

Subject: Ubuntu 13.10 (Saucy Salamander) released  
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Continued "Saucy Salamander", 13.10 continues Ubuntu's proud tradition of integrating the latest and greatest open source technologies into a high-quality, easy-to-use Linux distribution. The team has been hard at work through this cycle, introducing new features and fixing bugs.

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Maintenance updates will be provided for Ubuntu 13.10 for 9 months, through July 2014.

The newest Kubuntu 13.10, Edubuntu 13.10, Xubuntu 13.10, Lubuntu 13.10, Ubuntu GNOME 13.10, UbuntuKylin 13.10, and Ubuntu Studio 13.10 are also being released today. More details can be found for some of these at their individual release announcements:

Kubuntu: <http://www.kubuntu.org/news/kubuntu-13.10>  
Xubuntu: <http://xubuntu.org/news/saucy-salamander-final>  
Ubuntu Studio: <http://ubuntustudio.org/2013/10/ubuntustudio-13.10-released>

To get Ubuntu 13.10

In order to download Ubuntu 13.10, visit:

<http://www.ubuntu.com/download>

Users of Ubuntu 13.04 will be offered an automatic upgrade to 13.10 via Update Manager. For further information about upgrading, see:

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