OPEN SOURCE TOOL

What is Open Source

Open source software is software whose source code is freely available, allowing users to view, modify, and transparency, and community-driven development, while also providing cost-effectiveness, vendor independence, distribute it as they see fit. This promotes collaboration, and greater software flexibility.

Need of Open Sources

- Cost-effectiveness
- Transparency
- Flexibility
- Improved security
- Innovation
- Interoperability
- Accessibility

Open Source -Principles

- Free distribution
- Source code availability
- Modifications and derivative works.
- Integrity of the author's source code
- No discrimination against persons or groups
- No restrictions on other software

Open Source -Standard Requirements

- 1. Open specifications: The specifications for the software must be openly published and available for use by
- 2. Interoperability: The software must be designed to work with other software systems, regardless of the platform or technology used.
- 3. Platform neutrality: The software should be platform-neutral and not tied to a specific operating system or hardware platform.
- 4. Accessibility: The software should be accessible to people with disabilities, including those who are blind, visually impaired, or have other disabilities.
- 5. Internationalization: The software should support multiple languages and be able to operate in a variety of cultural and linguistic settings.
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