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## Open Source Web Project and Code Management Solutions You'd Pay For

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The recession is over (almost). No longer will you have to scarp for budget leftovers to fulfill your marketing or development obligations. Consumers will start buying again, filling the corporate coffers, enabling you to roll out new campaigns, applications and the creative that power and promote them as fast as you can dream them up. More ideas means more work though, so if you're as smart as we know you are, start thinking about how you will manage the endless stream of projects and tasks. Web Success Weekly to the rescue! Website Magazine's top open-source, Web-based project management software solutions are only a click away.

Project management software can be used to aid in planning, to foster organization and in short help manage (and ultimately complete) a variety of projects. Web-based PM software is accessed through a WAN/LAN using a Web browser, so if you've got a server and an affinity for open-source, these offerings will fit the bill. Think of them as SaaS with a twist - instead of software as a service (service being the operative word), consider it software as a salvation.

*Please note:* The Web is in no short supply of project management solutions and those listed below are only a sample. Other equally noteworthy offerings include [ProjectHQ](#), [eGroupWare](#), [KForge](#), and [OpenGoo](#) to name a few. Should you opt to get organized and start using a project management solution, we advise you do so thoughtfully by investigating the requirements and capabilities of each before investing your time installing and training users.

## Codendi

**Codendi:** An open-source collaborative development platform offered by Xerox which is positioned as a solution for software project management. Codendi is extremely useful for large, diverse work groups, providing all the needed tools for software development teams (tracking tools for bugs, test management tools, source control managers, document and deliveries manager, a Web Service API, etc.) There are also collaboration (wiki and a code snippet library) and communication tools (instant messaging, mail list manager, forums, news and RSS feeds) which make Codendi one of the best solutions on the market.

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