IBM Event Streams supports Linux on the IBM Z family

Overview

IBM(R) Event Streams is an event-streaming platform that is based on Apache Kafka. It helps you react to events in near real time for engaging client experiences. This update adds Linux(R) on IBM Z(R) to the existing set of platforms that are supported by Event Streams. You can now take advantage of existing IBM Z platform investment and extend your event backbone closer to your existing mainframe applications.

For additional information on Event Streams, see Software Announcement 218-357, dated July 24, 2018.

Key prerequisites

IBM Event Streams runs on a Linux 64-bit x86 platform or Linux on IBM Z.

Planned availability date

December 14, 2018: Electronic download

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Program number

Program number	VRM	Program name
5737-H33	2018.3.0	IBM Event Streams

Publications

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Technical information

Specified operating environment

Hardware requirements

IBM Event Streams requires the IBM Cloud™ Private platform that runs on Linux 64-bit (x86_64) operating system or Linux on IBM Z.

For specific hardware requirements, see IBM Cloud Private.

Software requirements

One of the following:

- Linux 64-bit x86 platform
- Linux on IBM Z

See IBM Event Streams requirements for other requirements.

Planning information

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