

oVirt's User Community

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70% deployed in test

using oVirt in production

environments

oVirt User Survey

40% of respondents

 Primarily professional usage

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How are you using oVirt?





Existing user base - statistics

- Median number of hypervisor nodes: 3
- 15% of respondents running more than 10 hypervisor nodes

How many hypervisor nodes do you run?

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Existing user base - statistics

- Median number of virtual machines: ~15
- 53% of respondents running more than 10 virtual machines



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oVirt Community Size





Message count per mailing list

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oVirt Community Size



- Users mailing list: 493 members
- Engine-devel mailing list: 255 members
- Arch mailing list: 180 members



% Emails sent to community lists in 2012

Selection of oVirt users



- French services company running public cloud offering on oVirt: http://h2o.alterway.fr
- Budget-conscious small digital marketing company
- Services company deploying mid-sized clusters for clients
- Sysadmin exploring move away from VMWare
- Network Engineer in financial services company using oVirt to test applications

Persona





- Frank, DevOps in mid sized company
- Trusted to make tech choices for evaluation
- Tech enthusiast, hobbyist programmer

Web site redesign



- Attractive website redesign
- Modified site hierarchy focus on user
- Creation of user-oriented videos and content



Open Participation



- Infrastructure team
 - Started in June
 - 7 members, 4 "apprentices"
 - Diverse team
 - Well defined process for participating
- Developers
 - Open infrastructure (Gerrit, Git)
 - Significant contributions from IBM, NetApp, HP

What do our users want? Top 12

- 1. Allow disk resize
- 2. Integrate Nagios/Zabbix monitoring
- 3. Highly Available engine
- 4. Open vSwitch integration
- 5. Allow cloning VMs without template
- 6. Enable hypervisor upgrade/updates through engine

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- 7. Allow engine on an oVirt hosted VM
- 8. Enable guest configuration (root password, SSH keys, network) via guest agent in engine
- 9. Integrate v2v into engine
- 10.Bond/extend ovirtmgmt with a second network for HA/increased bandwidth
- 11.Integrate scheduling of snapshots and VM export for backups in engine
- 12. Spice support Google Chrome



Thank you!

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