

Linux Candy: xcowsay ? displays a cow on your desktop with message

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If you spend all day embroiled in data science, learning a new programming language, sit in countless meetings wishing you were anywhere else, you'll need some light relief at the end of the day. And what better way by making your desktop environment a bit more fun.

You might have heard of cowsay, software that generates ASCII pictures of a cow with a message. cowsay isn't limited to cow depictions, it also shows other animals, including Tux the Penguin.

For this article, we're looking at a different take on cowsay. It goes by the name xcowsay. This program displays a cute graphical cow and speech bubble. The program was first started over 12 years ago, but it's still under active development, with a new release published only last week.

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