

Asterisk

The Open Source PBX

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Enter Asterisk

What Is Asterisk?

- Open source PBX
- Standards Compliant
- Very Active Development
- Most Flexible PBX available...period.

What Problems Can Asterisk Solve?

- No more closed, proprietary systems
- Make use of Voice Over IP (VoIP)
- Reduced costs - adds, drops, moves
- Integrate your phone system with your applications
- Many, many more.

How To Get Started

- Modest PC running Linux (Of Course)
- IP Phone (SIP, SCCP, IAX, and others)
- Broadband connection (for VoIP)
- Source code
- Optional: telecom hardware (Digium Wildcard, etc.)

Resources

- [Www.asterisk.org](http://www.asterisk.org) - The Asterisk homepage
- www.digium.org - Digium, creators of Asterisk
- www.voip-info.org - An extensive wiki all about Asterisk and VoIP

Questions and Answers

Demonstration