



Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8

What's new?

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LINUX IS THE WINNER



Linux is the dominant operating system

RHEL is the market share leader

Required for digital transformation

New applications being built on Linux

Platform for next generation of applications

CAGR 12%

Windows Server CAGR -4%

IDC Market Forecast for Worldwide Server Operating System Environments Forecast, 2018–2022 (US44376618), published October, 2018

OUR POSITION



Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8

Digital transformation can **ONLY** be done with Linux.

ONLY Red Hat Enterprise Linux provides an intelligent OS that is the consistent foundation for the enterprise hybrid cloud.

Delivering **ANY** application on any footprint at any time.

THE ECOSYSTEM THAT POWERS ECOSYSTEMS

Red Hat Enterprise Linux fuels the portfolio

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ENTERPRISE LINUX®



RED HAT®
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PLATFORM



Flexible private cloud
for ecosystem products
and services



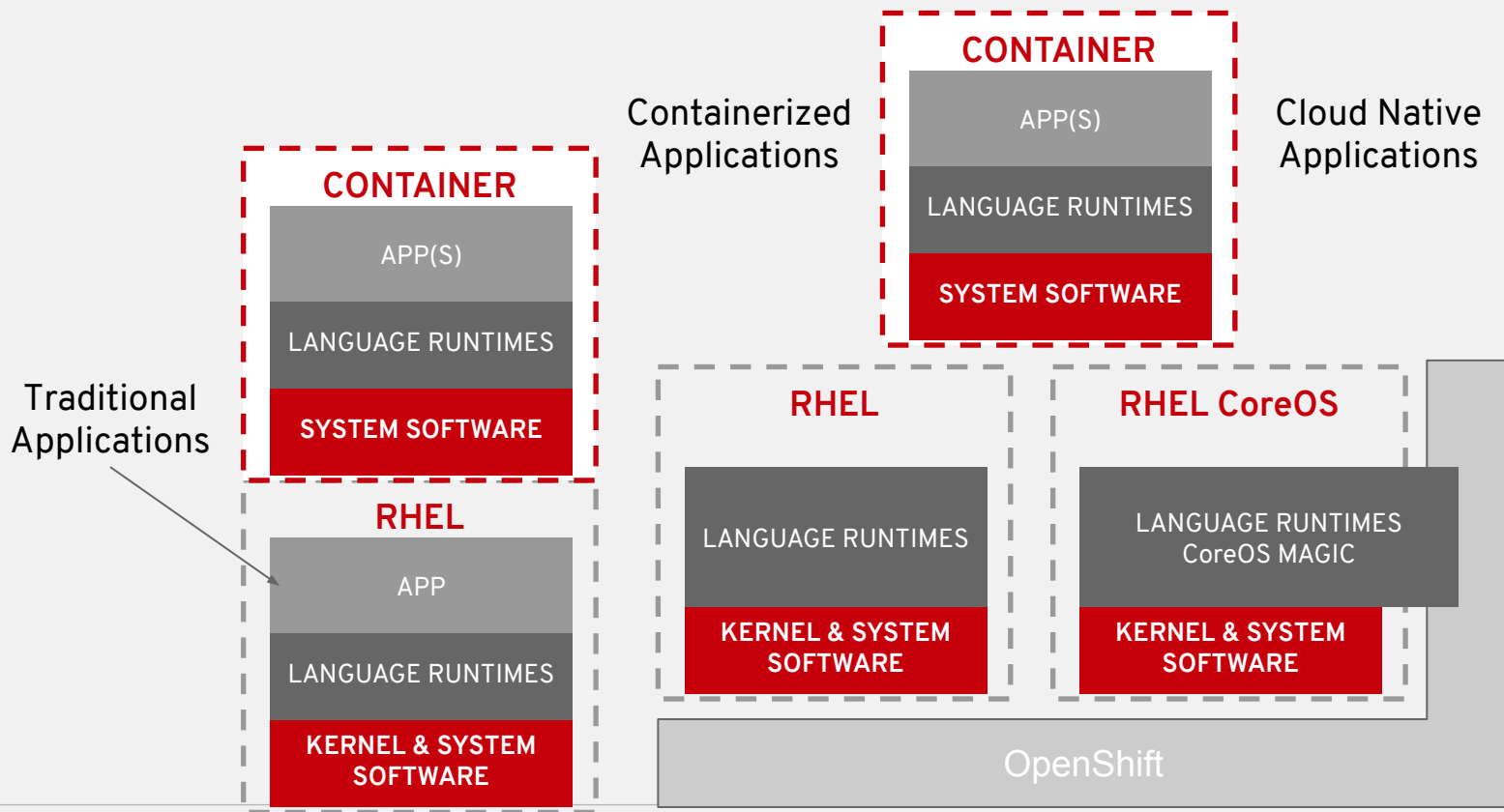
RED HAT®
OPENSIFT



Open hybrid cloud for
container and microservices
orchestration

It starts with Linux

Containers are Linux, Linux is RHEL, RHEL is everywhere



Predictable updates

3 years

Major releases

6 months

Minor updates

2 phases

Support life cycle



Hardware partner ecosystem

SILICON



OEMS

IHVS

Optimized experiences for mission-critical databases

Microsoft SQL Server

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux is the reference platform for SQL Server on Linux
- Benchmark-breaking performance
- Fast deployment and portability via containers



- Red Hat Enterprise Linux is 1 of only 2 certified Linux distributions
- More than 20 years of Red Hat and SAP joint engineering collaboration
- Exceptional performance and scalability –the largest SAP install in the world runs on Red Hat Enterprise Linux

The Cool New Stuff!!!

RHEL AS A GUEST

> Light-weight kernel packaging

Reduced footprint for guests only with separate packaging for additional drivers

> Direct access from the guest

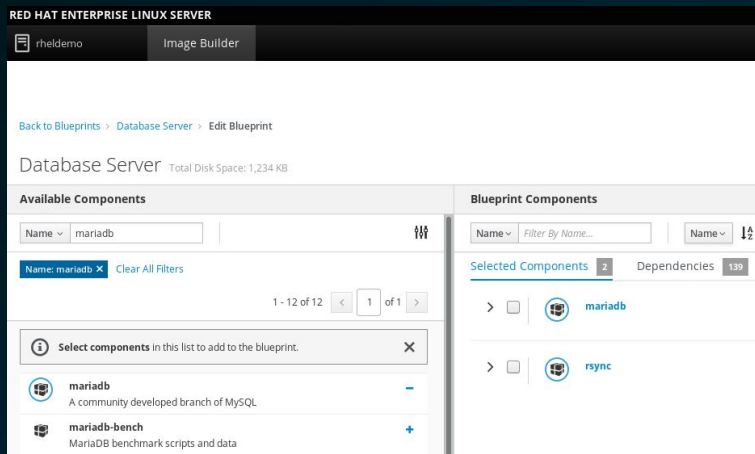
Pass-through, virt-io improvements

> Optimized for the Cloud

AWS, Azure, and GCE



IMAGE BUILDER



> **Create** custom blueprints

> **Target** any platform:

RED HAT
VIRTUALIZATION

RED HAT
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PLATFORM



+ other cloud platforms



SYSTEMS/CLOUD ADMINISTRATOR

"I need to quickly create customized OS images for my hybrid deployment environments, including physical, virtual, and private and public clouds."

A MODERN DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT

- > **Application Stream**
Access to rich content from Red Hat
- > **Modules**
The next generation of Software
Collection Packaging
- > **Next-gen container tools**
Flexibility, stability, and performance
with containers



DEVELOPERS

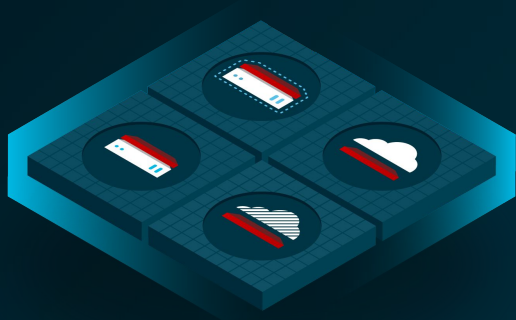
Stable APIs and ABIs



RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX

Application Stream

ANY APP,
ON ANY FOOTPRINT,
ANYWHERE.



This means:
RHEL offers many versions
of many apps,
and each one installs and
runs as if it's the only
version in the OS.

BARE METAL | VIRTUAL | PRIVATE CLOUD | PUBLIC CLOUD

NEXT-GEN CONTAINER TOOLS

Providing stability, flexibility, and performance with containers and images



buildah

> Build oci/docker images



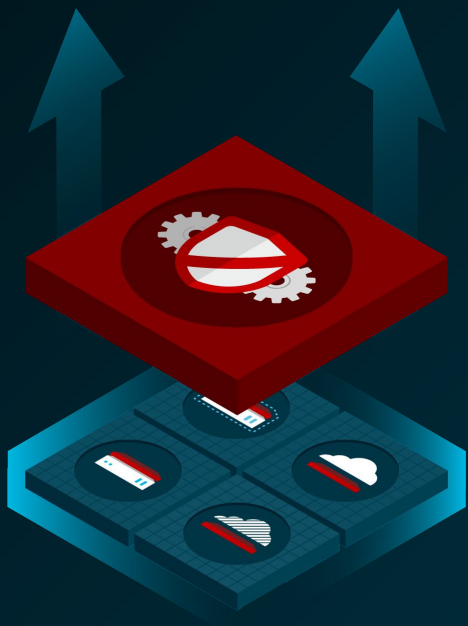
skopeo

> Inspect, copy, and sign images



podman

> Run, manage, and debug containers

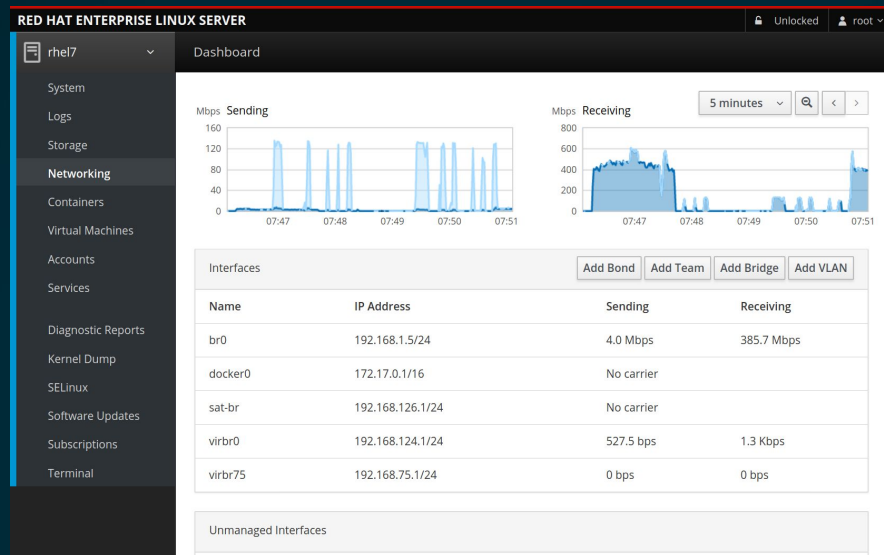


SIMPLE SYSTEM MANAGEMENT

- > Package Management
- > System Roles
- > Red Hat Web Console
- > Operating Intelligence
- > Managing File system and Storage

RED HAT WEB CONSOLE

- › Feature rich interface
- › Better gateway for Windows Admins
- › Integration with VDO, RAID, Disk Encryption
- › More sophisticated health indicators



SYSTEM ROLES

ANSIBLE PLAYBOOKS

```
hosts: all
role: rhel-system-roles.network
```

RED HAT ENTERPRISE LINUX SYSTEM ROLES

Network	SELinux	TimeSync	kdump
Storage	Logging	Firewall	Tuned
NFS	Metrics	Identity	Boot

6

7

8.x

CURRENT ROLES

- Network
- SELinux
- TimeSync
- Postfix
- kdump

TARGETED ROLES

- Storage
- Logging
- Metrics
- NFS
- Tuned
- Firewall
- And more!

FILE SYSTEMS AND STORAGE

> **Stratis**

Easy to use CLI and API for management

> **XFS Reblink and RMAP**

support providing faster snapshot-like support within XFS and faster file system checks

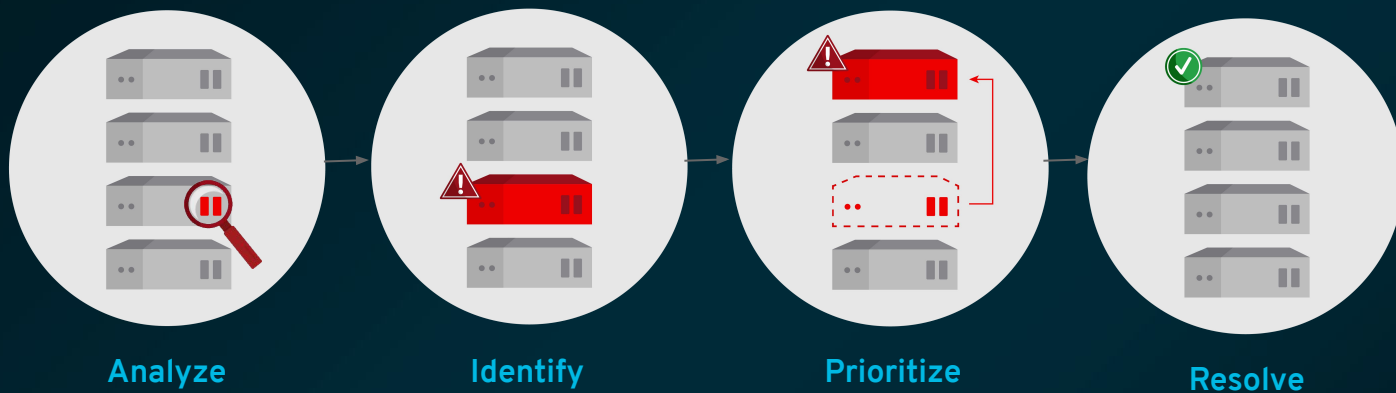
> **VDO compression and deduplication**

to increase storage efficiency and reduce costs

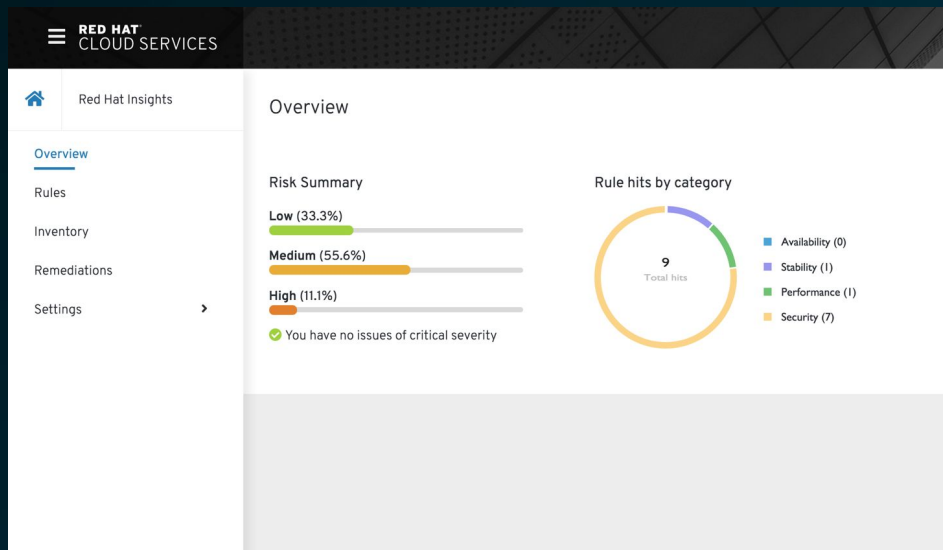
> **Performance** optimizations



Red Hat Insights: Gain operating intelligence



Detect and fix issues with Red Hat Insights



Proactive advice

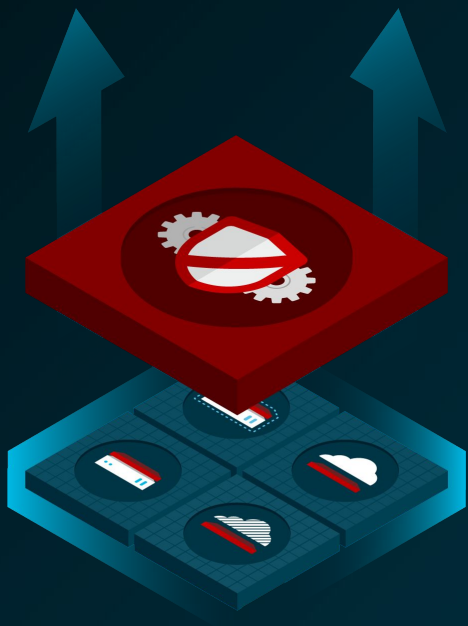
Identification of issues before they become problems

Continuous assessment

Real-world results to help find new risks

Simpler remediations

Tailored results at the host level



A SECURE PLATFORM

- > System Hardening
- > Session Recording
- > Automation of Security Configuration
- > Identity Management
- > Managing Network Services

SECURITY AND COMPLIANCE

> System-wide crypto policies

Reduce attack vector and stay in compliance

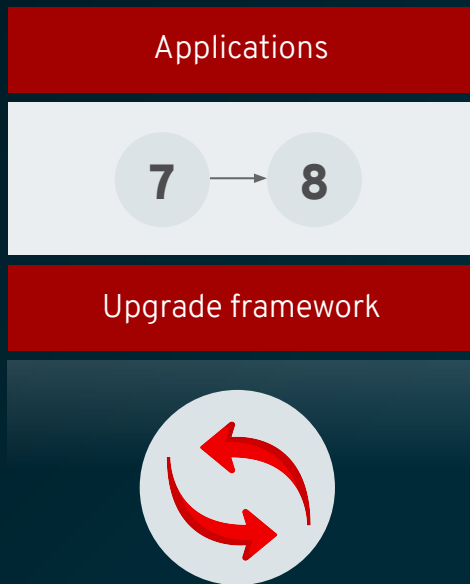
> Industry standard algorithms and protocols

OpenSSL 1.1.1; TLS 1.3

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In-place upgrades for your systems



Reduced migrations

Analyze systems to determine if upgrading in place can avoid a costly migration

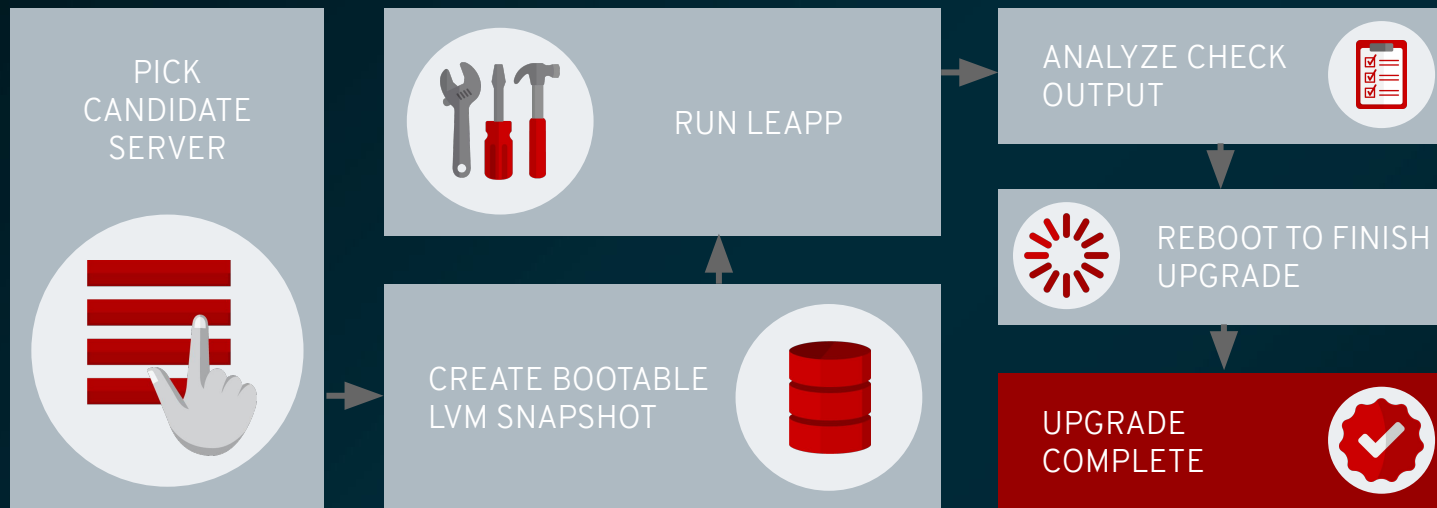
Easy rollback options

Combine with bootable LVM snapshots for safety

Improved framework

Get better analysis and a simplified process with a more extensible framework

Can I upgrade this host?





THANK YOU



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INTRODUCING THE RED HAT UNIVERSAL BASE IMAGE

NETWORKING SERVICES

- › **Dynamic network control for load balancing**

eBPF XDP/TC

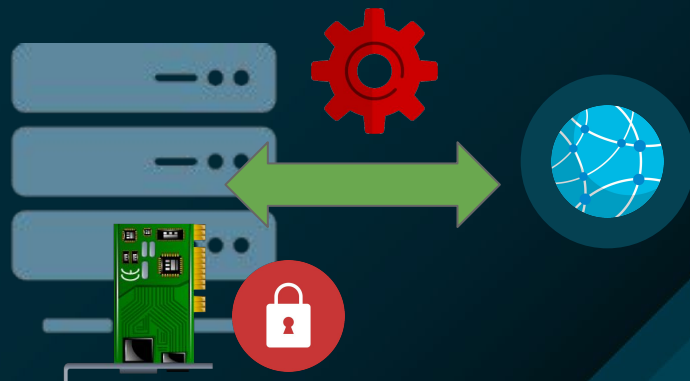
- › **DDoS Protection and application security**

- › **Crypto offload**

for IPSec VPN and TLS

- › **NetworkManager**

CLI and API to configure services



RED HAT UNIVERSAL BASE IMAGE

A bold change that will help us expand the ecosystem

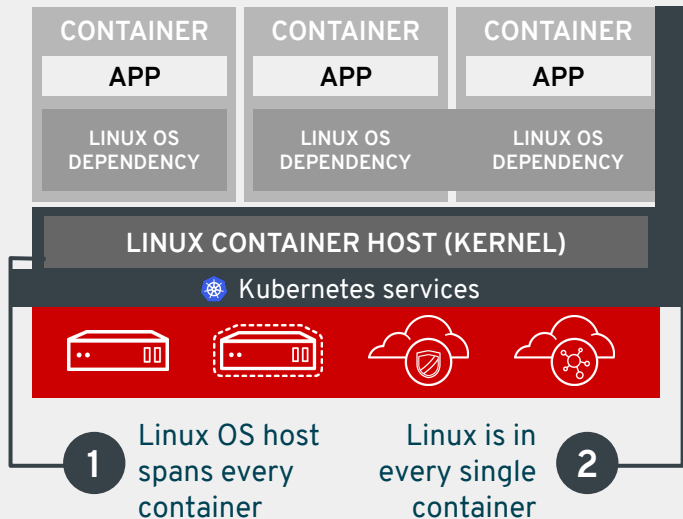
WHY?

Because containers ARE Linux.

Developers & software vendors include Linux code *inside* the container. This enables a container ecosystem that when run on OpenShift, delivers a Red Hat Enterprise Linux experience.

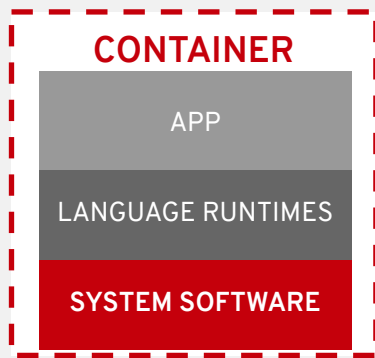
WHAT?

A subset of Red Hat® Enterprise Linux® that is freely available and redistributable, driving standardization on container (or base) images that are “RHEL-ready.”

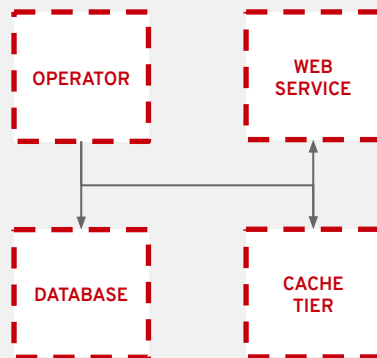


CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS ADD VALUE

Two main levels of participation



Container
Certification
Now for UBI



Operator
Certification



Summary

And why customers will care

- **Developers** get a small image they can distribute anywhere
- **Operations** teams have a supportable base image with an enterprise life cycle
- **Architects** can automate operations with operators
- **Enterprise support** in Red Hat environments for UBI based containers
- **Community** can grow and share containerized applications anywhere

Bottom line: **Red Hat platforms powering applications built on RHEL technology lower the cost, risk and friction in moving to the Open Hybrid Cloud**