

Opinionated Installers

Anyone interested in hacking down the weeds on this?

<http://oxfordrepo.blogspot.com/2008/08/dspace-and-fedora-need-opinionated.html>

I think there are a few interesting aspects to this:

- What should go in a "default" install (db choice, security settings, ri on/off, etc)
- How do you put a proper .deb together for Fedora (manually)?
- How do you build a .deb automatically (so it can get easily updated per-release)?
- What kind of cookies?

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(see [mailing list thread](#))

Example software that has an ant target for building a .deb:

- JHL: <http://code.google.com/p/rdv/wiki/BuildingSourceCode>

Note: Some work has already been done in this area

- [Prepackaging Fedora Commons 2.2.1 for Debian Etch](#)