WIND RIVER LINUX 8 AND WORKBENCH ESSENTIALS

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Wind River® Linux 8 and Workbench Essentials course provides engineers with a fast, cost-effective way to acquire the skills necessary to configure and utilize components of Wind River Linux 8.

After this course, participants will be able to perform the following:

- Configure, build, and validate a Wind River Linux kernel and file system
- Use layers and templates effectively
- Install and build run-time and kernel packages
- Design, develop, debug, build, and test applications in a target-host development environment with Linux

PRODUCTS SUPPORTED

- Wind River Linux 8
- Wind River Workbench 4
- The following targets are available:
    - QEMU simulated target (Intel® x86-64)

COURSE FORMAT

- This four-day expert-led course consists of lectures and lab sessions.
- Attendees use Wind River Linux 8 to gain experience with the topics presented, using command-line interface techniques.
- Participants examine and exercise simulated and real hardware targets in hands-on labs.
- Participants receive individual guidance from an expert engineer who has extensive experience with Wind River technologies.

AUDIENCE

- Developers getting started with Wind River Linux
- New project members on teams already using Wind River Linux
- Managers who want to get a quick understanding of Workbench or Wind River Linux components
- Senior engineers or managers who want to evaluate Wind River Linux technology

Course title:	**Wind River Linux 8 and Workbench Essentials**
Duration:	Four days
Format:	Instructor-led lectures and hands-on lab sessions; instructor-led Live Remote delivery available
Content:	**Day 1:** Introduction to Embedded Linux; Wind River Workbench; Introduction to Wind River Linux
	Day 2: Target Management; Application Development; System Profiling and Analysis
	Day 3: Kernel Development; Software Management
	Day 4: Software Management (cont'd); Layers and Templates

PREREQUISITE SKILLS

- Basic understanding of operating systems and debugging techniques
- Understanding of makefiles
- Functional knowledge of Linux
- One year of C or C++ programming experience on Linux/UNIX

PREREQUISITE COURSES

- Introduction to Linux

RELATED COURSES

- Wind River Linux CLI Essentials
- Wind River Linux User Space Programming

SYLLABUS

Day 1

INTRODUCTION TO EMBEDDED LINUX

- Overview of Linux
- Linux boot process
- Linux user space
- Cross development
- Open source software licenses
- **LAB: Getting Started with the Wind River Linux Lab Environment**

WIND RIVER WORKBENCH

- Overview of Workbench
- Projects and resources
- Workspace
- Perspectives
- Working with projects
- Source control management
- **LAB: Getting Started with Workbench**
- **LAB: Working with Managed Build Projects**
- **LAB: Working with Makefile Projects**

INTRODUCTION TO WIND RIVER LINUX

- Overview
- Wind River Linux platform
- Creating a build environment
- Build environment structure
- Building target images
- Optimizing builds
- **LAB: Managing a Build Environment in Workbench**
- **LAB: Managing a Build Environment from the Command Line**
- **LAB: Managing a Multi-machine Build Environment from the Command Line**

Day 2

TARGET MANAGEMENT

- Hardware targets
- Cross development workflow
- Deploying to hardware targets

- Simulating a target with QEMU
- **LAB: Managing Simulated Targets in Workbench**
- **LAB: Managing Simulated Targets from the Command Line**

APPLICATION DEVELOPMENT

- Application development workflow
- Migrating applications to a build environment
- Application debugging
- **LAB: Building Applications from the Command Line**
- **LAB: Building Applications in Workbench**
- **LAB: Debugging Applications in Workbench**
- **LAB: Debugging a Program Crash in Workbench**

SYSTEM PROFILING AND ANALYSIS

- System Browser
- Memory Analyzer
- LTTng tracer
- System Viewer
- **LAB: Using the Memory Analyzer**
- **LAB: Using the CPU Profiler**
- **LAB: Profiling the System with LTTng**

Day 3

KERNEL DEVELOPMENT

- Configuring the kernel
- Building the kernel
- Kernel modules
- Kernel debugging
- **LAB: Developing the Kernel**
- **LAB: Managing Kernel Modules**
- **LAB: Developing Kernel Modules**
- **LAB: Configuring KGDB**
- **LAB: Debugging the Kernel with gdb**

SOFTWARE MANAGEMENT

- Overview
- Build lifecycle
- Managing packages
- Integrating new software
- Recipes

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Day 4

SOFTWARE MANAGEMENT(CONT'D)
- **LAB: Managing Packages**
- **LAB: Patching Packages**
- **LAB: Writing a Recipe**
- **LAB: Integrating New Applications**

LAYERS AND TEMPLATES
- Layers
- Anatomy of a layer
- Templates
- Layer and template processing
- **LAB: Creating Layers**
- **LAB: Managing Layers and Templates**

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