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ABSTRACT

Data reduction software is a powerful tool to help combat the onslaught of the data apocalypse. Most organizations are using data deduplication and compression of some form to reduce their storage footprint and control costs. We'll review how the technology works, discuss how to make the best use data reduction in the data center and explore solutions available today.

BIOGRAPHY

Louis Imershein is a Principle Product Manager at Red Hat, Inc. where he is responsible for Red Hat's open source data reduction technologies.

Louis joined Red Hat when they acquired the assets of Permabit Technology Corporation where he was Vice President of Product. At Permabit Louis defined requirements for proprietary high performance data deduplication and data compression software which was licensed to large data centers, storage manufacturers, and independent software vendors.

Prior to Permabit, Louis held positions at Sun Microsystems, StorageTek, Caldera Systems, and The Santa Cruz Operation. His career spans 30 years of experience in product management, software development and technical support.

A proud Banana Slug, Louis has a Bachelor's degree in Biological Science from the University of California, Santa Cruz.