

Difference between Free Software and Open-Source Software:

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Free Software:

"Free software" means software that respects users' freedom and community. Roughly, it means that the users have the freedom to run, copy, distribute, study, change and improve the software. The term "free software" is sometimes misunderstood—it has nothing to do with price. It is about freedom.

Open Source Software :

Open Source Software is something which you can modify as per your needs, share with others without any licensing violation burden.

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1.	Software is an important part of	Software is just software. There

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2.	Software freedom translates to social freedom.	Ethics are to be associated to the people not to the software.
3.	Freedom is a value that is more important than any economical advantage.	Freedom is not an absolute concept. Freedom should be allowed, not imposed.
4.	Examples: The Free Software Directory maintains a large database of free-software packages. Some of the best-known examples include the Linux kernel, the BSD and Linux operating systems, the GNU Compiler Collection and C library; the MySQL relational database; the Apache web server; and the Sendmail mail	Examples: Prime examples of open-source products are the Apache HTTP Server, the e-commerce platform OS Commerce, internet browsers Mozilla Firefox and Chromium (the project where the vast majority of development of the freeware Google Chrome is done) and the

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