

2026

STATE OF JAVA

SURVEY & REPORT



JAVA'S ENDURING POWER IN THE ENTERPRISE

18%

USE JAVA 25, THE MOST RECENT LTS VERSION, ONLY WEEKS AFTER IT WAS RELEASED

92%

ARE CONCERNED ABOUT ORACLE JAVA PRICING

ORACLE JAVA MIGRATION

81%

ARE AT SOME STAGE OF MIGRATING ALL OR SOME OF THEIR ORACLE JAVA TO A NON-ORACLE OPENJDK DISTRIBUTION

84%

SAY THEIR MIGRATION TO OPENJDK WENT AS PLANNED OR MORE EASILY THAN EXPECTED

64%

BUILD MORE THAN 50% OF THEIR APPLICATIONS AND WORKLOADS WITH JAVA

JAVA AND AI

62%

USE JAVA TO CODE AI FUNCTIONALITY



30%

SAY MORE THAN HALF THE APPLICATIONS THEIR COMPANY BUILDS ARE CREATED WITH AI CODE-GENERATION TOOLS

31%

SAY MORE THAN HALF THE CODE THEY PRODUCE INCLUDES AI FUNCTIONALITY

JAVA'S ROLE IN THE CLOUD

43%

SAY JAVA WORKLOADS ACCOUNT FOR MORE THAN HALF THEIR CLOUD COMPUTE BILLS

56%

DEAL WITH CVES DAILY OR WEEKLY

97%

HAVE TAKEN ACTIONS TO REDUCE THEIR PUBLIC CLOUD COMPUTE COSTS

41%

USE A HIGH-PERFORMANCE JAVA PLATFORM TO REDUCE CLOUD COMPUTE COSTS

30%

SAY FALSE POSITIVES WASTE MORE THAN 50% OF DEVOPS' TIME

74%

HAVE MORE THAN 20% UNUSED CLOUD COMPUTE CAPACITY

