

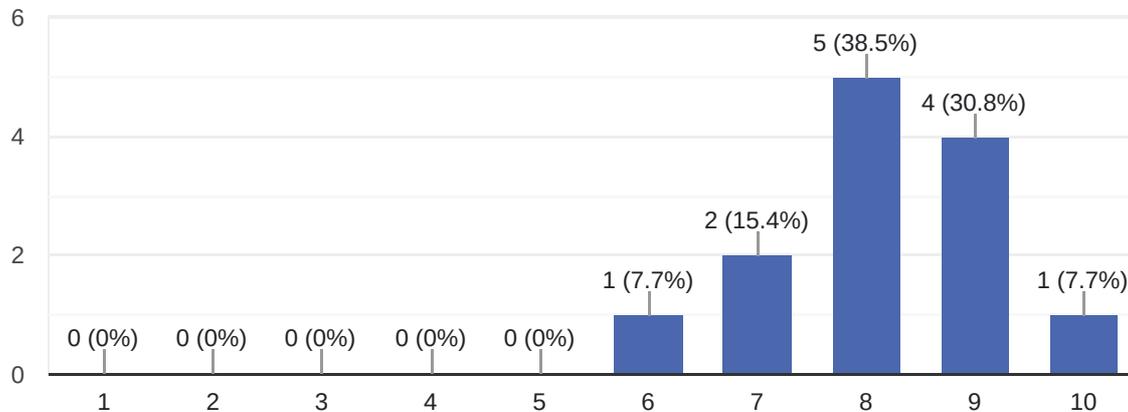
Bootlin training course evaluation

13 responses

Overall rating of the course



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Comments and suggestions

7 responses

Très intéressant, Olivier était très clair

Dense but efficient to know usable tools

Very interesting topic, well covered and detailed enough to hit the ground running on those subjects.

Small caveat : the introduction to many concepts at the start of the training may be a bit rough for novices, but I guess this training is not targeted at novices.

Nous n'avons pas pu réaliser les labs malheureusement à cause de souci de réseau/environnement : impossible de se connecter à la carte depuis la VM. Prévoir peut être un avertissement sur le type de machines à avoir pour un bon déroulé des labs

not enough practise, too many lectures

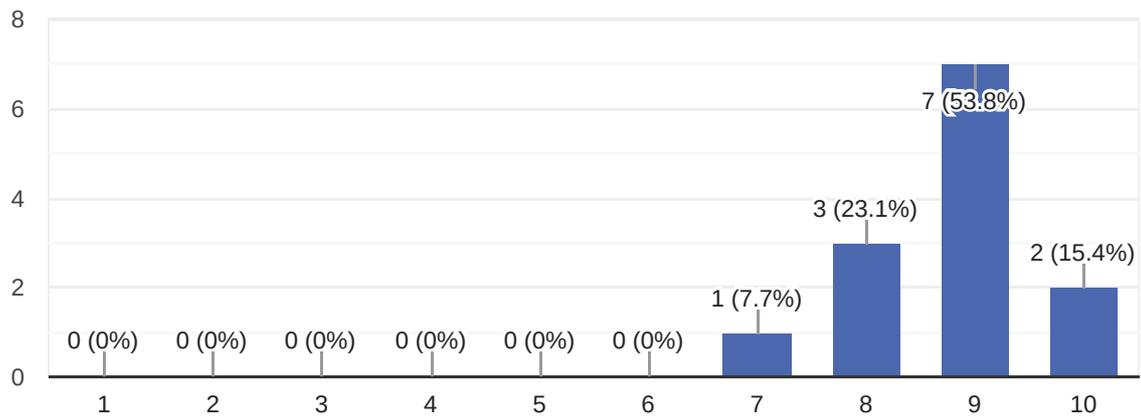
Trop rapide en deux jours pour assimiler la masse d'information, mais c'était très riche merci !

Très intéressant mais un peu dense sur 2 jours (après le fait que l'on ai eu des problèmes avec la VM entreprise n'a pas aidé...)

How useful were the lectures?



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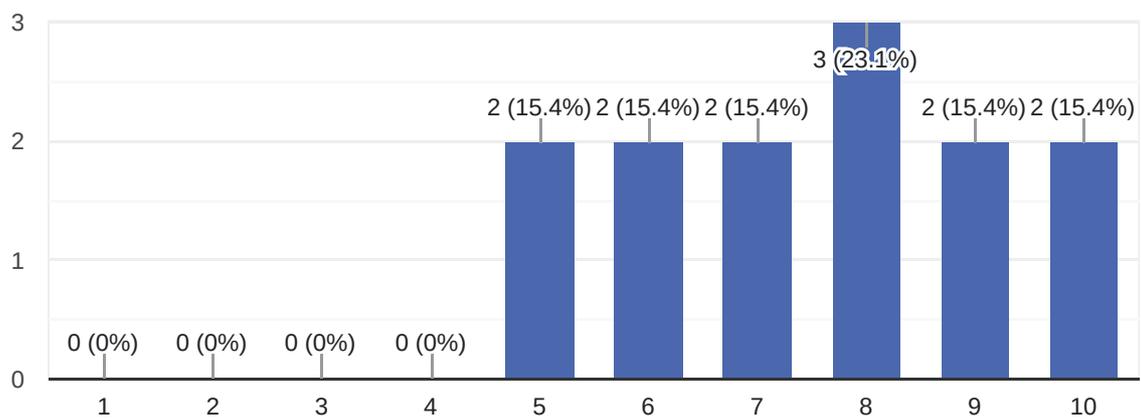
for me, more presentation and less practical labs could be better but I learn more with understanding than practical

The lectures slides are well made and usable even after the training which is a big plus.

How useful were the practical labs?



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I was part of one of the two groups that did not manage to set up the correct configuration using theCompany Ubuntu VM. It eventually worked fully, but only on the second day of the course at around 17:00. As a result, we mostly just "followed" the labs, which was not ideal; however, this was not a Bootlin issue but a Company one.

good : simple to do (with correct prerequisite). Could be more complex

The exercises are pretty good for trying your hand at various problems, but I still can't wrap my head around why this wasn't done directly in a VM.

I feel that the whole embedded linux thing could have been replaced by a simple virtual machine prepped in advance by the trainer and provided to the trainees.

This would have saved a lot of time at the start of the training and would have enabled individual completion of the labs exercises.

too short, don't spend enough time to practise

The schedule was tight and we haven't enough time to practice sometimes, moreover we were by group of two while we may have made the labs directly on the laptop (even if the trace and logs will be more complex)

Très utile pour comprendre vraiment l'intérêt de certains outils et commandes.

Unfortunately, and this is in no way related to the trainer or to Bootlin, our laptop models did not allow us to configure the image as required to communicate with the target and to carry out the practical activities under normal conditions.

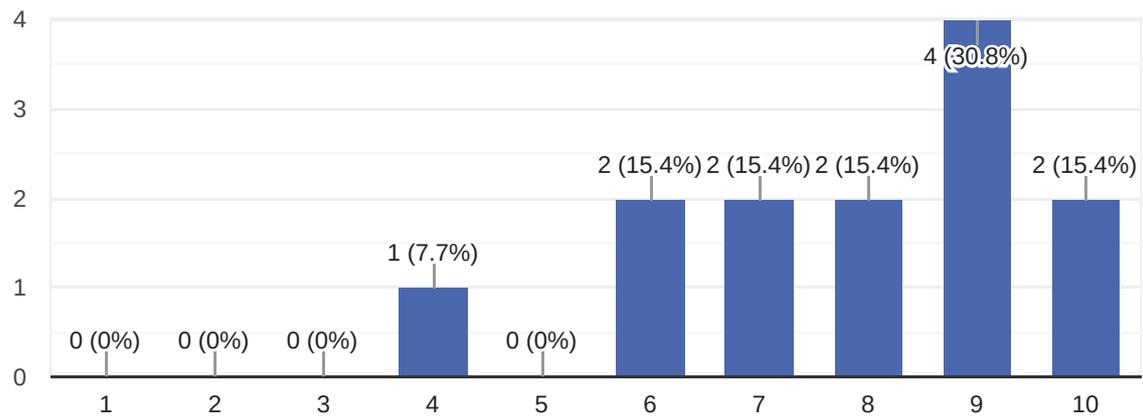
Difficulté de mise en place dans l'environnement de travail EntrepriseWindows + VirtualBox)

J'aurais bien aimé les faire, mais malheureusement la VM fourni par notre entreprise ne nous l'a pas permis. par contre de voir la mise en pratique en "corrigé" montre bien l'utilité pratique des TP

How would you rate the overall organization of the course?



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good but I am disappointed that our Company requested a shortened training program

Pretty decent considering the issues that were encountered (The Company's IT related incidents and hurdles can be a bit much to deal with).

C'est bien qu'on ait des instructions de prépa avant le cours par contre ça ne va pas jusqu'au bout et ne nous permet pas de résoudre tous les pbs auxquels on peut être confrontés durant la prep (notamment sur l'install de la VM de notre société)

Spend too many times in labs installation (more than one hour, and it does not work for all attendees)

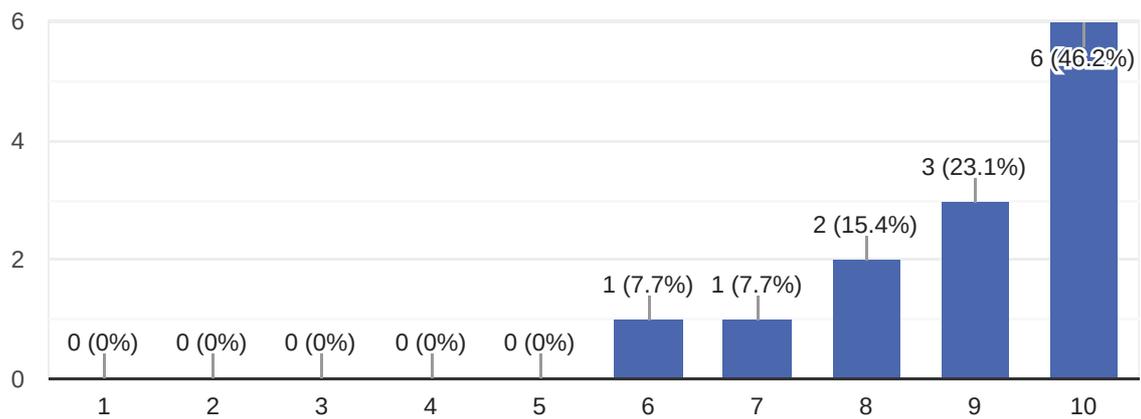
Mauvaise organisation en terme d'outils, mais plus de la part de notre entreprise. Il faudrait vraiment prévenir qu'il y a beaucoup de problèmes avec le réseau interne quitte à avoir un propre PC dédié pour faire les TP. Car beaucoup de temps perdu pour configurer le pc juste pour pouvoir se connecter à la carte électronique utilisée pendant la formation.

See previous remark about communication with target. Besides, no possibility to check before the session that we will be able to communicate with the target.

How would you rate the trainer?



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Affordable, very friendly and competent. Good teacher

The trainer was very knowledgeable and did a good job of teaching what he knew about the training's topic. He was also nice and forthcoming during the breaks and the labs exercises.

faire attention parfois une baisse de la voix sur les fins de phrases

Speak too fast, spend many time in lectures

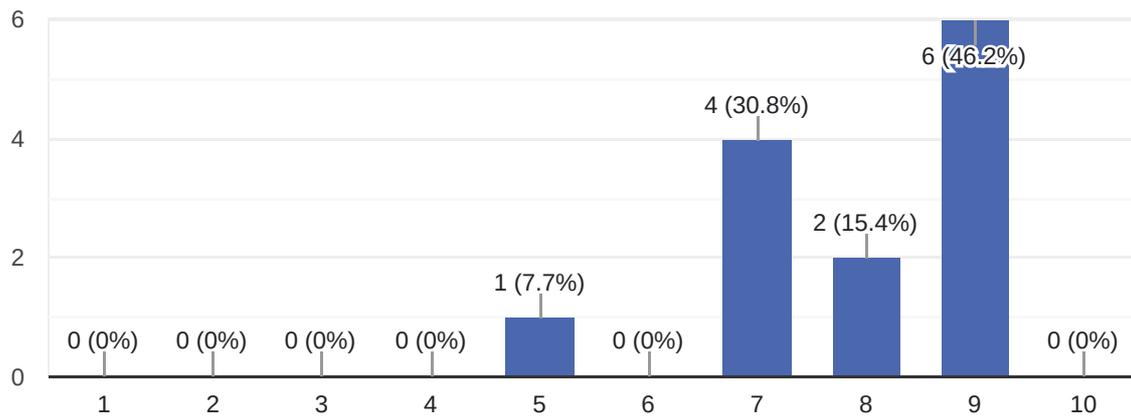
very good

The trainer is clearly passionate and highly experienced, which makes it possible to explore many topics in real depth. If I may share a small piece of feedback, it would simply be to remain facing the room throughout the explanations, so that the voice stays fully audible for everyone.

How did the course meet your learning objectives?



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I didn't have any clearly defined learning objectives when I started this training.

I had more expectation until knowing what my company asked to remove

Overall I am pretty satisfied with what I learned from the training.

It could be better if there was more practical labs

Avoir des infos plutôt sur le debugging du kernel. Apparemment cela a été supprimé de la formation, dommage...

What part(s) of the course did you like most?

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All the theoretical parts of the training, with the detailed explanations about how the kernel works, including the rationale behind it and the related anecdotes.

MMU and memory management

The labs exercises, because I need to apply what I learned to actually remember it.

the whole course is well construct, it was a shame that the kernel debugging was evicted but it's not Bootlin fault, I prefer the tracing and profiling because it'll be the most useful for us in our day-to-day job

La partie sur GDB, le debugging et les TP.

Optimisation du cache, analyse de crash

les explications sur comment fonctionne la mémoire, les process et le scheduling

What part(s) of the course did you like least?

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The parts of the labs where we went very deep into the detailed workings of a specific tool: since I'm not likely to use it again in the coming weeks or months, by the time I actually need it, I will probably have forgotten most of the information. In the end, the only thing that will really remain useful is simply knowing that the tool exists and having a general idea of what it is used for.

profiling because not really useful for my job and difficult to apply

Nothing really, if anything the rythm of the training was a little bit rough (I feel like this could have been done over 2.5 days to have more time on the exercises).

lectures

the debug part was intersting but we'll use it less in our production environment

Peut-être les slides sur les probes et leurs intérêts.

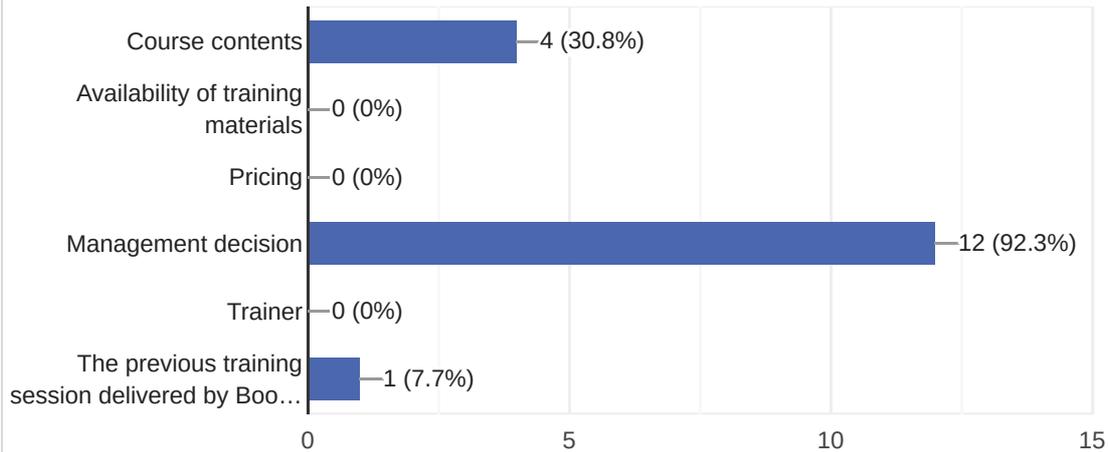
Visualisation de l'utilisation mémoire (Massif), difficile à interpréter

la partie pratique a cause de la nos VM...

What reasons prompted you to choose a Bootlin course?



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Thank you for the training ! :)

Merci beaucoup, c'était intéressant et cela a démystifier Linux à mes yeux.

Très bon cours et bien présenté. Peut-être un peu trop dense par rapport a mon profil, mais très intéressant.

Further training needs?

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network training

I'm personally interested by several (yocto & buildroot) but it won't be possible in a short term

linux optimisation (boot time, efficiency...)

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