Welcome to ReactOS!

ReactOS is a free and open-source operating system providing users with a familiar graphical interface and compatibility with a wide range of applications and drivers.

The aim of ReactOS is to be capable of running applications and drivers written for Microsoft Windows. This is achieved by developing free reimplementations of components and APIs found in the Windows architecture.

Not everyone is comfortable using an alternative operating system. However, users who are familiar with Windows will be able to use ReactOS with ease. The user experience is similar, and their applications and drivers will work.

There are also the benefits provided by the GPL over a restrictive commercial license. You can't argue with freedom, can you?

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- ReactOS provides support for widely used APIs such as Win32, WDM or Native NT and a DOS compatibility layer.

- ReactOS is not a Linux distribution, however it shares code with numerous other projects.

- Although ReactOS is still an alpha-stage operating system, it is able to run a number of popular Windows applications.

- Find out more at **www.reactos.org**