

## **Practical3      fyCS 63 VishalJaiswal**

Title: Basics Understanding On Free and Open Source Software.

a) Describe Open-Source Software with example.

- Open source software is software with source code that anyone can inspect, modify, and enhance. "Source code" is the part of software that most computer users don't ever see. It's the code computer programmers can manipulate to change how a piece of software—a "program" or "application"—works. Programmers who have access to a computer program's source code can improve that program by adding features to it or fixing parts that don't always work correctly.

### **Examples of open source software:**

Open source technologies helped establish much of the internet. Furthermore, many of the programs you and I use every day are based on open-source technologies. For example, Android OS and Apple's OS X.

Other examples of open-source software are:

- Mozilla's Firefox web browser
- Thunderbird email client
- PHP scripting language
- Python programming language
- Apache HTTP web server and database system

b) Describe Free software with example.

✚ Free software means software that respects users' freedom and community. ✚

Roughly it means that the user has the freedom to run, copy, distribute, study, change, and import the software. Thus, "Free Software" is a matter of liberty, not price.

✚ We sometimes call it "libre software" borrowing the French or Spanish word for "Free" as in freedom, to show we do not mean the software is gratis.

✚ The best known example of free software is the Linux kernel, the BSD, the GNU compiler collection, and the C library.

c) Difference between free source and open source software.

<b>Open Source Software</b>	<b>Free Source Software</b>
Open source is a development methodology	Free software is a social movement

ItisfocusedtoprovideEconomicalCollaboration	Itisfocusedtoprovidemoralcollaboration
Itisverygoodforour business	ItisGoodformoralityofsociality
AllasscomeunderFreeSoftwareterminology	Butallfreesoftwaredoesn't comeunderopensourceterminology
Freedomtorunprogramforanypurpose	It hasdistributionoflicense
Availabilityofsourcecode	Freedomtostudyaboutprogram