

# oVirt's User Community

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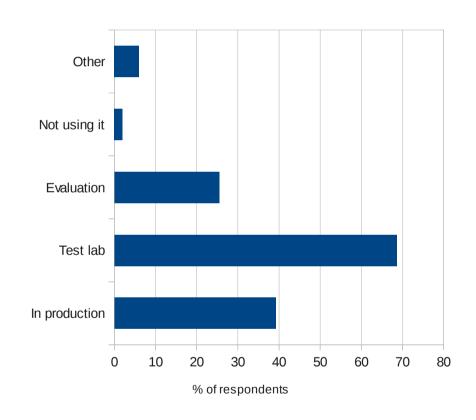
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### **oVirt User Survey**



- 40% of respondents using oVirt in production
- 70% deployed in test environments
- Primarily professional usage

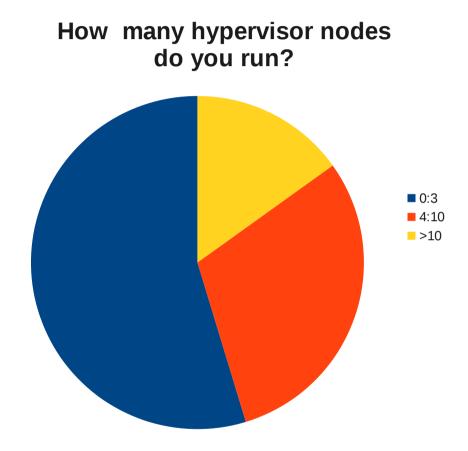
#### How are you using oVirt?



### **Existing user base - statistics**



- Median number of hypervisor nodes: 3
- 15% of respondents running more than 10 hypervisor nodes

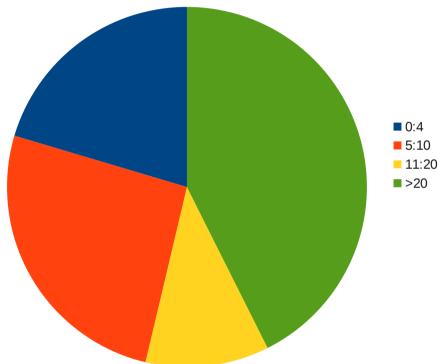


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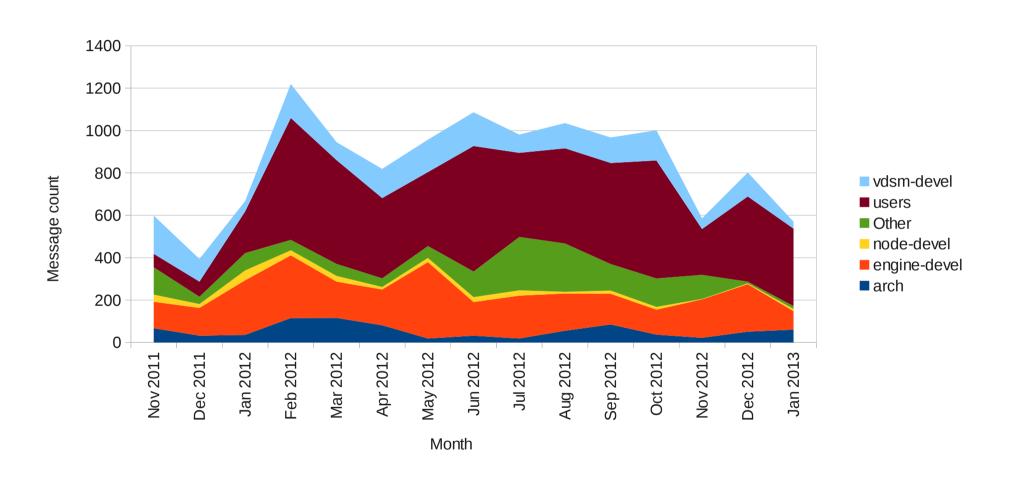
- Median number of virtual machines: ~15
- 53% of respondents running more than 10 virtual machines

# How many VMs do you run?



## **oVirt Community Size**



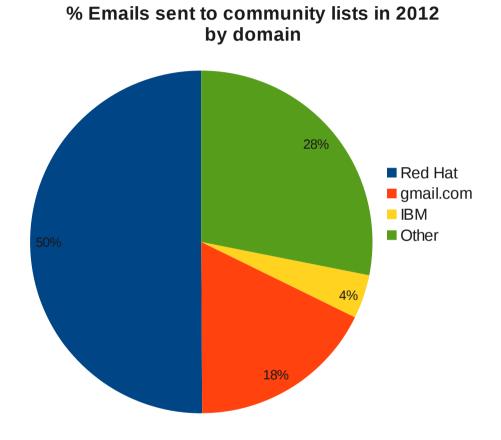


#### Message count per mailing list

### **oVirt Community Size**



- Users mailing list: 493 members
- Engine-devel mailing list:
   255 members
- Arch mailing list: 180 members



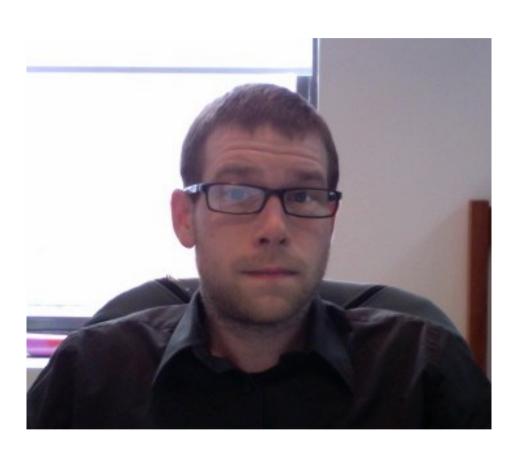
#### Selection of oVirt users



- French services company running public cloud offering on oVirt: http://h2o.alterway.fr
- Budget-conscious small digital marketing company
- Services company deploying mid-sized clusters for clients
- Sysadmin exploring move away from VMWare
- Network Engineer in financial services company using oVirt to test applications

#### Persona



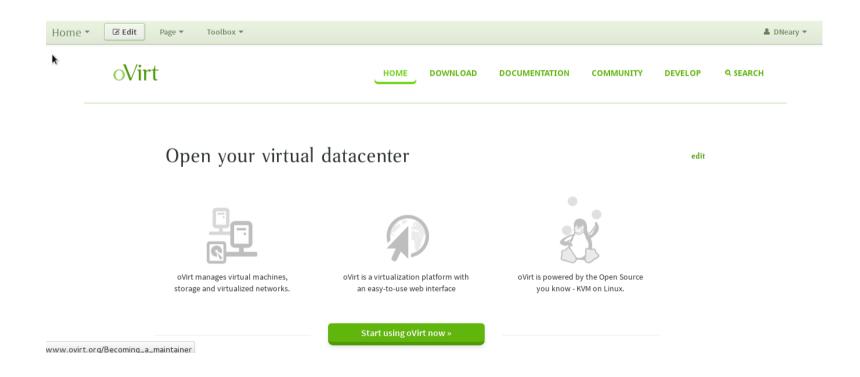


- Frank, DevOps in mid sized company
- Trusted to make tech choices for evaluation
- Tech enthusiast, hobbyist programmer

### Web site redesign



- Attractive website redesign
- Modified site hierarchy focus on user
- Creation of user-oriented videos and content



### **Open Participation**



- Infrastructure team
  - Started in June
  - 7 members, 4 "apprentices"
  - Diverse team
  - Well defined process for participating
- Developers
  - Open infrastructure (Gerrit, Git)
  - Significant contributions from IBM, NetApp, HP

### What do our users want? Top 12



- 1. Allow disk resize
- 2. Integrate Nagios/Zabbix monitoring
- 3. Highly Available engine
- 4. Open vSwitch integration
- 5. Allow cloning VMs without template
- 6. Enable hypervisor upgrade/updates through engine

## What do our users want? Top 12



- 7. Allow engine on an oVirt hosted VM
- 8. Enable guest configuration (root password, SSH keys, network) via guest agent in engine
- 9. Integrate v2v into engine
- 10.Bond/extend ovirtmgmt with a second network for HA/increased bandwidth
- 11.Integrate scheduling of snapshots and VM export for backups in engine
- 12. Spice support Google Chrome



# Thank you!

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