

OSS

Open Source Software



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INTRODUCTION

- What is an Open Source Software ?
- Source code can be repurposed into other new software
- The LAMP

ORGANIZATIONS

● Mozilla
Foundation

● Apache
Software
Foundation

● Eclipse
Foundation

● OW2

● Linux
Foundation

● Debian
Project

Groups promoting the use of OSS



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ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES

ADVANTAGES

- Highly reliable
- Promotes innovation
- Evolving continuously
- Fosters learning

DISADVANTAGES

- Non-user friendly
- Less personalized support
- Liabilities and warranties
- Security threats

Differences Between Open Source and Closed Source Software

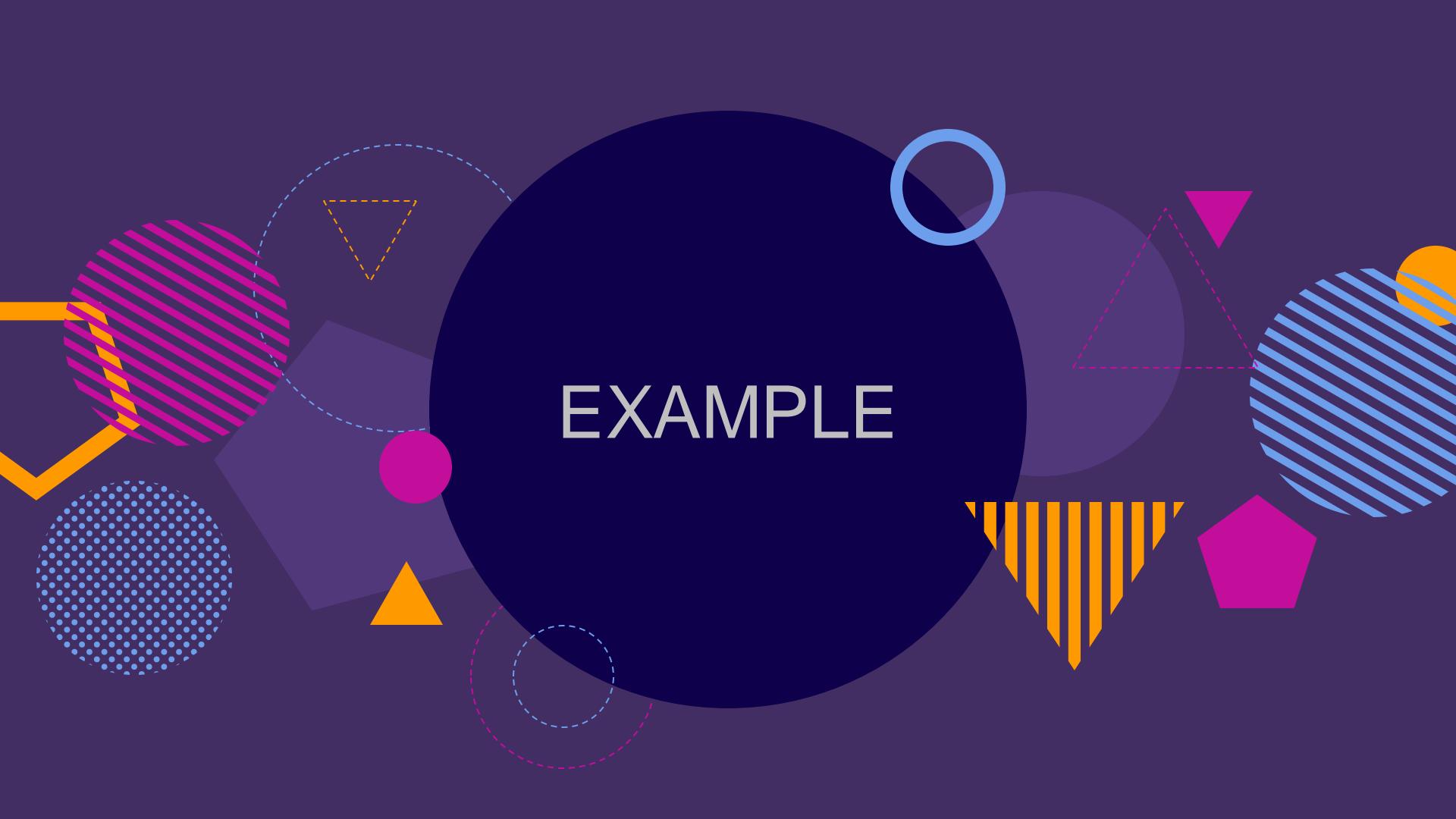
- □ Price policy
- □ Security
- □ Quality of support
- □ Source code availability
- □ Usability

OSS Security

- OSS possessing security threat
- More due diligence on OSS security needed
- Find and Fix

Synopsis Offerings for OSS Security

- Open Source Software and third-party code audit
- Open Source risk assessment
- Web services and API risk audit



EXAMPLE

PHP : Hypertext Preprocessor

- Websites and Web applications
(server side scripting)
- Command line scripting
- Desktop (GUI) application



Thanks!