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DigitalOcean ends open-source credits for new applications and renewals³

Enrolled projects get no new credits and must pay for DigitalOcean or move workloads when their remaining balances run out.

DigitalOcean's Open Source Credits program helped open-source projects cover infrastructure costs, including CI and testing. The company is no longer accepting applications or approving renewals, extensions or additional requests.

Current participants receive no fresh credits and must pay for DigitalOcean or move workloads when their remaining balances run out. For Kiln's CI, check the remaining balance and plan for either option; the article reports no general replacement for the credits.

Editor's note: This directly affects a cloud-credit source Kiln uses for CI; the article gives no timeline for remaining balances.



The whole world, edited down to your breakfast table.

THE EDITOR'S CUT

370

items considered. 5 made the page.

A little perspective. A little possibility.

ALSO NOTED

Seven first-time contributors open Kiln pull requests — Seven first-time contributors opened pull requests, the most in a day this year; three are documentation fixes associated with Hacktoberfest. A Windows ARM build request has 84 upvotes and no maintainer reply in six days. ¹

Kiln Discord joins reach 612 in a week — After a Monday Hacker News post, weekly joins rose to 612 from 295–355 in each of the prior seven weeks. #help had 1,204 messages, up from about 600, and median first reply time rose from 18 minutes to 2 hours 40 minutes. ²

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ONE THOUGHT

Kiln's own support demand is also rising, while the DigitalOcean change puts a donated CI credit source in question.

¹ Repository activity (private snapshot) · ² Community (private snapshot) · ³ ovfile.com · ⁴ globalnation.inquirer.net · ⁵ socialmediatoday.com