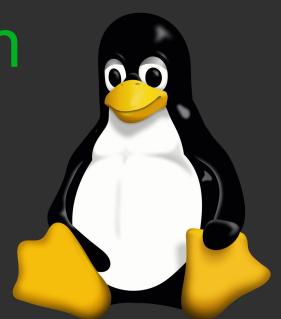
# Linux — Just for Fun

**Linus Torvalds** 

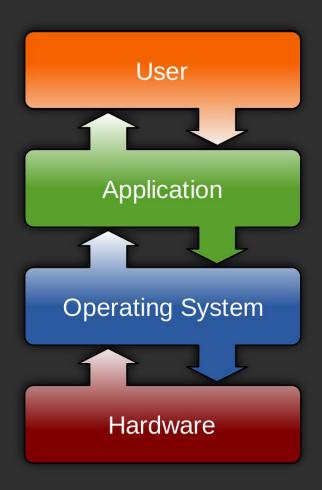


# Intro

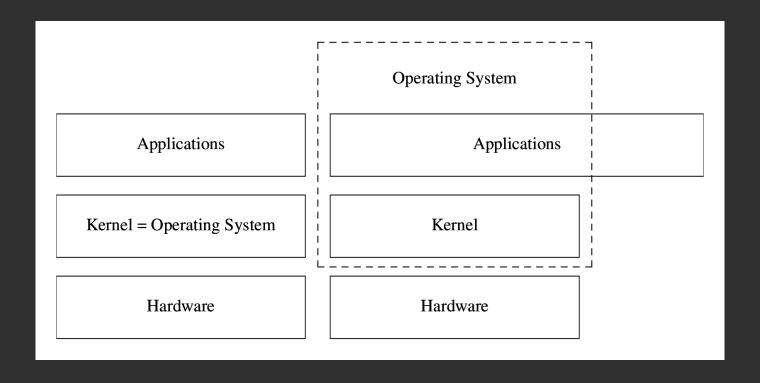


### Operating System: Purpose

- Manages the programs in a computer (applications)
  - Word, Internet Explorer, Mail etc.
- Communication between Hardware and Software
- Running multiple programs at the same time
- Handles output and input from attached hardware



# Operating System: Kernel



# Biography: 1968 - 1991

Linus Torvalds

Born:

December 28, 1968 in Helsinki (Finland)

Parents:

Anna and Nils Torvalds: Journalists

Grandfather:

Leo Törnqvist: professor of statistic



His family belongs to the Swedish-speaking minority in finland

# Biography: 1978 - 1986

#### Commodore VIC-20

- First computer from his grandfather
- Linus inherited the computer
- Wrote his first code



# Biography: 1986 - 1991

#### Sinclair QL

- First own computer
- Started with programing games
- Wrote parts of the operating system on his own.
- Had to wait weeks for new software from England



# History of UNIX (1)

The original version of UNIX was developed in the 1960s/1970s at AT&T Bell Labs by Ken Thompson (sitting) and Dennis Ritchie (standing).



# History of UNIX (2)



BSD, the Berkeley Software Distribution is a variation of UNIX first released in 1977 at the University of California in Berkeley.

# History of UNIX (3)

The GNU project ("GNU's Not UNIX") was started in 1984 by Richard Stallman.

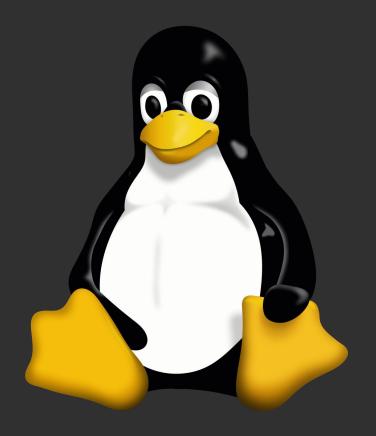




# History of UNIX (4)

Linus Torvalds first released the initial version of his Linux Kernel in 1991.





# History of UNIX (5)





# Biography: January - September 1991

January 2, 1991: Bought "No Name" (with his own chosen hardware)

- Create his own terminal emulator for connecting to the university computer
  - Saving files, writing emails....
- Linus mentioned to an online audience, that he was up to something big
- Wrote his own Shell

### Biography: September- November 1991

September 17, 1991: Release of version 0.01

- Included shell and terminal
- Still required Minix to be installed
- Ari Lemke changed the name from Freakx to Linux
- Overwrote part of the operating system on his computer
- Started to develope Linux as an operating system (as Kernel)

November 1991: Release of version 0.10

- Linux could run without Minix
- Other people had started to use Linux

### Biography: 1992 - 1994

January 1992: Release of version 0.12

Running Linux with lower memory, from an external device

#### Spring 1992:

- Linux supports a graphical user interface and multiple windows
- During 1992 Linux became more commercial

#### November 4, 1993:

Linus held his first speech in the Netherlands about Linux

# Biography: 1994 - 2016

March 1994: Release of Version 1.0

- A full-fledged operating system with networking
- Since then, Linux has grown more and more; programmed by people worldwide

2016: Version 4.88

#### Linux, Windows, Mac OS



















# Android, iOS



# quite frankly...

