

Wine or Leaving Windows Behind? Bring your apps with you!

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Pay attention, there will be a quiz at the end

The world is changing...

Linux spreading beyond servers



The world fell in love with Windows in
1995...

The HP Mini 1000 Mi Edition:

SIMPLIFY
YOUR LIFE



But now **HP** uses **Ubuntu Linux** on the \$280
Mini Mi netbook



**DELL + UBUNTU
NOW THE CHOICE
IS YOURS**

One of the most popular open source Operating Systems is now available through Dell - power your options and your system with ubuntu.

 **ubuntu**

And Dell **uses Ubuntu Linux** on the
\$250 **Mini 9n netbook**



Why did Dell and HP choose Linux?
Isn't it **geeky and hard to use**?



Windows Vista doesn't fit on most netbooks



Windows costs netbook vendors \$20-\$50 per unit
which hurts their bottom line

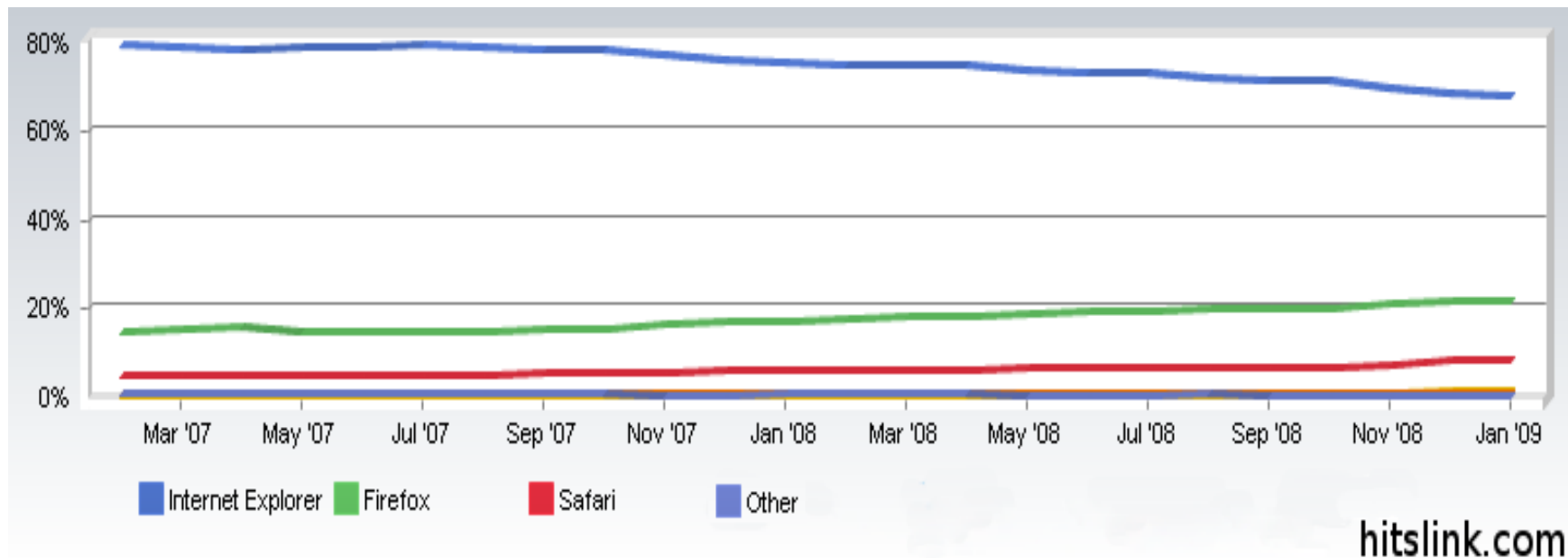


Microsoft limits Windows netbooks to

1GB RAM, 1GHz CPU

10.2" Screen, no DirectX 10

to protect sales of more expensive computers



Windows-only websites used to be common,
but Firefox and Webkit are making that rare



ubuntu

linux for human beings

Linux now easy to use
thanks to vendors like [Ubuntu](#)



Linux now comes with a capable
free office suite



But why should *you* try Linux?



Linux comes with thousands of apps
and free updates



You're free to install Linux
wherever and whenever you like



You're even encouraged to share
Linux with your friends



Any programmer in the world can
fix or improve Linux



Linux upgrades never forced
New versions of Ubuntu always free

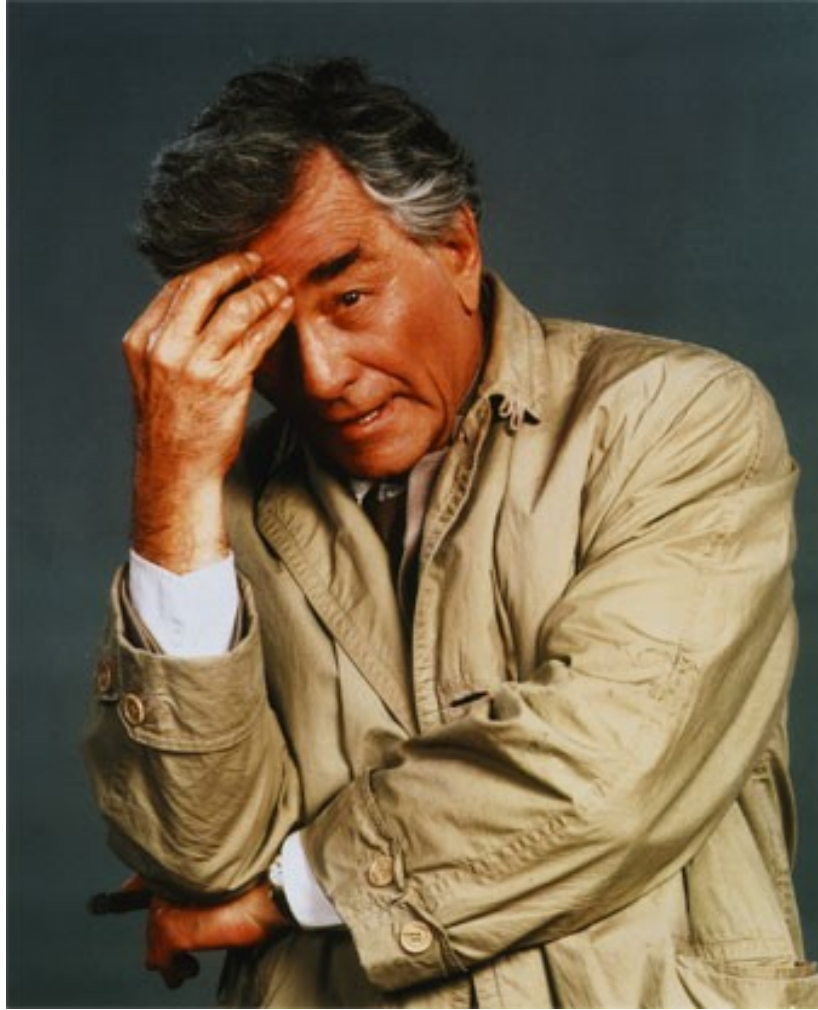


Linux has ~1% as many viruses

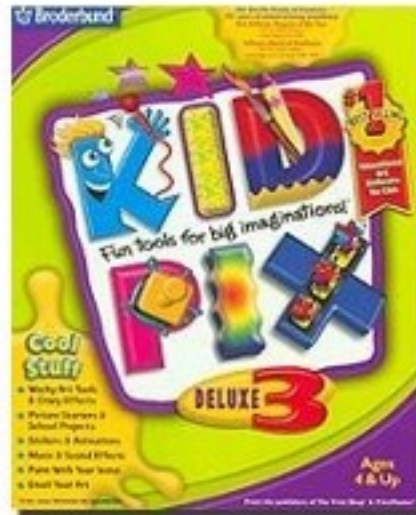
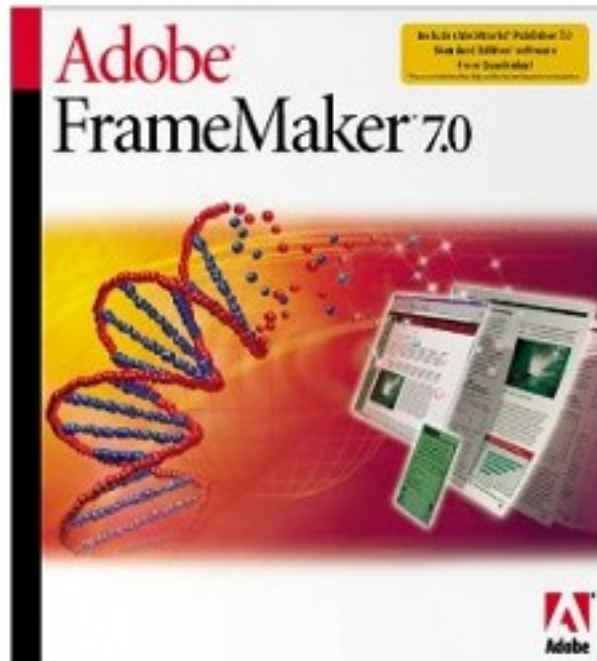


Munich, Niedersachsen, France, Spain,
China, Russia, Brazil
are using desktop Linux

Reasons: flexibility, independence, cost



OK, I'm convinced, I should try Linux.
But there's just one more thing:



I need this one app, can I take it with me?