



# What's new and what's next for Fedora Atomic Desktops

Silverblue, Kinoite, Sway Atomic, Budgie Atomic

Fedora 40 Release Party 🎉

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# What's new?



# Fedora Atomic Desktops

- The new name is now official 🎉
  - [Announcement on the Fedora Magazine](#)
  - [Landing page on Fedora's website](#)
- Keeping their names:
  - Fedora **Silverblue**
  - Fedora **Kinoite**
- New names:
  - Fedora **Sway Atomic** (was Fedora Sericea)
  - Fedora **Budgie Atomic** (was Fedora Onyx)

# Status update on bootloader updates

- Bootupd support not ready for Fedora 40
- Hoping to land it in Fedora 41 once bugs are fixed
- Help needed: <https://gitlab.com/fedora/ostree/sig/-/issues/1>
- Manual workaround: [fedora-silverblue#543](#)



# What's new in Silverblue? (1)



- Latest [GNOME 46 release](#)
- [What's new in Fedora Workstation 40](#) on the Fedora Magazine
- [Fedora Workstation 40 – what are we working on](#) from Christian F.K. Schaller

# What's new in Silverblue? (2)



- No longer overlay language packages (langpack) by default
- You can remove the layered **langpacks-`<language>`** package
- Make sure to check your Flatpak language configuration
- Use toolbox to get back localized man pages

# What's new in Kinoite?



- [Plasma 6, Frameworks 6 and Gear 24.02](#)
- [What's New in Fedora KDE 40?](#) on the Fedora Magazine
- Wayland only, [X11 is now unsupported](#)
- KDE Apps as Fedora Flatpaks pre-installed
- KDE Flatpaks from Flathub updated to Qt6/KF6

# What's new in Sway Atomic?



- Latest [1.9 Sway release](#)





# What's new in Budgie Atomic?



- Latest release of the [Budgie Desktop 10.9 “release series”](#)
- Progress towards Wayland support
- Improved Bluetooth handling in the applet
- Officially supported by the Buddies of Budgie with backported bug fixes
- Learn more on the [Buddies of Budgie blog](#)



**What's next?**



# bootupd support

- Will let users finally easily update their bootloader
- Will land as soon as we get the missing fixes in
- Hopefully Fedora 41



# Fedora Bootable Containers Initiative

- Successor to Oostree Native Containers project
- [Get Involved with Fedora Bootable Containers](#)
- [Initiatives/Fedora bootc](#)
- [Issue tracker](#), with meeting info and notes
  
- [Bringing DNF5 back alongside rpm-ostree and bootc](#)
- [Roadmap to Fedora Bootable Containers](#) for Atomic Desktops



# Unprivileged updates

- Updates on Atomic Desktops are safe
- Let any active user on the system trigger them
- Tighten a bit what the admin can do without password
- [Fedora Change Page](#) (pending FESCo approval)

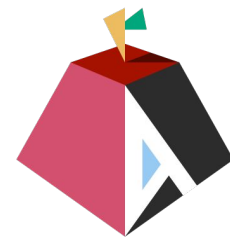


# Universal Blue, Bluefin, Bazzite, Aurora



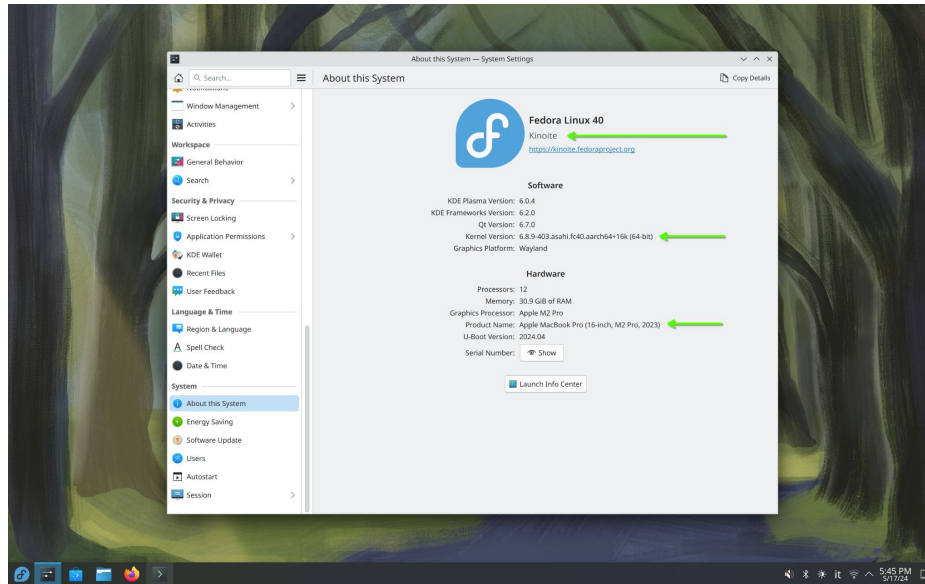
- [Universal Blue](#) and [Bluefin](#) now Generally Available
- [Bazzite reached version 3.0](#), rebasing on Fedora 40
- introducing [Aurora](#), a KDE Plasma and Kinoite based alternative to Bluefin. See [Introduction to Aurora](#)

# Asahi Linux Atomic Remix



Asahi Linux

- Initial investigation work successful
- Next step: [building images with Kiwi](#)
- Might get us Live mode & pre-installed disk images





**Call for contributions!**





# Where to reach us?

- Atomic Desktops SIG:
  - Wiki: [Atomic Desktops](#)
  - Tracker: [gitlab.com/fedora/ostree/sig](https://gitlab.com/fedora/ostree/sig)
  - [#atomic-desktops:fedoraproject.org](https://fedoraproject.org/#atomic-desktops)
- Desktop SIGs:
  - [Workstation Working Group](#), [KDE SIG](#), [Sway](#), [Budgie](#)
- Matrix rooms:
  - [#silverblue:fedoraproject.org](https://fedoraproject.org/#silverblue)
  - [#kinoite:fedoraproject.org](https://fedoraproject.org/#kinoite)
  - [#sway:fedoraproject.org](https://fedoraproject.org/#sway)
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