

Bridging the Development Gap and the Commercial Use of Open Source Projects

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What Enterprise Users Need When Incorporating New Technologies



They need innovation, transformation, and fast time to value but they also need...

- Solid and proven solutions
- Integrate-able with what they have existing
- Easy maintenance
- Investment protection



Enterprise Users' Challenges When Adopting Open Source Projects



Solid and proven solutions

>Challenge: don't know which ones will stay, which ones are fad

Integrate-able with what they have existing

Challenge: Projects don't integrate well; integration on cross community projects is even a bigger challenge

Easy maintenance

Challenge: Can't keep up wit the latest

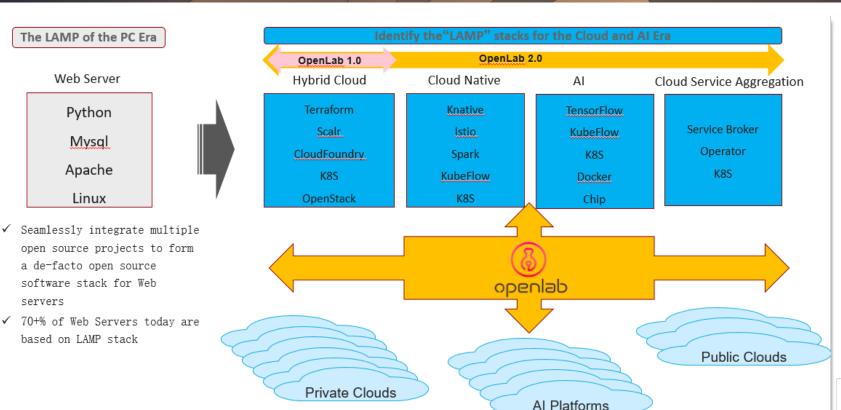
Investment protection

>Challenge: True interoperability/no vendor-lock-in is still a tall order



OpenLab Mission: Uncover the LAMP Stack of Various Open Source Use Cases

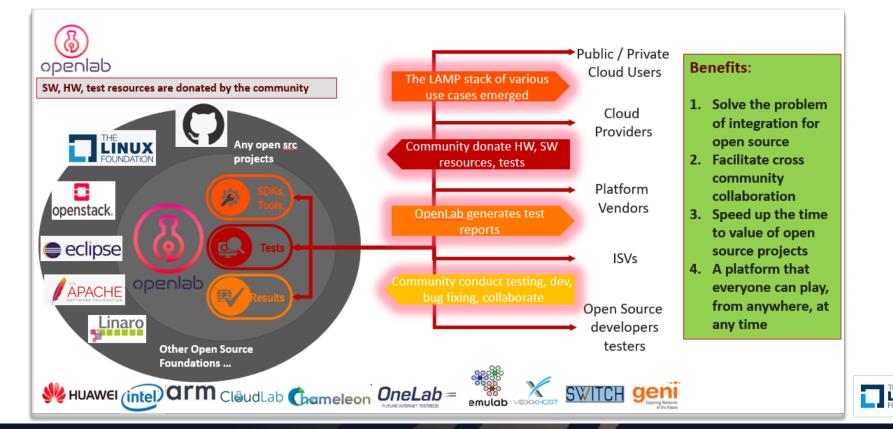






OpenLab: an Open Source Solution Stack Verification Platform, Created by the Community, for the Community







- Enable the testing, reporting, and verification of open source solutions stacks.
 - Validate independently developed projects work well when used together to build larger solutions

- Provide a space driven by the community, for the community
 - Common ground for different open source communities to collaborate and work together



Benefit to Project Maintainers



- Faster feedback on code changes
- Access to architectures and hardware
- Assurance that their project works well with others
- Improved project reputation
- Less critical issues from users hitting untested scenarios



Benefit to Users



- Easier ability to evaluate open source project selection
- Less surprises after deployment
- Example configurations of larger technology stack



Benefit to Vendors



- Early feedback for support group
- Confidence in providing solutions to customers



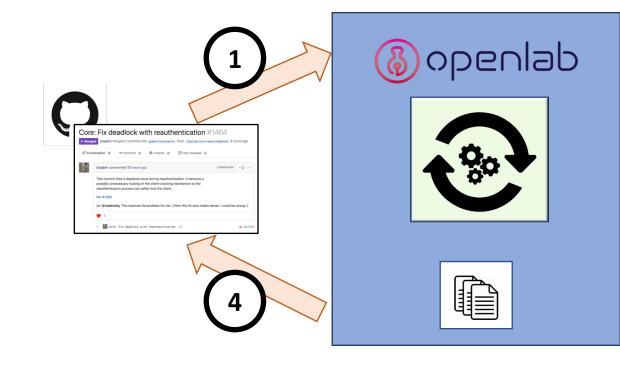
Current OpenLab Participants

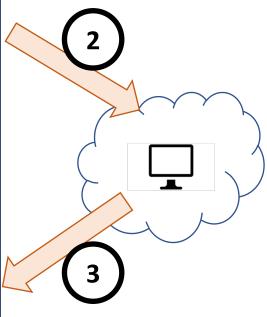
















Walkthroughs



OpenLab Governance



Program Directors

The program directors are responsible for making decisions for new testing and projects, and for promoting and engaging other projects and communities.

Operations Manager

The operations managers ensure OpenLab infrastructure is working and monitoring for issues affecting testing. They also work with contributors to help with writing test cases and understanding OpenLab capabilities.

Community Members

Members of the OpenLab community are those that write test cases, triage test failures, and make contributions that further the OpenLab mission.



Call to Action



- Become an OpenLab member
 - File an issue under https://github.com/theopenlab/openlab to be added
 - OpenLab governance will add users and close the issue when done
- Implement testing
 - Request help implementing test cases, or...
 - Write test cases in-repo or in OpenLab job definitions
- Integrate OpenLab to trigger tests
 - Integrations for Gerrit and GitHub based projects
 - More drivers can be added for other platforms
- Start receiving test results and improving code

https://openlabtesting.org/get-started



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