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## Open-source religions attempt to employ open-source methodologies in the creation of religious belief systems

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Among the first examples of this movement, Yoans (followers of a religion called Yoism, [2] founded 1994) claim that their version of open source religion does not have allegiance to any spiritual guide, rather the sense of authority emerges from the group via consensus. Yoism combines rational inquiry, empiricism, and science with Spinozan or Einsteinian pantheism using a model inspired by open source software, specifically Linux.



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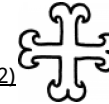
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