

DEVELOPING FOR OPENOFFICE.ORG

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OpenOffice.org

<http://www.openoffice.org>



- Open Source Office Suite
- ~ 2-3 million downloads a week
- ~ 2.5 million daily unique visitors
- ~100 localizations
- ~ 8 million loc (98% C++)
- ~ 120 million installations
- 10 Operating Systems
- 8 machine architectures
- Various C++ Compilers

Popular for ...

- The People
 - > Feature Set
 - > Localizable
 - > Portable
 - > Extendable
- The Governments
 - > Standard File Format (ODF)
 - > Open Source
- Others
 - > Emerging Markets
 - > Businesses

User Releases

- Frequent (Feature) Releases
 - > March 07 - 2.2 June 07 - 2.2.1
 - > Sept 07 - 2.3 Dec 07 - 2.3.1
 - > March 08 - 2.4 June 08 - 2.4.1
 - > Oct 08 - 3.0 Jan 09 - 3.0.1
 - > May 09 - 3.1
- *major, minor and micro*
 - > *major = big features, "incompatibilities"*
 - > *minor = features*
 - > *micro = bug fixes (though sometimes a feature "slips" in :-)*

Project vs. Product

- Project has a defined beginning and a defined (or recognized :-) end
- Many software developers do project work for varying customers
- Despite being called a "project" OOo is a product
- Same People working on OOo, from one release to the next

Product Advancement

- Bazaar vs. Cathedral



[http://de.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Datei:Touristenbazar_in_Luxor_\(1995,_880x625\).jpg&filetimestamp=20050511132129](http://de.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Datei:Touristenbazar_in_Luxor_(1995,_880x625).jpg&filetimestamp=20050511132129)

<http://catb.org/esr/writings/cathedral-bazaar/>

Community

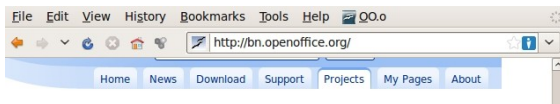
- All Users of OOo : ^)
- Members
- Contributors (Issues, Patches, Extensions, ...)
- Developers
 - > Commits
 - > Work Spaces
- Project Leads
 - > Self Responsible
 - > Technical Leaders

Governance

- Project Leads - “The Source Code”
- Native-Language Conf. - Localizations
- Community Council (CC)
 - > Members of OOo
 - > Elected by OOo members
- Engineering Steering Committee (ESC)
 - > Technical Advice for CC
- Incubator - Experimental / Upcoming Projects

Native-Lang: I18N / L10N

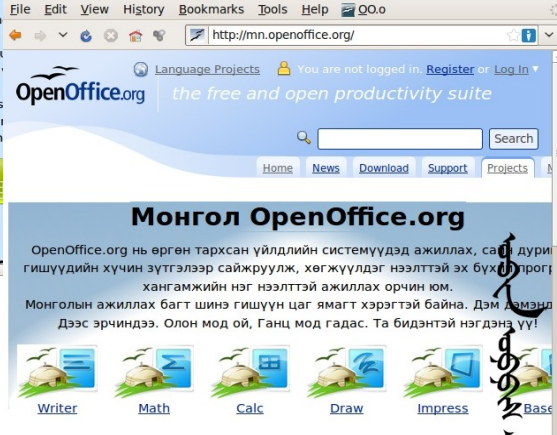
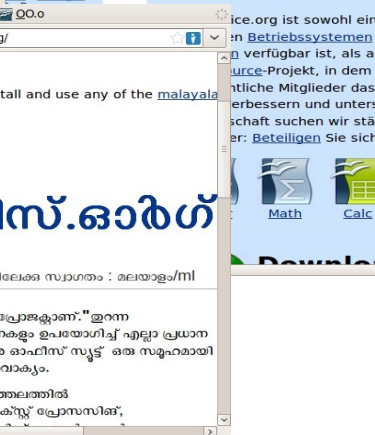
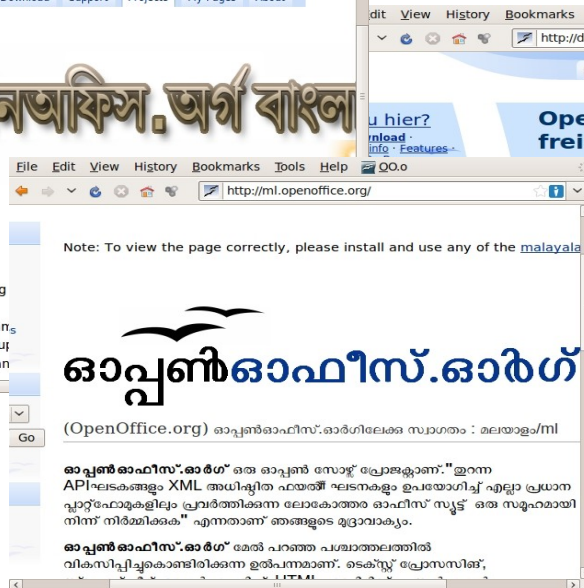
- Complex Text Layout (CTL)
- Chinese / Japanese / Korean (CJK)
- Bidirectional Writing (BiDi)



ওপেনঅফিস অর্গ বাংলা

Bangla/Bengali OpenOffice.org

Ankur group is the official team, goal is to have Bangla as a su... entries being translated in Ban...



Projects

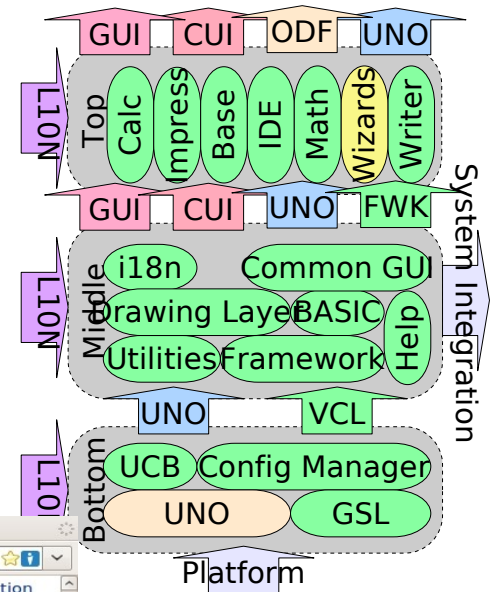
- Uno
- GSL
- Framework
- API
- Writer
- Calc
- Impress
- QA
- ...

The top screenshot shows the 'Accepted Projects of OpenOffice.org' page. It includes a table with the following data:

Project	Short Name	Description	Project Leads
API	api	The application programming interface.	Jürgen Schmidt, Steffen Grund
Application Framework	framework	The framework for applications.	Carsten Driesner, Mathias Bauer
Bibliographic	bibliographic	Building an	David

The bottom screenshot shows the 'Uno Runtime Environment' page on <http://udk.openoffice.org/>. It features a diagram of the Uno architecture with the following components:

- Specifications:** Services, Remote, Type Sys, Runtime, Types
- Bindings:** Bin-UNO, Java-UNO, Py-UNO, C++-UNO
- Adapters:** BASIC, OLE/COM, CLI (Net), Web Serv.
- Platform:** C, C++, Python, Java, OLE, CLI



Product Coordination

- Communication
- Documentation
- Issues / Patches
- Work Spaces (Master / Child)
- Coding
- QA / Release Engineering
- Tooling / Automation

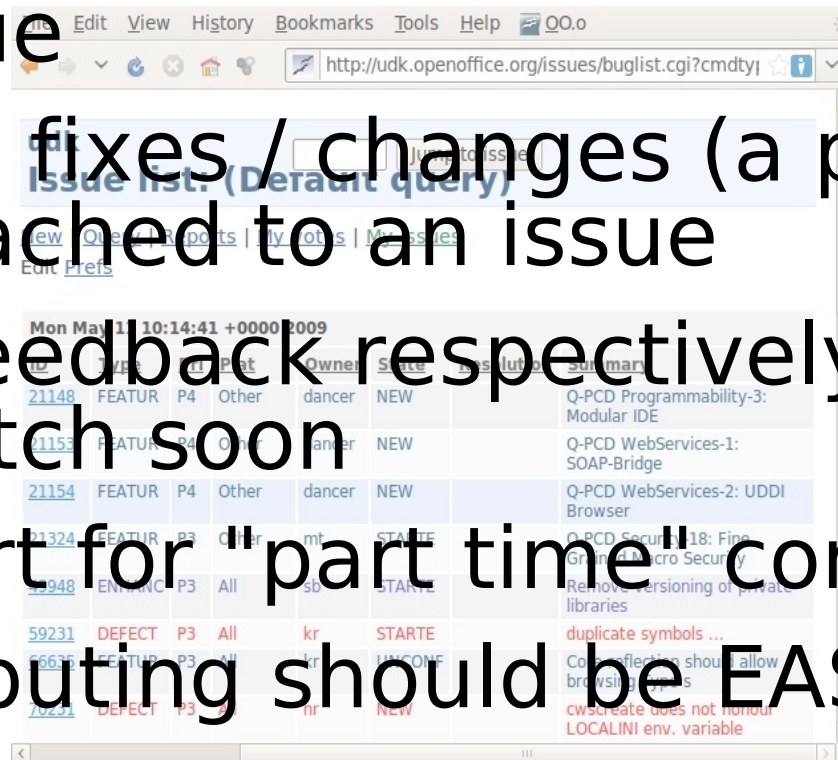
Communication / Documentation

- Channels
 - > Mailing Lists / IRC / Mail
 - > Conferences / (Virtual) Meetings
 - > Blogs / YouTube
 - > Wiki / Forums
- Content
 - > Policies
 - > API Changes
 - > New Features
 - > Releases



Issues / Patches

- Any community member may create an issue
- Simple fixes / changes (a patch) may be attached to an issue
- Give feedback respectively integrate the patch soon
- Support for "part time" contributors
- Contributing should be EASY



Master Work Space

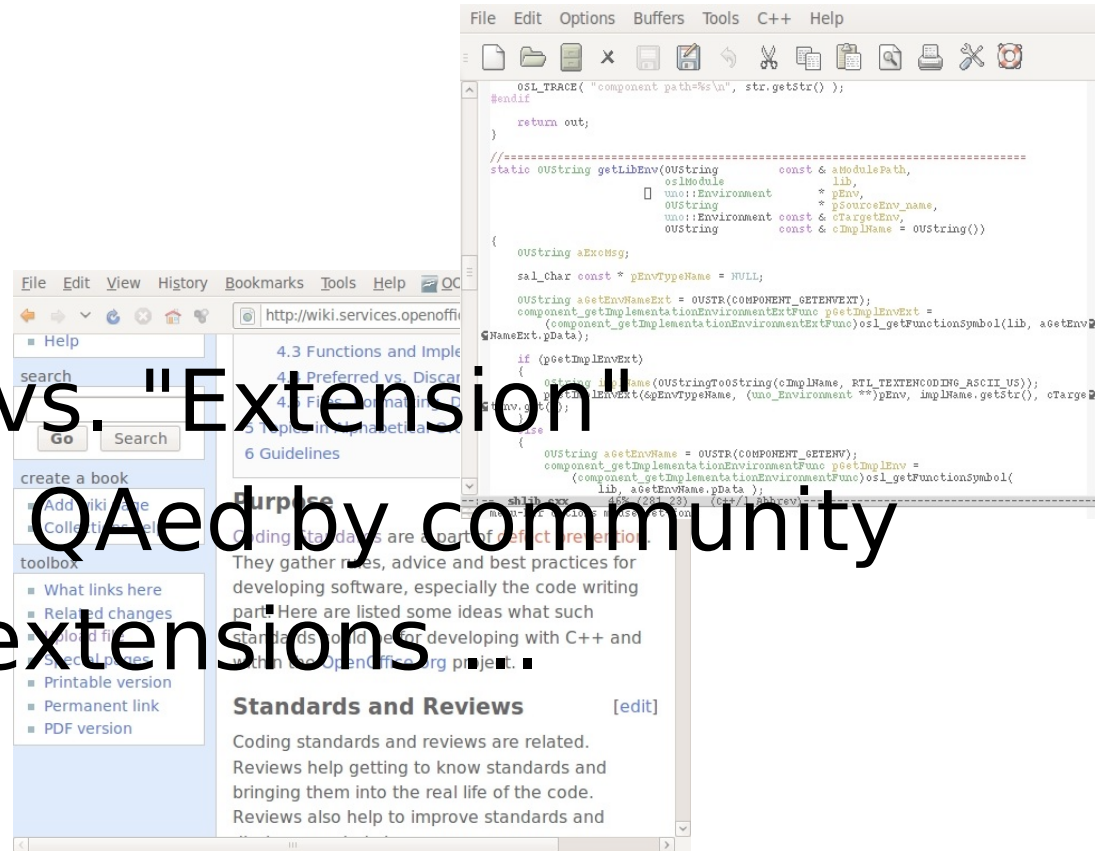
- Master vs. Child Work Space
- All Releases from a MWS
 - > Basically a marked snapshot of the source code repository
 - > Basis for all Child Work Space
- Release Branch vs. Development Branch
 - > User Releases
 - > Developer Snapshots (biweekly)

Child Work Space

- Created by a developer
- Branched off a MWS (e.g. Dev. Build)
- Bunch of changes checked into repository
- Policies
 - > Three platforms
 - > Automatic tests
 - > Tinderboxes
 - > QA Approval
- Integrated into a Master

Source Code

- Files in Modules, Modules in Projects
- Coding Guides / Best Practices / Code Reviews
- Unit Tests
- Subversion
- "Core code" vs. "Extension"
- Releases are QAed by community
- Do more as extensions...

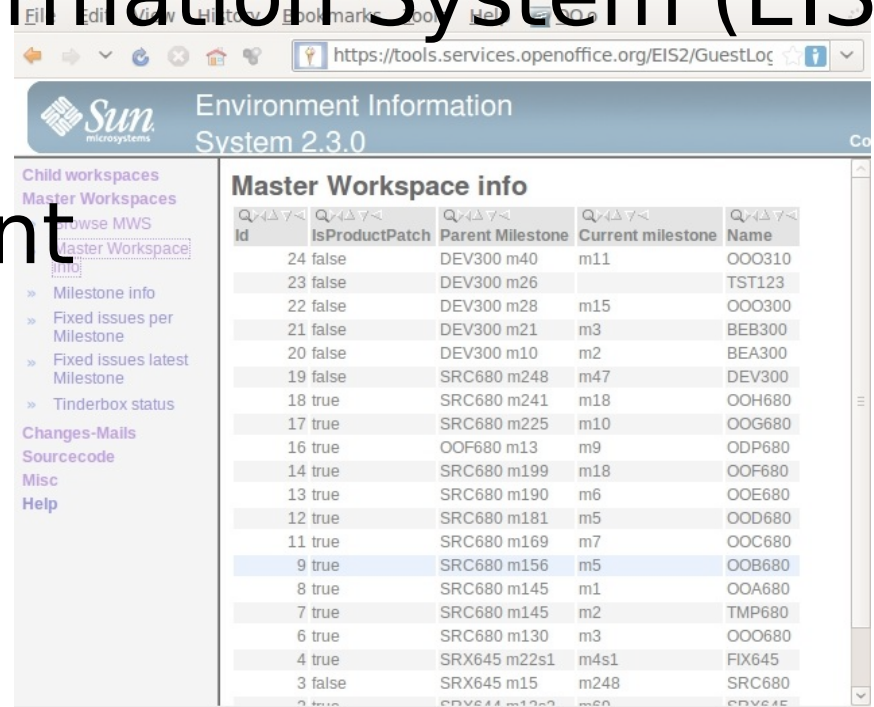


Code Changes

- Bug fixes
 - > User visible / testable: involve QA
 - > Code only: ask other developer for review
- Features
 - > UI visible: involve UX and QA
 - > API: involve developers for review
 - > All features need to be announced
- Re-Factoring
 - > Invisible
 - > Re-viewed by developers

Tooling

- Build Bots
- Environment Information System (EIS)
- Issue Tracker
- Code Management
- Automatic Tests
 - > Integration
 - > Performance
 - > Tinderboxes
 - > Document Fidelity



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://tools.services.openoffice.org/EIS2/GuestLoc>. The page title is "Environment Information System 2.3.0". On the left, there is a navigation menu with items like "Child workspaces", "Master Workspaces", "Browse MWS", "Master Workspace", "Milestone info", "Fixed issues per Milestone", "Fixed issues latest Milestone", "Tinderbox status", "Changes-Mails", "Sourcecode", "Misc", and "Help". The main content area displays a table titled "Master Workspace info" with the following columns: "Id", "isProductPatch", "Parent Milestone", "Current milestone", and "Name".

Id	isProductPatch	Parent Milestone	Current milestone	Name
24	false	DEV300 m40	m11	OOO310
23	false	DEV300 m26		TST123
22	false	DEV300 m28	m15	OOO300
21	false	DEV300 m21	m3	BEB300
20	false	DEV300 m10	m2	BEA300
19	false	SRC680 m248	m47	DEV300
18	true	SRC680 m241	m18	OOH680
17	true	SRC680 m225	m10	OOG680
16	true	OOF680 m13	m9	ODP680
14	true	SRC680 m199	m18	OOF680
13	true	SRC680 m190	m6	OOE680
12	true	SRC680 m181	m5	OOD680
11	true	SRC680 m169	m7	OOC680
9	true	SRC680 m156	m5	OOB680
8	true	SRC680 m145	m1	OOA680
7	true	SRC680 m145	m2	TMP680
6	true	SRC680 m130	m3	OOO680
4	true	SRX645 m22s1	m4s1	FIX645
3	false	SRX645 m15	m248	SRC680
2	true	SRX645 m12s2	m60	SRX645

Questions & Answers

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Some Links

- OOo <http://www.openoffice.org>
- History <http://about.openoffice.org/#history>
- CC <http://council.openoffice.org/>
- ESC <http://council.openoffice.org/esc/>
- Projects <http://projects.openoffice.org/>
- Native-Lang <http://projects.openoffice.org/native-lang.html>
- Me <http://wiki.services.openoffice.org/wiki/KR>