# Computer software Operating Systems



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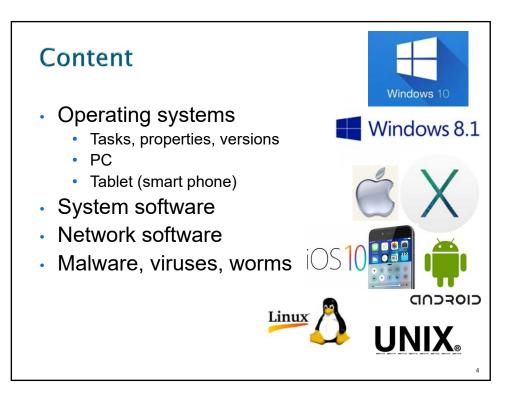


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## **Computer software**

- The term 'software' was first used by John Tukey in 1958
- Collection of computer programs, procedures and documentation that performs different tasks on a computer system



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# **Major Types of Software**

### Based on their function, the software types are

- 1. Operating systems
- 2. System software
- 3. Application software

4. Network software

Spreadsheets

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Development kits

Browsers

Hardware

CPU, disks, mouse, etc

Operating system

System software

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# 1. Operating system

- Provides common services for efficient execution of various application software
- Enables human input via a user interface



Examples: DOS, Windows, OS/2, Linux, BeOS, UNIX, MacOS, OS/400

1. Operating system- Tasks

Protection

Users

Operating system

Operating system

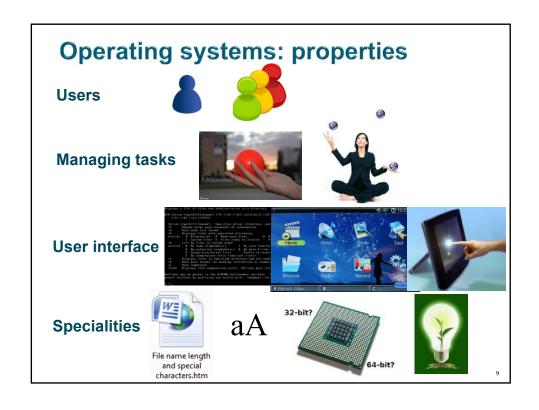
Operating system

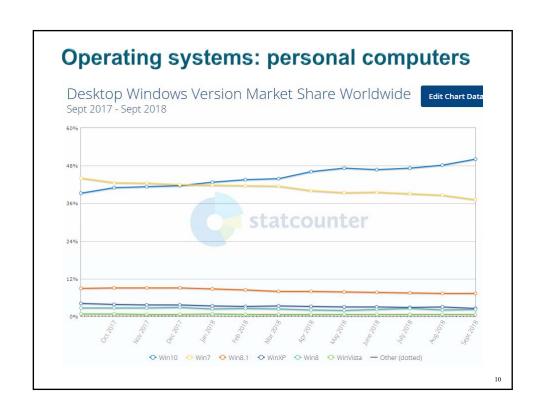
System

Memories Files, folders

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### Windows 10 editions

Home: for home use

Pro: professional version for small business purposes, cloud

technology

Enterprise: for larger units

Education: for higher education, enhanced data safety and

protection

#### Mobile (Mobile Enterprise):

for Windows Phone

#### 32-bit vs. 64-bit versions:

Only 64-bit systems can address more than 4GB of

**RAM** 

One product family

One platform

One store

More than 1.5 billion people use Windows every day

1.1

### Windows 10 new features

**Hybrid Start menu:** left: recently used applications, right: tiles to launch programs

**Edge:** new internet borwser allowing notes, highlights on web pages

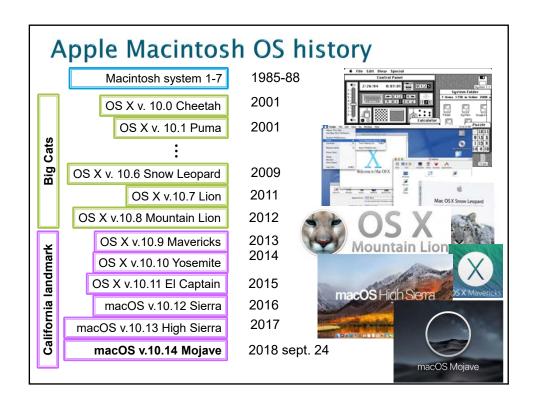
Windows Hello: face fingerprint, iris recognition

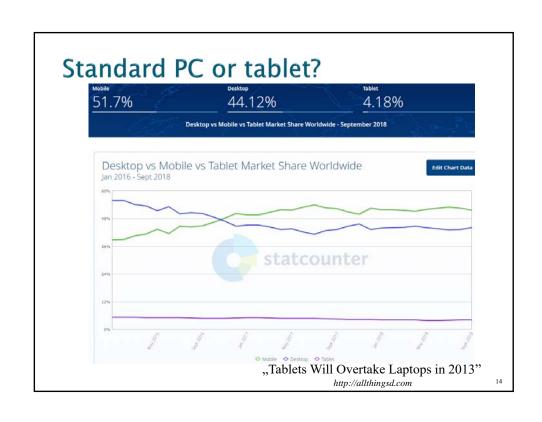
Cortana: personal assistant ©

**Platform independence:** universal applications can be used on computers and mobile phones interchangeably

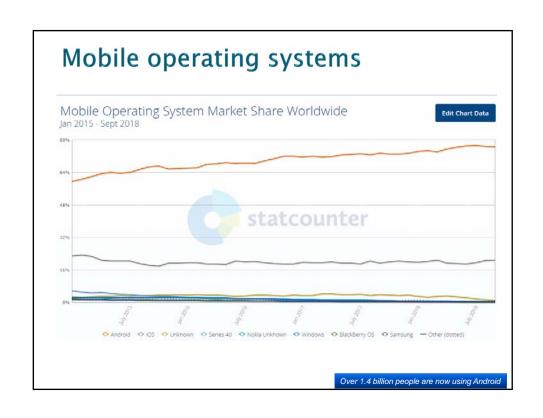


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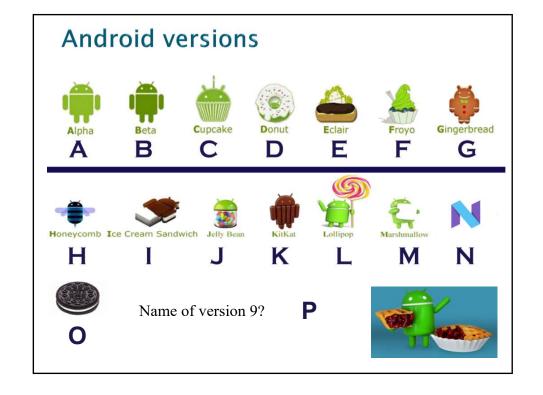


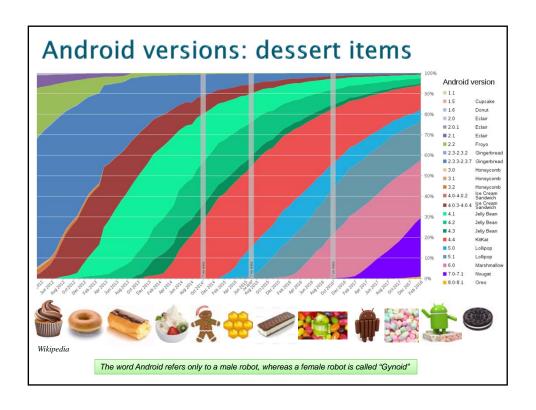














iPhone Firmware 1.0 (2007, Aug 1)





iOS 6 (2012, September 19)

Apple-created Maps, Do Not Disturb, Passbook, Facebook integration

iOS 7 (2013, June 10)

Buttons redesigned, New UI for arranging tab-bar icons, System-wide dynamic font size, configurable in Settings

**iOS 8** (2014, June 2)

Redesigned UI.

iOS 9 (2015, Sept 16)

Carplay, Health, UV exposure, water intake, photo management, stability improvements, etc.

iOS 10 (2016, Sept 16)

Allow hiding home screen icons, Advanced face recognition, gender diverse emoji

iOS 11 (2017, Sept 19)

3D touch icons, Battery life improvement, fixed calculator, Siri translator, etc.

iOS 12 (2018, Sept 17)

Apple books, Compass, Measure (augmented reality), Voice memos, etc.



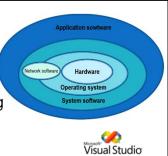




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#### 2. System Software

Run the computer hardware and system by extending the services of the operating system

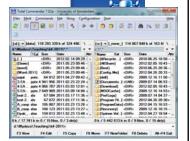


### Two subgroups:

 Development kits (programming software) e.g. Microsoft Visual Studio, Labview



- · e.g. file managers
- anti virus
- file compression software



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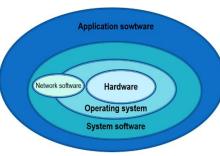
#### 3. Application software

- General-purpose application software
  - Office software packages
  - Games
  - Design software
  - Web browsers
  - Graphical program packages
  - Statistical software packages



To execute unique tasks.

- Data collection
- Data processing
- · Etc.



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### 4. Network Software

- network extensions of the operating systems (e.g. sharing folders or printers)
- Network operating systems
  - Novell Open Enterprise Server (Netware)
  - MS Windows 2008 server



Novell.



"Computers are like bikinis. They save people a lot of guesswork." (Sam Ewing)

### Malware, viruses and worms

Malware: malicious software

Virus: attached to program or file

- automatic execution
- · replicates itself

Worm: no host file, no human action

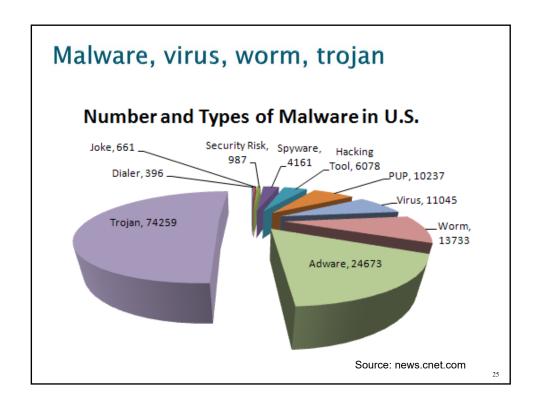
Trojan horse: looks desirable

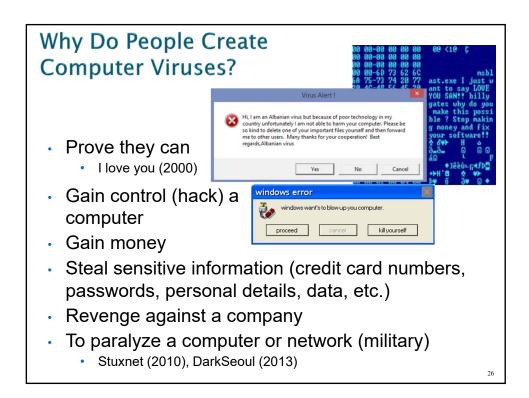
Spyware: secretly collects

Adware: secretly working program

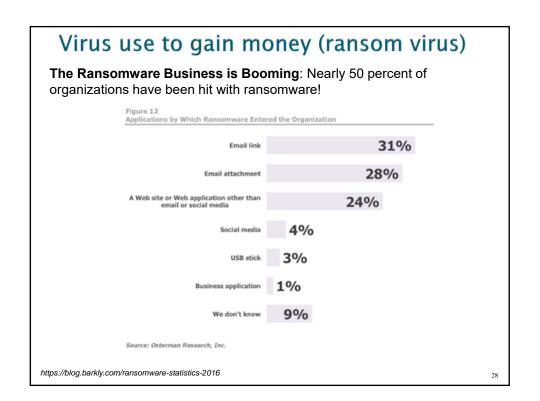
deploying junk adds

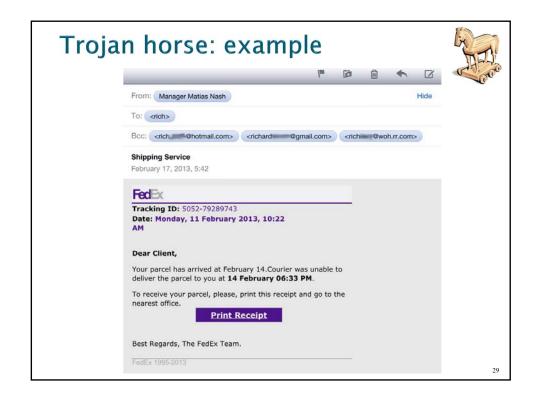








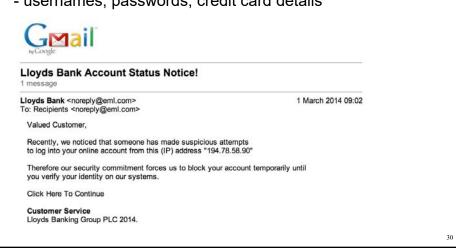




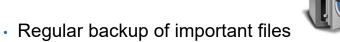
# Phishing and whaling

Attempt to acquire sensitive information in an electronic communication:

- usernames, passwords, credit card details



# Virus protection







- Run antivirus program regularly
- Run Spy-ware & Ad-ware detection programs regularly
- · Update operating system regularly





