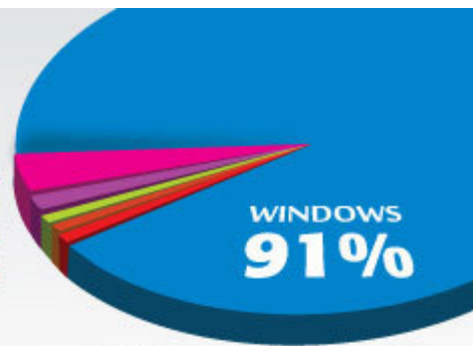


# the history of operating systems

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| MAC OS | 5%    |
| iOS    | 1.36% |
| Linux  | .93%  |
| Java   | .89%  |
| Other  | .77%  |



CURRENT OS MARKET SHARE

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1950  
1961

BESYS GMOS  
General Motors OS  
GM-NAA I/O UMES  
SHARE OS

The first operating system, GMOS, coordinated between jobs, created batches, and used a runtime library to simplify common commands. GMOS was created by General Motors for IBM.

"I don't think it's that significant."

- Tandy president John Roach on IBM's entry into the microcomputer field

1960  
1961

Atlas Supervisor IBSYS DOS/360  
EXEC I  
Master Control Program  
SABRE OS/360

Until 1966 a new OS was created for each new computer. With each new machine, programs and applications would have to be re-written. IBM changed the game by creating OS/360 for an entire line of computers.

Using a light-pen, in a pointer based system called Sketchpad, Ivan Sutherland created the grandfather of the mouse in 1962.

1970  
1976

CP/M PLATO VMS UNIX  
PARC

Unix developed among newly-hired AT&T engineers. Unable to use the mainframe computer, they developed their own operating system to run on a mini computer. Unix is now the backbone of Linux, Mac OS, and other