# Chocolatey is The Package Manager for Windows

**Red Hat Software Partner**

**Partner Overview**

Chocolatey enables organizations to simplify Windows software management, through rapid creation, testing, and deployment of applications and critical updates. Organizations can easily automate their entire Windows software lifecycle.

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## Many organizations face the ongoing challenge of deploying and supporting various versions of Windows software

Chocolatey allows organizations to automate and simplify the management of their complex Windows environments. Our open source offering has attracted an extensive community with 990 million package downloads and 7,500+ packages.
Our commercial solution Chocolatey for Business (C4B) is built on open source offering with advanced functionality, best practices guides, dedicated support and trusted by hundreds of organizations. Our customers have experienced a massive reduction in effort, improved speed of deployment, and comprehensive reporting.

## Executive summary

System engineers spend hours deploying & configuring Windows software manually.
Traditional tools were not built for modern automation and a DevOps approach.
There are a lot of different installer formats and multiple approaches to deploying Windows software.
Deploying software without package management on Windows can be complicated and time-consuming.
Chocolatey simplifies this through a simple, repeatable, and automated approach, by using a universal packaging format for managing all Windows software.

## Product profile

Chocolatey for Business (C4B) is the enterprise offering that enables companies to adopt a DevOps approach to managing their Windows environment. Allowing organizations to deliver applications more reliably and faster.
With C4B you get all of the benefits of open source plus enhanced capabilities, integrations, and dedicated support.

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## Product benefits

Chocolatey for Business (C4B) is Complete Software Management. Focused on three value-added areas; improved security, enhanced productivity features, and enabling more visibility. All backed with dedicated support, services, & roadmap.
Closely aligned to organizational use cases, enabling a standardized, consistent, and scalable approach to Windows software management.

- **More visual interfaces (GUIs) & smoother user experience**
- **Easy migration path from open source**
- **Deep integration with leading technologies and best practices.**

## Use cases

Package Manager for Window that can be deployed anywhere you have Windows Server Automation & Management

- **DevOps, automation workflow, CI/CD**
- **Desktop / Endpoint software provisioning and updates**
- **Cloud & Containers**

## Statement from Chocolatey

*"We have seen a real shift in the Windows market. Largely driven by the inability of traditional tools to easily automate, and increased usage of PowerShell (Command Line approaches). We often hear that organizationsare keen to extend gains achieved from automating Linux environments to Windows. Much of Linux automation has already been enabled by Red Hat and Ansible, and now IT management is seeking to replicate this success into Windows environments.*
*Our partnership with Red Hat & Ansible will really help organizations deploy more software faster, in a simple, and scalable manner. Organizations will also benefit from leveraging our joint investments, as we continue to develop integrations and best practices."*

**Mukesh Sharma**
Co-Founder & COO

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