

Openness to the Enterprise

Tieto and Ubuntu

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Who is Markus?

Now

- Tieto and open source (since 2010)
- Business, community, governance aspects

Past

- Tieto, TUT, Nokia, Intellitel, LUT, ...
- Various tasks around software
- Doing research (on varying topics)

Other

- Linux hobbyist since 1997 (Slackware -->)
- Couple of kids and wife

Tieto Facts

- Operations in close to **30 countries**
- About **18 000** IT experts
- Net sales EUR 1 828 million in 2011
- Listed on NASDAQ OMX Helsinki, Stockholm
- Founded in 1968

Leading IT service provider in Northern Europe

#1 in IT services in Finland

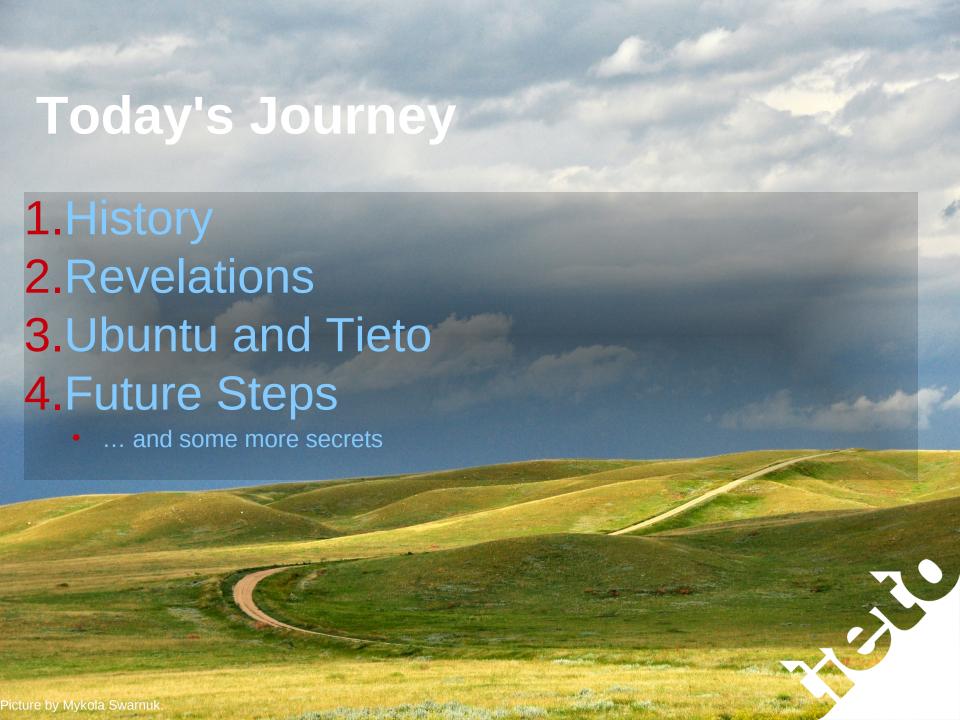
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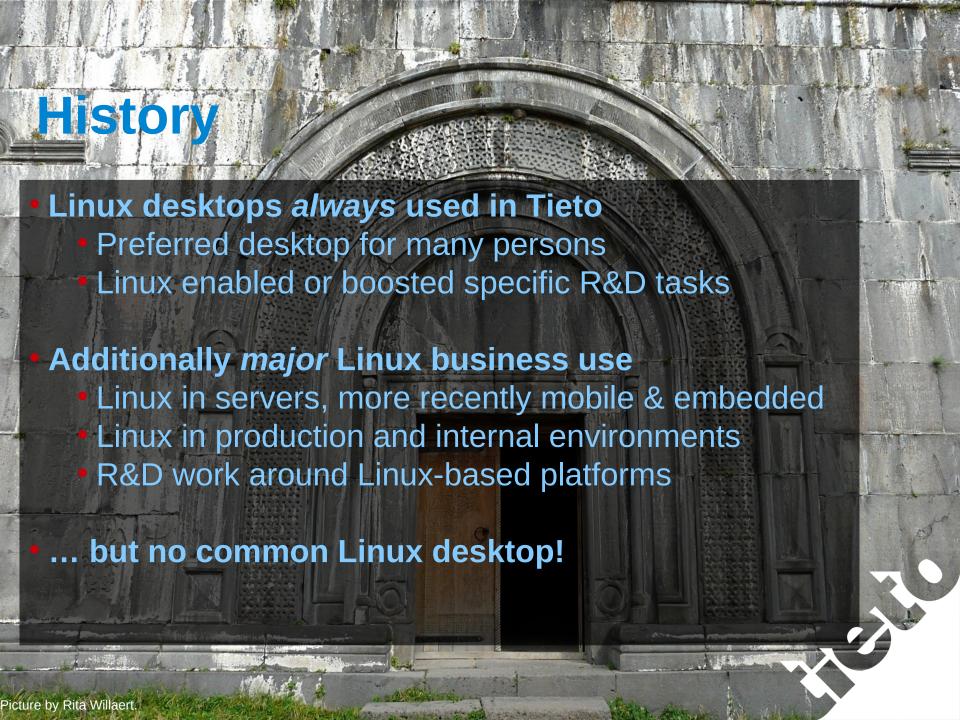
#1 in telecom R&D in Europe
Accounting hydrocarbons globally

Developing PS3 software









Revelations

- 1 We could use a common distro
 - Distros grown from Tieto community of users
 - Did not achieve a wide user base
- 2) We could use something more ready
 - Customize to Tieto corporate environment
 - Manage properly and organize support
- This looks good!





And It Worked Well!



Take-off

1) Deployed globally

- CDs, images, USB sticks, e-learnings, wiki, IRC, etc.
- Very small and agile development team

2) Currently some 600 users

- Mostly developers on desktops and laptops
- Tieto community support emerging
- 3) Very positive user feedback!

Under the Hood













1) Centralized workstation manageme

- System configuration and mon
- Patch, upgrade and package installation
- 2 Integrations to corporate services
 - Email, IM, Calendar, AV, Printing, VPN, LDAP/AD
 - Things to do here desktop not separate from infra
- 3 Automated development tasks
 - Continuous integration and testing

Things to Work With

1)Interoperability

- With existing IT services (e.g. LiveMeetings)
- With applications on different platforms (e.g. Office)
- Just switching desktop with existing infra not optimal

2) Making non-developer users happy

- Things need to just work for office users
- Easy and functional with enough "eye candy"
- Support must exist and be effective
- Developers will anyway hack, tune and make it work

Revelations, Continued

- 3 Someone else might also be interested in this
 - Linux on enterprise desktop as a service
 - Operating system installation and management
 - Centralized workstation management
 - Patches, upgrades, monitoring, support, reporting
 - ITIL service management practices
 - Combined with other IT services



Future

- 1) Deploying 12.04 (1H/2012)
- 2 More users (early stages still)
- 3) Talking to others





Tieto Does Open Source

Partners and Technologies

Linux Foundation, Eclipse Foundation, Qt, Red Hat, ...

- Contributing
 - Linux Kernel (e.g. drivers, Kexec, ext4, IP stack)
 - Projects (e.g. PulseAudio, ALSA, BlueZ, Qt)
- But we cannot really talk about many of these ...









Journey Continues, Things to Take With You

- 1)Ubuntu is ready for enterprise!!!
- 2) Everything cannot be solved on desktop
- 3) Tieto does Linux and open source

