



ADVANCING STRATEGIC **OPEN SOURCE**
WITH A **GLOBAL IMPACT**



Enabling Global Collaboration on Open Source Innovation

As a European-based organization based in Brussels, the Eclipse Foundation AISBL aims to grow the Eclipse global ecosystem and advancing strategic open source projects with international impact.

The Open Source Advantage

- > Open source is proven to be the most viable way to deliver complex platform software, drive industrial-scale collaboration, and accelerate innovation.
- > Open source innovation is crucial for the continued competitiveness of the global economy.
- > The majority of technical innovation across business is now driven by the open source model and has expanded into many industries, including transportation, logistics, healthcare, telecoms, pharmaceuticals, mining, energy, manufacturing, and more.
- > Open source foundations foster the growth of sustainable open ecosystems, maximize adoption, and deliver broad benefits for all.



Mission and Vision

Eclipse Foundation Mission

The Eclipse Foundation's purpose is to advance our open source projects and to cultivate their communities and business ecosystems.

Eclipse Foundation Vision

To be the leading community for individuals and organizations to collaborate on commercially-friendly open source.

A Global Opportunity, Based in Europe



- > The need for international collaboration and innovation makes open source critical
- > Digital capabilities, competitiveness, and independence are imperative
- > Europe requires an open source foundation with an international reach and reputation

Expanding the Global Level Playing Field

As a European-based organization based in Brussels, Eclipse Foundation AISBL is uniquely positioned to leverage the growth of the global Eclipse community to foster global industry collaboration on strategic open source projects in various technology domains, such as the cloud, edge computing, artificial intelligence (AI), connected vehicles, telecommunications, and the Internet of Things (IoT).

The Eclipse Foundation aims to accelerate the growth of its open ecosystem of developers, companies, and public sector entities collaborating to advance technologies that are expected to have a major impact on global economies.



Why the Eclipse Foundation?



The Eclipse Foundation Fosters Industry Collaboration

Valued by millions of developers across the world, the Eclipse Foundation's vision is to be the leading community for individuals and organizations to collaborate on commercially-friendly open source software. Its unique governance model is focused on fostering industry collaborations that fuel open innovation.

Our community members collaborate on more than 375 projects, including open source software for cloud and edge applications, IoT, AI, automotive, systems engineering, digital ledger technologies, open processor designs, and many others.



Providing a Home for Strategic Open Source



The Eclipse Foundation is Europe's largest open source organization, with a long track record of advancing strategic open source projects with international impact.

170+

Corporate
Members in Europe

900+

European
Committers

7+

Years in
Operation in Europe



Backed by Global Industry Leaders



Delivering Broad Stakeholder Value

Breadth of
Professional
Services



Linux Foundation	Eclipse Foundation
GitHub	Apache Foundation



Community of Practice

Our Unique Approach

	GitHub	Single-Vendor Open Source	Eclipse Foundation
Thriving developer community	✓	✓	✓
High quality code that solves complex problems	✓	✓	✓
Ecosystem development and marketing services to drive adoption and monetization		✓	✓
Predictable processes and guidance to deliver large-scale innovation on a regular cadence			✓
Vendor-neutral governance model to support industry-wide collaboration			✓
Business-friendly IP and licensing services to enable commercialization			✓

Strategic Focus Areas

Cloud Native Java



We provide a collaborative environment for the world's leading Java ecosystem players to advance open source enterprise Java technologies for the cloud.

IoT & Edge



We enable industry leaders to collaborate on an end-to-end IoT architecture that is secure, flexible, and fully based on open source and open standards.

Automotive



We provide leading automotive OEMs, their suppliers, and partners with a sustainable, transparent, and vendor-neutral platform to collaborate on open technologies and standards.

Tools



The Eclipse IDE is a critical development environment for more than 6 million active users. Our community is innovating on the next generation of cloud native developer tools.

Working Groups: Your Path to Industrial Collaboration

The Eclipse Foundation has embraced a unique Working Group governance model that distinguishes it from other open source communities. Our Working Groups enable organizations to combine the best practices of open source development with a set of services required for open innovation so they can foster industry collaborations.

- > Active marketing and promotion of Working Groups and the wider ecosystem
- > Co-operative marketing events
- > Community conferences
- > Online resources
- > Bi-annual meetings for members
- > Programs to promote the entire Eclipse community



Working Groups at a Glance



Play to Win — Safely

The Working Group governance model enables organizations to freely collaborate on new technology development based on:

- > Vendor-neutral governance structure
- > Bylaws, agreements, and policies that guide Working Group collaborations
- > Member participation based on their contributions and merit
- > No special status or veto power for any single individual or organization
- > Flexibility to host projects in Europe, Canada, or the USA

Our members have been able to help improve the supply chain of software development tools in specific industries, create new platforms to increase interoperability among organizations, and increase their use of open source technologies.





Are you ready to take the next step and leverage open collaboration for your organization?
We're ready to help you, and a global community of innovators is waiting to collaborate with you.

To get started or to learn more, visit eclipse.org/europe
or email us at membership@eclipse.org



Thank you!