



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.

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

'Top 20' Overview

15382 entries tallied.

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Top 20 Applications Requested		
Rank	Application	Requests
1.	PHOTOSHOP	1866
2.	AUTOCAD	1315
3.	DREAMWEAVER	835
4.	ITUNES	713
5.	FLASH	576
6.	STUDIO	553
7.	QUICKEN	511
8.	VISIO	477
9.	QUICKBOOKS	405
10.	LOTUS NOTES	343
11.	WORLD OF WARCRAFT	336
12.	PREMIERE	263
13.	ACROBAT	259
14.	TURBOTAX	232

15.	DRAW	225
16.	ILLUSTRATOR	219
17.	VISUAL STUDIO	210
18.	MS OFFICE	199
19.	CUBASE	196
20.	WORD PERFECT	176

Top 20 Manufacturers Requested		
Rank	Manufacturer	Requests
1.	ADOBE	2925
2.	MACROMEDIA	1878
3.	AUTODESK	1416
4.	MICROSOFT	1285
5.	INTUIT	1164
6.	--	1011
7.	APPLE	791
8.	COREL	475
9.	IBM	397
10.	BLIZZARD	278
11.	STEINBERG	186
12.	ABBYY	101
13.	GOOGLE	97
14.	SAGE	89
15.	GHISLER	80
16.	NOVELL	69
17.	SPSS INC	49
18.	BORLAND	45
19.	SONY	42
20.	VALVE	41

Top 20 Industries Making Requests		
Rank	Industry	Requests
1.	TECHNOLOGY	2613
2.	EDUCATION	1756

3.	HOME	1663
4.	ENGINEERING	1397
5.	CONSULTING	823
6.	STUDENT	748
7.	GRAPHIC DESIGN	546
8.	GOVERNMENT	467
9.	MANUFACTURING	443
10.	NONPROFIT	391
11.	ARCHITECTURE	380
12.	FINANCIAL	320
13.	MEDICAL/HEALTH CARE	289
14.	MARKETING	287
15.	MEDIA	253
16.	PRIVATE	227
17.	RETAIL	185
18.	RESEARCH	169
19.	MUSIC	150
20.	ENTERTAINMENT	135

Top 20 Countries Making Requests		
Rank	Country	Requests
1.	United States	4110
2.	Germany	2250
3.	Italy	826
4.	Canada	596
5.	Spain	559
6.	United Kingdom	559
7.	Poland	538
8.	Brazil	482
9.	Russian Federation	428
10.	Australia	323
11.	Hungary	306
12.	Czech Republic	304
13.	Sweden	278
14.	Austria	247

15.	Netherlands	246
16.	Bulgaria	204
17.	Switzerland	203
18.	Norway	202
19.	chile	147
20.	Ukraine	145

Breakdown by # of Colleagues		
Rank	# Colleagues	Requests
1.	1-50	11959
2.	50-100	1538
3.	100-500	686
4.	500-1000	290
5.	1000-5000	238
6.	10000	209
7.	5000-10000	100

Top 20 Novell Products Used		
Rank	Country	Requests
1.	SUSE Linux	8515
2.	NONE	4365
3.	MySQL Database Application	2180
4.	Mono	1769
5.	SUSE Linux Enterprise Server	1158
6.	Novell Linux Desktop	949
7.	Novell eDirectory	676
8.	Novell GroupWise	645
9.	Novell ZENworksDesktop Management	423
10.	Novell Open Enterprise Server	423
11.	Novell AppArmor	362
12.	Novell BorderManager	263
13.	Novell ZENworks Suite	247
14.	Hula	222
15.	Novell Cluster Services	211

16.	Novell Identity Manager	183
17.	Novell ZENworks Linux Management	151
18.	Novell Small Business Suite	128
19.	Novell ZENworks Server Management	127
20.	Novell Linux Small Business Suite	122

How Many of Which Processors		
Rank	Processor	Requests
1.	INTEL X86	3623
2.	AMD X86	1817
3.	AMD64	1343
4.	INTEL EM64T	135
5.	AMD OPTERON	116
6.	POWER	55
7.	INTEL ITANIUM	16

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