What is Free Software?

Copying welcome! Software is considered free if it is distributed with a license that grants the following four freedoms to everybody:

- Freedom to **use** a program for any purpose.
- Feedom to study how the program works and how to adapt the program to individual needs. (Access to the source code is a requirement for this.)
- Freedom to share copies of the software.
- Freedom to improve the program and to publish these improvements so the community can profit from the changes.



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About the Freie Software Freunde

We are a non profit association in the public benefit registered and located in Düsseldorf, Germany. We are committed to Free Software and Open Standards. Software is not just technology. It determines our everyday lives.

That's why we want to raise awareness of the importance of free software and open standards. We therefore take care of topics beyond technology: politics, education, ethics, psychology, ecology and economy, licences, ...

Our Activities

We are lobbyists. We organise events. We hold lectures and workshops. We publish. We campaign for free and equal access to technical knowledge for all.

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