

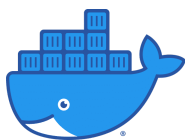
Anyone can explore the RF spectrum

OpenRFSense is an experimental software suite to explore radio frequency data using remote devices and a centralized server.

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The OpenRF project is a suite of free-as-in-freedom software which uses a central control and reporting server to communicate with an arbitrary fleet of remote sensors. Each sensor (or “node”, as it may be referred to) is equipped with a [Software-defined Radio](#) (or SDR for short), such as a cheap [RTL-SDR](#).

This project is powered by the following technologies:



Getting started

Getting OpenRF up and running can be really easy, thanks to Docker. This guide will show examples and code snippets using fragments of Docker Compose configuration (`docker-compose.yml`) because of its relative ease of understanding and concise representation of containers and resources.

The backend has to be deployed first, but it requires a running PostgreSQL instance to store the radio measurements received from the sensors.

PostgreSQL

There are no particular requirements regarding the database structure, since the backend will automatically [migrate](#) the database table schemas it needs. The database can even be just