

Desktop Working Group Summary

- 9.2 builds in progress now
- 10-STABLE builds coming soon
 - Will track 10-STABLE until 11-STABLE

PC-BSD changes

- Moved to a “rolling release” for -STABLE
- Leveraging freebsd-update for world / kernel
- Using pkgng for desktop bits
- ZFS specific integration with utils
- PEFS Integration
 - Provides user encryption of \$HOME with PAM authentication
- Improved ZFS installer support

In progress

- Committed to the ports tree:
 - sysutils/pcbsd-utils & sysutils/pcbsd-utils-qt4
 - Contains all PC-BSD developed tools and utils
 - CLI and GUI versions in respective packages
- Life-Preserver ZFS CLI / GUI
 - Still in heavy development
 - Leverages ZFS for snapshot / replication functionality as a backup solution

Plans for 10

- Updated PBI format
 - Using pkgng repo to build PBIs
 - Better integration for server PBIs
 - Investigating possibility to run PBIs without installation
- Text-Install front-end to pc-sysinstall
 - Basic at first, but will provide a CLI method of doing installation with pc-sysinstall backend