Ubuntu 8.10 (Intrepid Ibex)
What’s New:

Gnome 2.24
X.Org 7.4
Linux 2.6.27
Encrypted Private Directory
Guest Sessions
Network Manager 0.7
“Last Successful Boot” failsafe
Dynamic Kernel Module Support
Samba 3.2
Gnome 2.24:

Nautilus now has tab support
Deskbar with many new tools
Better screen resolution prefs
Sound theme support
Digital television with GStreamer

Many bug fixes
X.Org 7.4:

Most users don’t need xorg.conf
More AMD/ATI Radeon support
Added support for new Intel chips
Support for more OpenGL extns
Faster startup/shutdown
Smarter, faster autoconfig
Encrypted Private Dir:

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sudo aptitude install ecryptfs-utils
ecryptfs-setup-private
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Sets up an encrypted directory
May be hidden from filesystem
Guest Users:

- Adds a temp password-less user
- Logs into new, unprivledged acct
- Locks existing login (ctrl-alt-f7)

Great for letting friend check email without wanting to give them access to your files or config
Network Manager 0.7:

- system-wide settings
- management of cellphone network
- multiple active devices at once
- management of PPP & PPPOE
- devices with static IP configs
- route management for devices
Last Successful Boot:

Can now boot into last working kernel after upgrade

Especially helpful for failed or bad updates (modules/etc)
DKMS (from Dell):

Modules can now be dynamically recompiled when kernel upgraded

Makes it much easier to support webcams, scanners, and wifi
Samba 3.2:

- clustered file server support
- encrypted network transport
- ipv6 support
- better integration with the latest version of Microsoft Windows
When?

Upgrade to the beta now!

From terminal (or alt+f2):
# update-manager -d

Official release October 30th
Update will appear on desktop
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