

Plans for the next Linux kernel revealed

Linux kernel maintainer Andrew Morton last week revealed some of his plans after the final release of Linux 2.6.20. Developers are currently revving up the kernel with major additions planned for the next week or two, before beginning to look at Linux 2.6.21. In a message to the kernel developers' mailing list, Morton indicated what some of the changes will be for 2.6.21. One change will be improvements to the KVM virtualization system, with an implementation of paravirtualization.