## A list of docs which it would be nice to release for elementary someday:

- Installation instructions and other necesseties
  - Jupiter's <u>User Guide</u> is great
    - Will add Pictures teemperor
- Release notes & technical FAQ (blacklisted AMD drivers, etc)
  - Started <u>here</u>, should be made into separate document
- Customization guide for adventurous end users
  - Because tinkerers stumbling in the dark, producing incomprehensibly ugly constructs and posting that to blogs as HOWTOs is the last thing we need
  - Started <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>, should be made into separate document.
    - Both are my documents, feel free to use any artwork/text from there for whatever you write teemperor
- Packaging overview for distros other than Ubuntu derivatives
  - Having our software in repos of other distros is a good thing we get free testing and occasionally bugfixes; it's also a bait for arch users whom we can convert into elementary OS developers:)
  - Started <u>here</u> but needs a rewrite
- Developer guide
  - Would be nice to publish it at least partially as soon as possible
  - Draft at <a href="http://tiny.cc/dev-quide-draft">http://tiny.cc/dev-quide-draft</a>
- Coding style
  - It's written and published!
- API reference for all in-house libraries
  - Granite
    - <a href="https://code.launchpad.net/~elementary-pantheon/granite/web-vala-docs">https://code.launchpad.net/~elementary-pantheon/granite/web-vala-docs</a>
    - Do we have the website infrastructure to host API reference for several versions concurrently?
    - It would also be nice to publish API reference for the unstable version
  - Contractor
    - We should document both the raw D-bus API and the Granite wrapper
    - Tutorials or code examples in addition to API reference would be useful
    - Not really documented anywhere except the code branch (as for the Vala rewrite at least)
  - Libpantheon libswitchboard
    - It might be a good idea to document the raw D-bus/Xembed APIs too but add a note that they may change
    - http://api.elementaryos.org/docs/apis/switchboard provides a good overview but the API reference is nowhere to be found
- API changelogs for all in-house libraries
  - Document all API changes: additions, removals, breakage
  - Perhaps can be automatically assisted using valadoc?
- Documentation on writing plugins for all in-house applications

- Scratch
- Pantheon Files
- Switchboard
- Midori
- Music (Noise)
- A guide for creating derivative distros (using Ubuntu Customization Kit)
  - Localized builds of elementary OS, special-use-case builds
  - o Perhaps UCK's own documentation can be reused
- A guide for creating large-scale derivative distros (seeds + Congrego)
  - elementary OS has a fast and lightweight platform which makes it much more appealing as a base for large-scale distros than Ubuntu
  - Seeds are documented <u>here</u>; we should add a section on Congrego or start a separate document describing it.
- Theming guide
  - o Document all custom CSS classes we introduced, preferably with screenshots
  - Link to other theming docs that apply to elementary OS, e.g. Metacity and Plank theming
- IRC
  - o A FAQ about our IRC-Channels Phillip
  - Guide for how-to-be-a-good-supporter teemperor
- Some basic guides like:
  - how to report a error on pastebin.com

## **Entries**

Link whatever you started here:

- Booting elementary on Macs <a href="here">here</a>. -- Linus Bobcat
- IRC-FAQ -- Phillip
- https://hackpad.comReporting-elementary-OS-bugs-FUZeBaYBosQ Reporting elementary OS bugs
- https://hackpad.com/Getting-in-touch-with-the-elementary-team-c2NFT7RS
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Getting in touch with the elementary OS team

• Resetting your password - teemperor

If you've been linked here from Teemperor's post in the Mailing List, be aware that entries have to be licensed in the Creative Commons 4.0 and not 2.0

- Linus Bobcat

## Dump from Shnatsel's google docs, as requested

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1KzzotAAb9L471PO17liojq7jmm47ky5ceFNnHu0u5lA/edit - performance optimization research

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1eOFGvLJ-Sr8Agj49wI7\_GTrm2NnT\_w1hN9I0DDIX\_7E/edit - desired kernel tweaks

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jyVcGH7w0sADE8wYecP\_NvD\_is1KZN--9If3DYZHual/edit - what is this I don't even

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1m0Q8M3\_nUbJLHWmGKnfpFbap-U1VnH8whXd4zUJsA4A/edit - just read it

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RPPF14h1Sw2gQjGTuZjUIINHnGrafS8ekhFjJM9MT00/edit - docs I wrote for large-scale ISO building, we use this

https://docs.google.com/document/d/16bUZqrSudIVt7Z7gAafS15U-ZlmvhdSMpLEL1wcatGg/edit - docs on package importing from Ubuntu we run

https://docs.google.com/document/d/10W8udXK-fumvnFlyLG1G27iUWKnTcCa-ck09tO\_OkdU/e dit - one of those design docs, I have a lot of them

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1\_w6-XBtr9qXXteytC9Mz0JqXZZoMsOPdfTDXVcoswUY/edit - research, not implemented

https://docs.google.com/document/d/16bUZqrSudIVt7Z7gAafS15U-ZImvhdSMpLEL1wcatGg/edit\_t - list of automated tasks and who runs them

https://docs.google.com/a/elementaryos.org/document/d/1Arjzzako5A0z3oEEmHSq7wHc76QtU 2Ae79KdLOyONtQ/edit - Cody's list of hacks and shortcomings in Isis compared to Luna. Not sure if maintained or not