





**Re: (Score:2)**

by [thegarbz \(1787294\)](#)

The hate is real

He didn't say the hate wasn't real. He said the hate is a vocal minority.

And THAT is why additional distros coming along without systemd is newsworthy... (Well, by slashdot standards I guess).

Nope. Slashdot's standards being a group of that vocal minority is why they consider this newsworthy and the editors know it. Clicks baby Clicks. This story has more comments on it than most others on the front page. Feed the outrage!

**Re: (Score:1)**

by [telek83 \(1350439\)](#)

Your post makes little sense, I work in a mostly Linux dev environment, and I can tell you, people don't care about the init system, they don't even know anything about it, they care about getting their work done, they don't even know what kernel they are running, let alone what init system they run, at the end of the day, a shell with ssh and a email client is all they care about. Now since Ubuntu is mostly a "Bring the windows users to Linux" Distro I very much doubt that any Ubuntu user cares or even kn

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [DCFusor \(1763438\)](#)

They don't hate systemd because they haven't tried to do anything out of the ordinary that used to work fine and is now broken. If you're using linux as a chromebook and text editor it's probably fine. Data acquisition/analysis, it's a joke, it breaks everything.

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [serviscope\\_minor \(664417\)](#)

*I guess the markets have spoken, and the predictions of doomsday were nothing more than the echo chamber effect of a very small and very vocal minority of people who do not appear to represent either Linux users or Linux developers as a whole.*

There's no doom. It, like the system before, mostly works but it's a little bit shit, less transparent and harder to debug the more obscure cases. But it seems more convenient for distro packagers who seemed constitutionally unable to write decent shell scripts.

Mostly.

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [AHuxley \(892839\)](#)

The idea is to keep supporting code that can do one thing and do it well.

With logs, that people can see working and find errors.

Thats what would be good to return to.

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [Himmy32 \(650060\)](#)

Your comment is only stunning if you are unaware that Ubuntu was using Upstart rather than init before switching to systemd.

**This is a self-inflicted problem (Score:5, Funny)**

by [Waffle Iron \(339739\)](#) on Saturday July 14, 2018 @03:55PM (#56948276)

This issue is only for Luddites who are stuck in the past. Once systemd achieves its ultimate goal of moving every available service and user application into a single executable, distros aren't even going to need "packages" anymore.

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**Re: (Score:2)**

by [MrBrklyn \(4775\)](#)

What Linux needs is a good App Store. >

Shirly you Gest

**packaging system (Score:2)**

by [Spazmania \(174582\)](#)

Okay, great for ditching systemd but why did we need yet another packaging system? Was something wrong with dpkg or rpm? Maybe you wouldn't need so many packagers if you could leverage the scripts already written for rpm and deb derived systems?

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [Artemis3 \(85734\)](#)

Artix Linux is an Arch Linux derivative, and it uses the same package system as Arch does. If you want the Debian derivative, that's called Devuan.

**sadly slashdot isn't working in firefox (Score:2)**

by [MrBrklyn \(4775\)](#)

I can't read on the comments any longer accept in chrome. I thought it might be noscript, evidently there is something more fundamentally wrong. I only see about 3 comments, and nothing else is coming down. It is now unusable.

**Re: (Score:1)**

by Anonymous Coward

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**Just port NetBSD's pkgsrc. (Score:1)**

by [Bing Tsher E \(943915\)](#)

NetBSD's [pkgsrc](#) [netbsd.org] collection has been designed to be portable. I believe it's already been ported to Slackware, and Solaris and other OSes.

The tools exist to just import it into this new Linux flavor.

Or if you're just trying to escape systemd madness, just use NetBSD. Or one of the other freenix choices that already has a package system built for it.

**Re: SystemD maintainer (Score:2)**

by Anonymous Coward

Go home Lennart, the adults are talking.

**Re: (Score:2)**

by [MrBrklyn \(4775\)](#)

I'd volunteer to maintain the SystemD package and help them move to the future. >>

My future is watching my grandchildren play in the sand in the beach and continuing research on computational applications to biological and genetic problem....mostly using C++ and R.

It is not chasing Pottering garbage down a rabbit hole and wondering why X won't start up after 40 years of stability because systemd broke it.

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