



Building Sustainable Open Source Communities

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About Me

Ecosystem Development Manager

Driving industry collaboration at scale

Working across multiple initiatives

connecting industry, SMEs, developers, and key stakeholders.

Scan to connect:





The state of Open Source

Open Source in Numbers

78%

Of Businesses use open source in their operations

96%

Of all applications, include at least one open source component

\$387B

Open Source tools generate \$387B in annual savings

The logo features the word "ECLIPSE" in white, uppercase, sans-serif font, with a registered trademark symbol (®) to its upper right. Below it, the word "FOUNDATION" is written in orange, uppercase, sans-serif font. To the left of "ECLIPSE" is a stylized orange arc that curves around the top of the letters.

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FOUNDATION

Innovating together with Open Source

430+

Projects

15K+

Contributors

300+

Members

21

Industry
Collaborations

450M+

Lines of Code

52+



Countries
Represented by
Committers

\$25B+

Shared
Technology
Investment

20+

Years of
Innovation

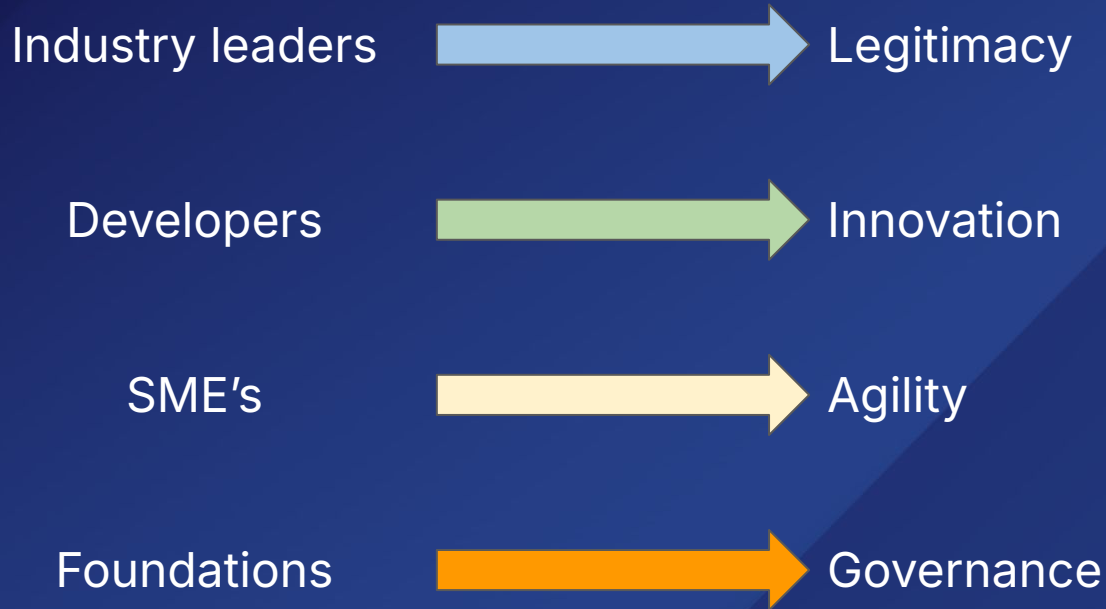


Successful open source projects are
engineered.

This doesn't happen naturally

- Competitors working together
- At the same table
- Sharing the same problems





















An ecosystem is not a *crowd*. It's a system



Practical flow



Our Ecosystem

Open Source Java	Automotive	Embedded & IoT	Developer Tools	New Collaborations
     <small>Future Directions</small>	   	   	  	   

Eclipse Foundation

Governance
& Processes

IP Management
& Licensing

Community
Development & Outreach

Infrastructure
& Security

Back-Office
Operations

Where ecosystems actually move



Momentum builds where these **intersect**

Global Open Source with European Values

Built on trust, neutrality, and the shared benefit of all participants. We are aligned with the EU's digital policy goals.

Governed in Europe. Designed for the world.

As a Belgian AISBL, our governance follows a legal structure that supports European values like openness, fairness, and accountability.

Open Source the European Way

- ✓ Transparent governance
- ✓ Values-driven innovation
- ✓ Global collaboration, grounded in EU law



Sovereignty through participation.

We do not gatekeep. We empower. Leadership in open source means collaboration, not control.

A trusted global alternative.

Vendor-neutral
Stable governance
Not controlled by any government or Company



This is a **system**, not luck



Thank you