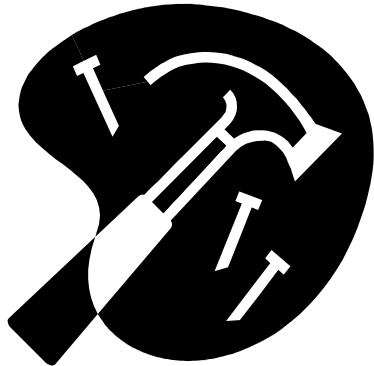
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Agenda

1. Overview/Update of our ISV-oriented porting and enablement programs
2. Linux on System z applications
3. Other Information Sources



Overview of Our ISV-oriented Porting and Enablement Programs

*** Important:**

ISV products listed in this presentation are shown as a guide, not an authoritative source, as all information is subject to change at any time by the software provider.

Specific availability of listed products and other information must be obtained directly from the software provider. Any questions on these products or specific delivery dates should be addressed to the supplier of those products.

PartnerWorld

- PartnerWorld membership is required for many of our programs
- PartnerWorld membership allows Independent Software Vendors (ISVs) to gain access to solutions, offerings, and skills to help them win in the marketplace
- Multi-tiered program (*Member, Advanced, Premier* membership levels)
- All the information they need on how to join if not already a member:

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So ISVs have products – where can they run on System z so we can assist them?

But first, a quick “level set” of Linux for System z, a native implementation, which runs on the bare hardware, in an LPAR and/or as a z/VM guest.

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Linux on IBM System z



2010, 10 Years Linux on IBM System z

- Linux on System z combines the open standards of the Linux operating system with the unmatched power of IBM System z servers.
- For the last decade, clients around the world have benefited from the strengths of Linux on System z:
 - Single server simplicity—easy to scale, easy to manage, easy to do more with less
 - High flexibility—outstanding virtualization for advanced resource utilization and dynamic resource allocation
 - Efficient workload optimization—superior levels of systems management
 - Unmatched qualities of service—rock-solid security and reliability
 - Optimized infrastructure that can help reduce costs

Which System z HW Runs On Which Distribution?

http://ibm.com/systems/z/os/linux/support_testedplatforms.html

Distribution	zEnterprise 196	System z10	System z9	zSeries
RHEL 6	✓	✓	✓	X
RHEL 5	✓	✓	✓	✓
RHEL 4 (*)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓
SLES 11	✓	✓	✓	X
SLES 10	✓	✓	✓	✓
SLES 9 (*)	✓ (2)	✓	✓	✓



Indicates that the distribution (version) has been tested by IBM on the hardware platform, will run on the system, and is an IBM supported environment. Updates or service packs applied to the distribution are also supported.

(1) RHEL 4.8 only. Some functions have changed or are not available with the z196, e.g. the Dual-port OSA cards support to name one of several. Please check with your service provider regarding the end of service.

(2) SLES 9 SP4 + latest maintenance updates only. Some functions have changed or are not available with the z196, e.g. the Dual-port OSA cards support to name one of several. Please check with your service provider regarding the end of service.

X Indicates that the distribution is not supported by IBM.

(*) Also available as 31-bit distribution.

Note our two Linux Distribution Partners,

- Novell SUSE (SLES)
- Red Hat (RHEL)

IBM's Linux on System z Website – new look and feel in 2010



On May 17, 2010 System z launched a new web look and feel to Linux on the mainframe

You can visit our Linux homepage to find the latest information on what's new for Linux on System z, what Solutions System z offers with Linux. This new homepage offers greater flexibility on where to get more information on Linux and System z focused on why IBM, tools/support/services, and documentation and education. Additional links to Red and White Papers are available, as is datasheet and TCO information:

<http://ibm.com/systems/z/os/linux/>

Linux Distribution Partners (LDP) Programs

- as well as joint “z” in-person and teleconferencing events

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The ISV ecosystem expands

Corporate IT teams are implementing open source strategies across their environments and are saving money with those more efficient choices. Red Hat Enterprise Linux and the JBoss family of products are the cornerstones of these implementations.

Because of this, the ISV ecosystem supporting Red Hat and JBoss technologies is enjoying rapid growth. Now is a great time to talk with our partners - or become one.

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► ISV resources online.

<http://www.redhat.com/partners/redhatpartners/>

Linux Distribution Partners (LDP) 3rd Party Product Catalogs

SUSE Linux Enterprise Software Catalog:
<http://www.novell.com/partner/isv/isvcatalog>

Red Hat Partner Catalog:
http://www.redhat.com/apps/isv_catalog/

System z Resources for Business Partners

- Benefits, resources, and support for IBM Business Partners supporting System z solutions
- Helps IBM Business Partners navigate our offerings in one place!
 - ▶ Marketing
 - ▶ Selling
 - Including new Roadmap on Solaris to Linux for System z
 - http://ibm.com/partnerworld/pwhome.nsf/weblook/pat_sas_migratetoibm_sun.html
 - ▶ Technical
 - ▶ Training
 - ▶ Collaboration

<http://ibm.com/partnerworld/systemz>

IBM PartnerWorld > Products > Systems, servers and storage >

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IBM Systems Application Advantage™ for Linux® -- Chiphopper™

For Independent Software Vendors (ISVs)*
who need to expand market reach with minimal incremental cost,
IBM provides no charge assistance with standards conformance, porting/rehosting and ongoing support for porting-related customer problems
and lets them advertise that IBM is backing their application with the Ready for IBM Systems with Linux mark.
Unlike other server and middleware vendors,
IBM's offering provides first-of-its-kind (and still unique) HW/SW vendor assurance by extending the ISV's own application porting and support resources with IBM assets.

Some aspects available for customers

IBM Chiphopper™ Concept

Ready for
IBM Systems
with Linux.

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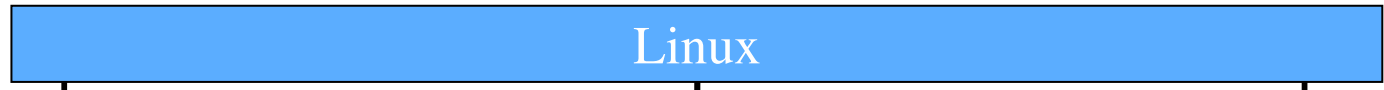


System x
(or other x86-based processor)

✓ **Minimize Cost**

Multi-platform portability through one or combination of

- Linux Standard Base (LSB) for C/C++
- Java and selected scripting languages
- Selected IBM middleware



System x
(or other x86-based processor)



Power Systems



System z

Get Here Plus

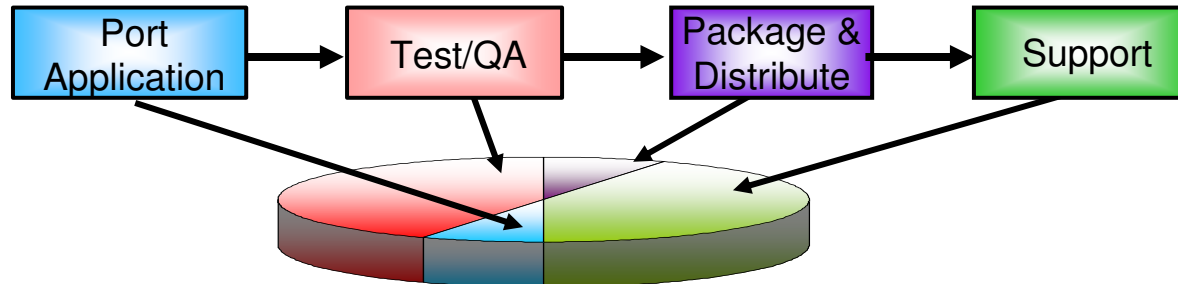
Assurance Offering – Support for ISVs with portability related customer problems

✓ **Maximize Delivery**

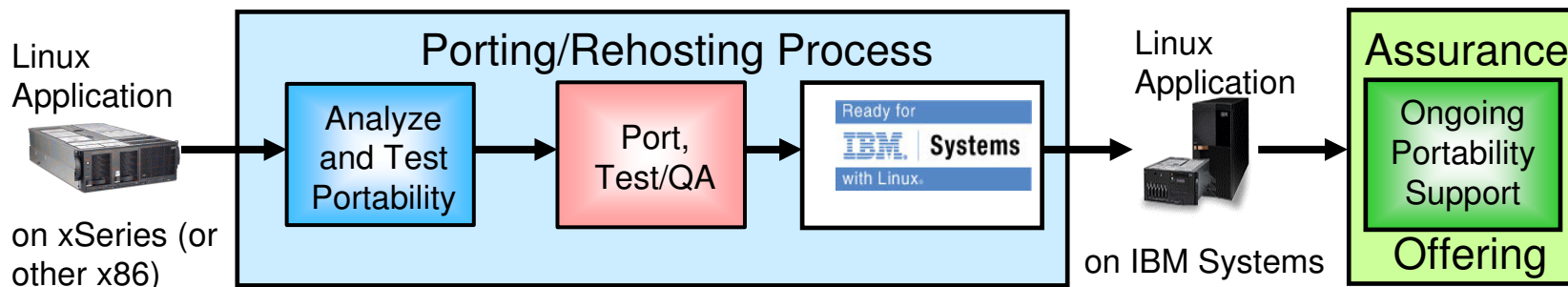
<http://ibm.com/isv/go/chiphopper>

Chiphopper Offering Addresses ISV Challenges on New Platforms

ISV Application Port/Re-host Process



An innovative worldwide offering to assist ISVs in porting/rehosting, testing, and supporting their existing Linux applications on system x (or other x86 based processors) to other IBM Systems and middleware platforms



Analyze with tools

Port/rehost

Get the Mark

Get Port Support

This no-charge offering supports applications coded in Java, C/C++ and combinations along with some scripting languages (Perl, PHP etc.) and specific SWG middleware

IBM Chiphopper Offering – Customer Usage

<http://ibm.com/developerworks/linux/chiphopper/index.html>

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Chiphopper: Porting tools for Linux on System p, System i, and System z

IBM Systems Application Advantage for Linux simplifies porting of C/C++ apps from x86 to Power Architecture and mainframe systems

- Toolset overview
- Working with the Chiphopper Linux Cross-platform Tool (LCT)

The IBM Systems Application Advantage for Linux, also known as the Chiphopper offering, helps developers whose applications run on x86 Linux systems by providing tools to scrub their C/C++ code for portability prior to porting to System p, System i, or System z. Source hardware platforms for 32- and 64-bit applications are x86, EM64T, and AMD systems running Linux Standard Base (LSB) 3.x certified Linux distributions.

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Toolset overview

The first set of tools used in the Chiphopper offering comes from the Linux Standard Base (LSB), a project of the [Linux Foundation](#). When using standard interfaces, the developer can have confidence that these interfaces will be stable over time. Developers can focus on adding new functionality to enhance the application instead of having to rewrite over and over for changing interfaces. Developers can use the [LSB Application Testkit Manager](#), located on the Linux Foundation Web site, to check whether the interfaces used by an application are part of an LSB standard.

When using this tool, you will have the opportunity to share your system dependencies (APIs you call) with the LSB. The list of system functions you use generally will not be sensitive information for applications, and we encourage you to use the option on the Application Testkit Manager site to upload your journal information if appropriate. A better understanding of what real users need in their applications greatly benefits the LSB and helps ensure that it addresses the most important interfaces. Note that there are tools for C and C++ applications as well as new test scripts for Perl and Python.

Porting help expanded

The Chiphopper offering has been available to independent software vendors (ISVs) since 2005. It lets ISVs maximize opportunity by helping them offer their applications across the wide variety of IBM hardware platforms running Linux operating systems.

With increasing interest from customers in consolidating their smaller individual systems onto Linux partitions, IBM is now offering the Chiphopper tools to all developers.

The second tool set used in the Chiphopper offering, the Linux Cross-platform Tool (LCT), comes from the Chiphopper team and was developed by IBM. To request access to this tool, please [e-mail the Chiphopper team](#) with your request. While we are completing our download site, we will send you the license information by e-mail and, after you have agreed to the it, we will send the code package. Note that both the binaries and the source code need to be available for LCT to do its work, and you may need to do a [special build](#) in order to make symbols in your code available for analysis.

If you have questions about these tools or their output, please post to the [Chiphopper discussion forum](#).

Working with the Chiphopper Linux Cross-platform Tool (LCT)

The Chiphopper LCT tool runs on x86 Linux Standard Base (LSB) certified Linux systems on x86 platforms. It works with your application executable and your application source code. Items identified by the tool may require code changes for cross-platform portability or they may have potential issues that the tool is not able to completely analyze but points out for follow up.

Follow the steps below to prepare your x86, EM64T, or AMD system and your application for the Chiphopper LCT:

1. Check to see whether your development Linux x86 system is [certified for LSB 3.0 or higher](#). The Chiphopper LCT runs most reliably on standard systems. Install your source code as if you were ready to build your application on this system.
2. If you haven't already done so, please [e-mail the Chiphopper team](#) with your request. Install per the instructions in the portability tool guide that is included in the package.
3. Build your application with debug flags turned on as documented in the LCT guide to use this information in its screening. Be sure both your source code and executables are available.
4. Run LCT against your application. The overall process is described in the portability tool guide.
5. Process the output of the tool. Your run will be successful if no errors are reported in the report files or if you can confirm that for each reported error, the code is actually portable across hardware architectures. The portability tool guide includes an appendix listing the "fatal" and "warning" error codes and explanations.
6. If you need help reading the output or have additional questions, you can post to the [Chiphopper tool discussion forum](#).
7. Ensure that you have also processed any third-party packages that your application requires. If the third-party package versions are participants in the Chiphopper offering, they have already been checked for portability. You can find Chiphopper validated products in the [IBM Global Solutions Directory](#). Use the search facility for **Validations** and select **Ready For IBM Systems with Linux**.

Related links

- ISV resources
- alphaWorks (emerging technologies)
- IBM Academic Initiative
- IBM Redbooks
- IBM Press books
- IBM communities


Local sites

- developerWorks 中国
- developerWorks Japan
- developerWorks 한국
- developerWorks Poccия

In-house, home written, applications that execute on x86 architecture

- Tools acquisition
- Enablement at your own facility
- Running of the tools
- Consultation via online Chiphopper tool consultation forum

IBM Innovation Centers for Business Partners

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- Technical enablement assistance (porting, testing, proof of concept, validation, performance/load testing) to Business Partners
 - With approximately 35 World-Wide locations (not all centers have all facilities), IBM Innovation Centers provide Business Partners with access to IBM skills, education, and equipment to migrate, test, and optimize applications and get to market faster, while helping to reduce development costs.
 - <http://ibm.com/partnerworld/innovationcenters>
 - IBM Innovation Center for Business Partners at Dallas:
 - Linux Test Drive
 - short-term no-charge access to Linux on System z
 - Linux Remote Development Program
 - For porting or enabling applications to System z (for Linux for System z (along with z/OS, z/VSE, and z/VM if needed)
 - Low cost, with options such as consulting services, longer access period than offered under the no-charge test drive, customized configurations, additional storage, etc.

Sampling of Other ISV Porting and Enablement Programs

- **Purchase/Lease development systems**
 - System z offers attractive hardware offerings for Solution Developers and Systems
 - Integrators who support application development, proofs of concepts, testing, and
 - demonstrations on System z via the IBM Hardware Mall
 - <http://ibm.com/isv/welcome/hwmall.html>
 - http://ibm.com/partnerworld/pwhome.nsf/weblook/pat_sas_zpdt.html
- **Consultation**
 - In depth architectural consultation
 - Assessment of technical scope of effort and resources required
- **Community Development System for Linux (CDSL)**
 - General Linux on a System z environment with quick access for the purpose of providing the Open Source community with a platform to develop, port and/or test drive Linux for System z applications
 - <http://ibm.com/systems/z/os/linux/support/lcds/>
- **Benchmark Facilities**
 - Stress, tune and test ISV's applications, measure performance, and determine workload capacity



IBM Advocate Program

Build individual, long-term relationships between System z and ISVs to ensure solution providers develop and maintain a competitive and robust System z application portfolio

- Encourage ISV participation in Early Test Programs
- Improve the Lab's understanding of the requirements of solution providers, including interfaces to currently undocumented interfaces
- Facilitate communication between vendor and appropriate development teams on usage of IBM interfaces/undisclosed interfaces.
- Facilitate communication between development teams and vendor when changes are proposed that will affect the vendor
- Respond to ISV technical questions - but not to replace IBM service process
- Team with other advocates for the vendor from other development groups
- Allows ISVs to deliver significant new or modernized System z vendor products to our joint customers

Technical Disclosure Meetings

Primary communication vehicle for System z ISVs to obtain in-depth technical pre-GA knowledge. Meeting covers strategy, trends and directions for System z, and key technologies on hardware and software futures to help enable:

- Customer acceptance of ISV products in the marketplace
- Exploitation of latest functions and features
- Early access to hardware and software testing for ISVs on IBM software/hardware
- Provides two-way communication with ISVs and Brand developers

**Technical Disclosure Meeting held twice yearly
Allows ISVs to interact directly and in person with System z developers**

So....

- System z is working with many partners
- Our innovative programs are attracting new ISVs
- Extensive support for our current portfolio of ISVs to support our customers
- Customer demand is key!
 - ▶ If working with an IBM team, have them engage us via the 'Client Project Management' process
 - ▶ If no IBM team, contact me!

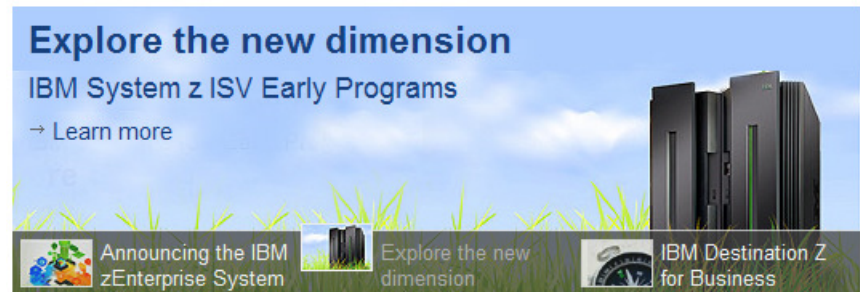
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Linux on System z Applications and How You Can Get More Information

Applications available on System z – 1H 2010

- Over 6,000 applications, from over 1,650 ISVs enabled on the System z platform (all operating systems)
- Linux on System z
 - Greater than 3,000 applications
 - Over 550 newly added in 2009



IBM Software for Linux

First things first!

■ The ***Software product compatibility reports*** website provides information regarding IBM Middleware availability on Linux. You can find information on our key offerings such as Information Management, Lotus, Rational, Tivoli, WebSphere, and so on

- ▶ Product name and version
- ▶ Specific product whole or partial support indication
- ▶ Supported hardware platforms
- ▶ Supported Linux distributions


<http://publib.boulder.ibm.com/infocenter/prodguid/v1r0/clarity/>

Software product compatibility reports

Reports about compatible software combinations

The support shown in the reports generated by this tool may require a particular maintenance for the products.

Operating system reports



Operating systems for a specific product

Usage: Find out all the operating systems on which a product you have in mind runs.


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Products that use a specific operating system

Usage: Find out all the products that are supported by an operating system you have in mind.

[View sample report](#)



Matrix between specific product(s) and desired operating systems

Usage: Find out if a set of software products runs on operating systems you have in mind.

[View sample report](#)

Global Solutions Directory

- Search the *Global Solutions Directory* for offerings from IBM Business Partners
- 1000s of providers
- Use *Platform Configurations* search for specific Mainframe + Linux ISV listings
 - ▶ It returns all PartnerWorld levels
 - ▶ From all industries
 - ▶ Worldwide
- “*But wait, there’s more!*”

<http://ibm.com/partnerworld/gsd>

<http://ibm.com/systems/z/solutions/isv/linuxproduct.html>

(Some recent applications in last 6 months or so in the Global Solutions Directory, updated quarterly)

The screenshot shows the IBM Global Solutions Directory website. At the top right, there is a navigation bar with "Country/region [select]" and "Terms of use". Below this is a search bar with a "Search" button. A main navigation menu includes "Home", "Products", "Services & solutions", "Support & downloads", and "My account". On the left side, a vertical menu lists various categories: "Global Solutions Directory", "Search solutions", "Manage solutions", "Contact us", "Site help", "Built on IBM Express Advantage Offerings", "Business Partner Application Showcase", "IBM Powering on Demand Applications", "IBM System Storage Proven", "Ready for IBM technical validations", "ServerProven", and "Service-Oriented Architecture". The main content area features the heading "Global Solutions Directory" and a sub-heading "IBM Business Partners: Market your solutions to a worldwide audience". It provides an overview of the directory's purpose and includes a "Find a solution" section with a search button and a "Learn more" section with a link to a tutorial for business partners.

IBM Business Partner Application Showcase

- For companies with proven success specific to a specific industry
- Navigate to the *IBM Business Partner Application Showcase* from the *Global Solutions Directory*
 - ▶ e.g.: *Aerospace, Automotive, Electronics, Banking, Chemical and Petroleum, Energy and Utilities, Financial markets, Government, Healthcare, Insurance, Retail, Telecommunications*
 - ▶ Detailed selection by platforms, operating systems, etc. also available

Click on left nav bar from the Global Solutions Directory



- A vibrant community to help you make the most of your mainframe
- It is designed to be a comprehensive repository of information and support
- IBM Destination z brings together details of products and offerings available from IBM and IBM Business Partners as well as resources from members of the Academic Community



<http://ibm.com/systems/destinationz>

Selected 2010 ISV New or Upgraded Apps

ABK Systeme GmbH	Hitachi ID Systems, Inc.	Sophia Search
Actimize, Inc.	Hiwayman Ltd	Stratuscape
AddressDoctor GmbH	IBS Software Services	Systemware, Inc.
Adobe	Informatics International Limited	Tata Consultancy Services
Advanced DataTools Corporation	Information Builders	TIBCO Software Inc.
Albalia Interactiva, S.L.	INNOVATION Data Processing	TOLIS Group, Inc.
Alcatel- Lucent	i-Seven A/S	Transition Associates Limited
ALPHINAT	Kapow Technologies	Trend Micro
AquiTec Ltd	MagniComp	Trilog Group, Inc.
Aruba Networks	McLaren Software Ltd	Trusted Computer Solutions
Aviarc Global Limited	Micro Focus (US), Inc.	VeriFone, Inc.
CA, Inc.	nag informatik ag	Vertex, Inc.
CALCULO S.A.	Nastel Technologies, Inc	VirtualAgility Inc.
Callidus Software, Inc.	Nova Marketing Group Inc.	Webgate Consulting AG
Cloakware Corporation	Novell	
Compass Plus Ltd	nSolutions, Inc.	
Corent Technology Inc.	Optical Image Technology	
DMBGroup, Inc	Oracle	
Docolution GmbH	Pegasystems Inc.	
E.S.I. Software	PKWARE, Inc.	
EASY SOFTWARE AG	Pitney Bowes Software, Inc.	
Edifics	Polaris Software Lab Ltd	
F5 Networks Inc.	PPI AG	
finnova AG Bankware	PROS Revenue Management,	
FusionWare Integration Corp.	LP	
GT Software, Inc.	R Systems	
	Softwarehaus Hartter	

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Oracle E-Business Suite – The Newest Solution Delivered on Linux on System z Servers

Linux on System Servers z with Dedicated Porting Teams

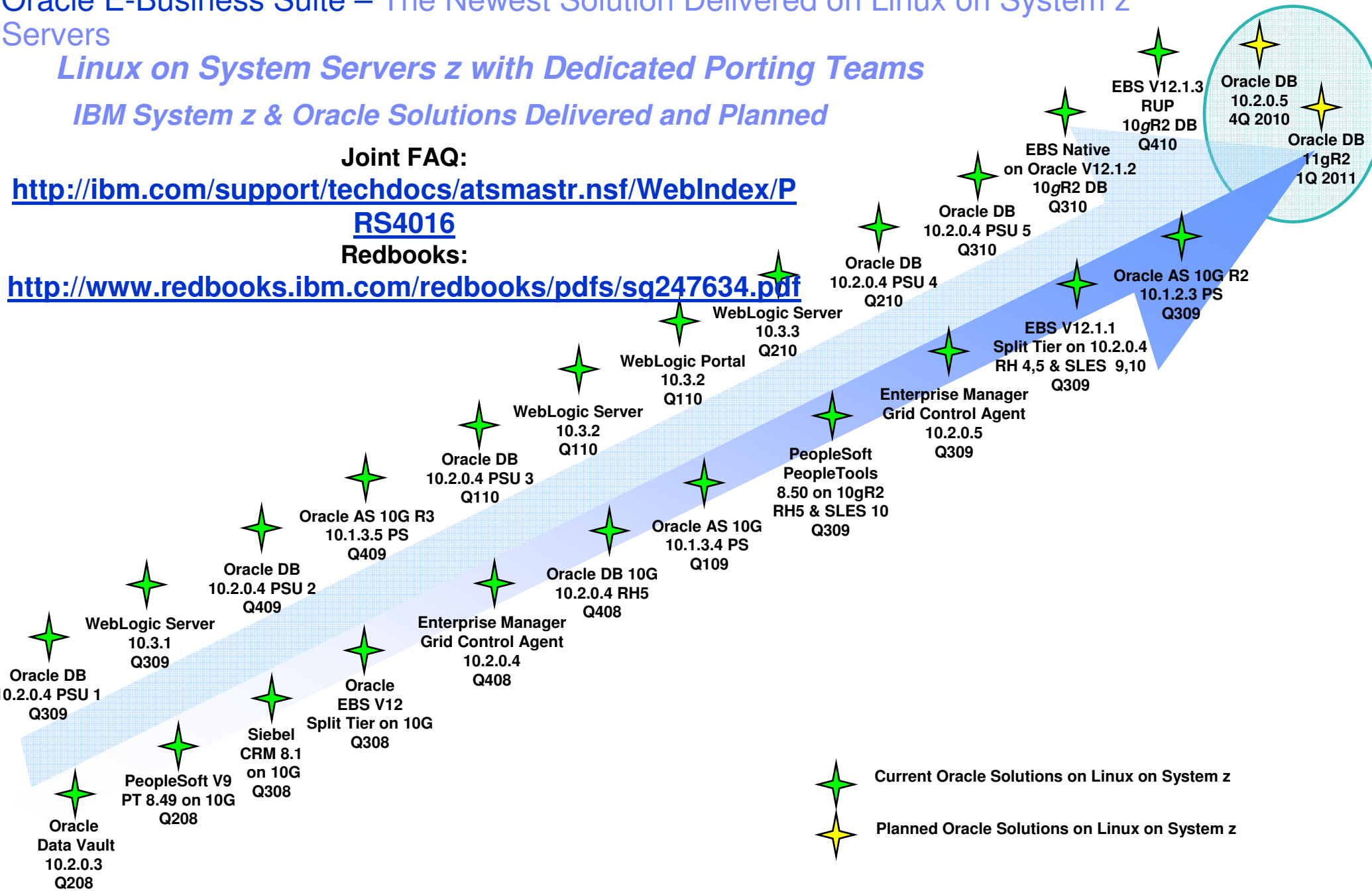
IBM System z & Oracle Solutions Delivered and Planned

Joint FAQ:

<http://ibm.com/support/techdocs/atmastr.nsf/WebIndex/RS4016>

Redbooks:

<http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/redbooks/pdfs/sg247634.pdf>



Oracle on System z Resources

- <http://ibm.com/redbooks>
 - SG24-6482-00 Experiences with Oracle Database 10g on Linux for zSeries
 - SG24-7191-00 Experiences with Oracle 10gR2 Solutions on Linux for System z
 - SG24-7573-00 Using Oracle Solutions on Linux on System z
 - SG24-7634-00 Experiences with Oracle Solutions on Linux for IBM System z

Other Information Sources



The ITSO webpage: <http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/>

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Redbooks / Redpieces / Redpapers...

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- A Shared WebSphere Application Server Installation for Linux on System z REDP-3998
- Achieving High Availability on Linux for System z with Linux-HA Release 2 REDP-7711
- Accounting & monitoring for z/VM Linux guest machines REDP-3818
- Best Practices for Lotus Domino on System z9 SG24-7209
- Cloning FCP attached SCSI disks on SLES 9 Linux for zSeries REDP-3871
- Configuring Logical Volume Management (LVM) on Linux for zSeries <http://www.redbooks.ibm.com/abstracts/tips0128.html?Open>
- Effective zSeries Performance Monitoring Using RMF SG24-6645
- Enterprise Multiplatform Auditing SG24-7472
- Experience with Oracle Database 10g on Linux for zSeries SG24-6482
- Experiences with Oracle 10gR2 on Linux for IBM System z SG24-7191
- Experiences with Oracle Solutions on Linux for IBM System z SG24-7634

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- Experiences with Oracle9i for Linux on zSeries SG24-6552
- Fibre Channel Protocol for Linux for System z & z/VM SG24-7266
- High Availability, Scalability, and Disaster Recovery for DB2 on Linux, UNIX, & Windows SG24-7363
- Hipersockets Implementation Guide SG24-6816
- IBM Communication Controller for Linux on System z v1.2.1 Implementation Guide SG24-7223
- **IBM System z Connectivity handbook SG24-5444**
- **IBM System z Personal Development Tool Volume 3 Additional Topics ... SG24-7723**
- IBM Tivoli Security and System z REDP-4355
- IBM Virtualization Engine V2.1 for System z SG24-7276
- Installing Oracle 10gR2 on Red Hat 5 Linux on IBM System z REDP-4465
- Introducing N_Port Identifier Virtualization for IBM System z9 REDP-4125
- Introduction to the New Mainframe: z/VM Basics SG24-7316

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- Leveraging IBM Cognos 8 BI for Linux on System z SG24-7812
- Linux for IBM System z9 SG24-6694
- Linux on IBM System z: Performance Measurement and Tuning SG24-6926
- Linux on IBM eServer zSeries & S/390: Application Development SG24-6807
- Linux on IBM eServer zSeries and S/390: Performance Toolkit for VM SG24-6059
- Linux on zSeries: Fibre Channel Protocol Implementation Guide SG24-6344
- Lotus Domino 7 on Linux for IBM System z: Capacity Planning & Performance Updates REDP-4109
- Managing Linux Guests Using IBM Director & z/VM Center REDP-4312
- **Performance Test of Virtual Linux Desktop Cloud Services on System z REDP-4593**
- Problem Determination for Linux on System z SG24-7599
- Practical Migration to Linux on System z SG24-7727

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