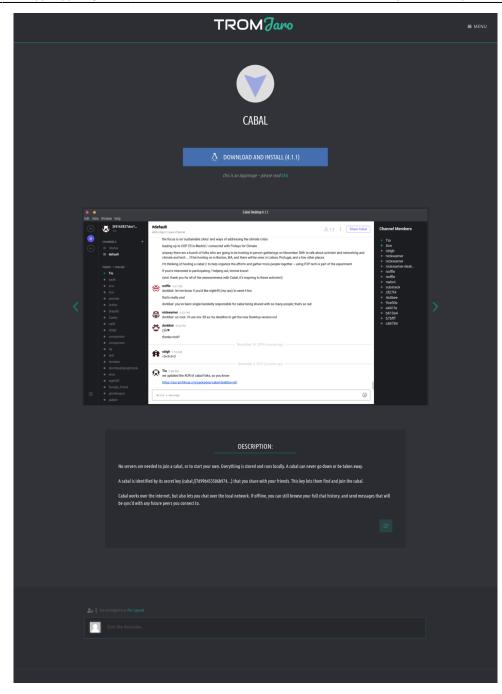
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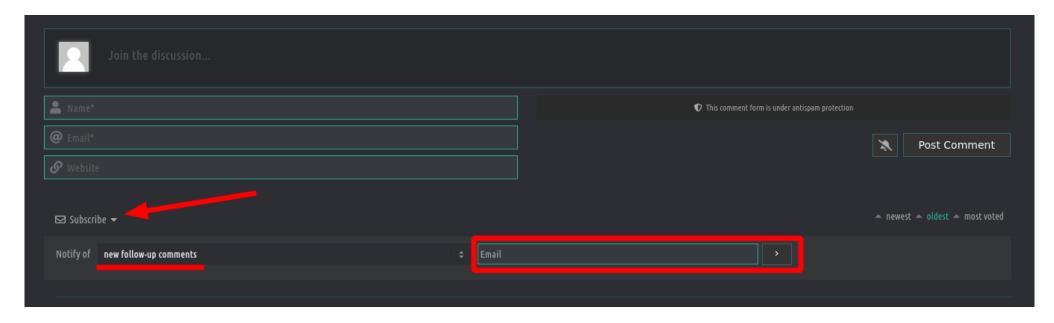


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So the only difference is the button's color (blue now) and the fact that we add the version of the Applmage to the button itself. This helps users keep track of the version. Underneath the button there's a text reminding people that this is a different kind of packaging and a link to this article.

How about the updates? It is great that in TROMjaro all updates are handled at once via the Add/Remove Software for the "normal" apps- But not for Applmages. In order to make it easy for people to handle Applmage updates we will keep an eye on every Applmage that we post in the APPS section and update the download button to the new version. If anyone wants to get an email every time an update is pushed to any Applmage from our APPS section, simply go to the comments section of the app and click "subscribe" + select "see follow-up comments". Add your email and that's it. You will get en email every time there is a new Applmage for that particular app.



Applmages will look and function the same way that any other apps do on TROMjaro. Adopting this contained packaging system allows us to recommend even more trade-free applications. But we would like to stop at this, since we do not want to create a monster out of TROMjaro. We think that a centralized way of installing and updating apps is the best and easiest. Applmages are disturbing a bit the TROMjaro waters, but it is a "compromise" we can accept. Maybe in the future we will find a way to only rely on the core "software center" in TROMjaro for installing applications. In any case, only a tiny percentage of the recommended apps will be Applmages.

So, embrace Applmages! They are great. They work. It is easy to install and remove them. And we keep an eye on the "updates" part and notify you about that.

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Linux apps that run anywhere

ApplmageHub - Here are 977 apps that you can run on Linux without installation. And counting

https://www.appimagehub.com/ - This catalog has 653 Applmages and counting. Applmages are self-contained apps which can simply be downloaded & run on any Linux distribution. For easy integration, download ApplmageLauncher.

NX Software Center - A portable Software Center for portable applications thanks to Applmage.

Pling-Store - Installer and Content Management App for OCS-compatible websites like pling.com, gnome-look.org, appimagehub.com, etc. It allows to download, install and apply desktop themes, icon themes, wallpapers, or mouse cursors directly under various desktop environments using the "Install"-button. 1)

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