

## Audacious - OLD, PLEASE USE GITHUB DISCUSSIONS/ISSUES - Feature #349

### RFE: Install an AppData file

September 27, 2013 17:14 - Michael Schwendt

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	September 27, 2013
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>		<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	3.6		
<b>Affects version:</b>			
<b>Description</b> Proposal: AppData files in all application packages? <a href="https://lists.fedoraproject.org/pipermail/devel/2013-September/188799.html">https://lists.fedoraproject.org/pipermail/devel/2013-September/188799.html</a>  [...]  <a href="http://people.freedesktop.org/~hughsient/appdata/">http://people.freedesktop.org/~hughsient/appdata/</a> <a href="https://github.com/hughsie/appdata-tools">https://github.com/hughsie/appdata-tools</a> <a href="https://github.com/hughsie/fedora-appstream/tree/master/appdata-extra">https://github.com/hughsie/fedora-appstream/tree/master/appdata-extra</a>			

### History

#### #1 - September 27, 2013 21:29 - John Lindgren

From what I can see, this XML file would only be used by Fedora and specifically by GNOME Software on Fedora. Is that correct?

#### #2 - September 27, 2013 22:00 - Michael Schwendt

No. It is related to AppStream, which is a cross-distro effort. The metadata is DE-agnostic, so it's not specific to the GNOME Software Center (aka "gnome-software") that is being developed.

#### #3 - September 28, 2013 00:28 - John Lindgren

"Cross-distro effort" sounds like a PR buzzword to me, but regardless, if you want to write such a file, it could go under contrib/.

#### #4 - September 28, 2013 12:04 - Michael Schwendt

That may be true, but actually there have been/are other dists involved, and Fedora is late in the game:

<http://blog.tenstral.net/2013/05/packagekit-appstream-and-linstaller-a-status-report.html>

Creating such a file from the example is simple. It would be more beautiful with an official screenshot and an updatecontact address. There's no need to rush IMO.

#### #5 - November 03, 2013 14:16 - Michael Schwendt

This is what I've added today:

<http://pkgs.fedoraproject.org/cgit/audacious.git/plain/audacious.appdata.xml>

Note that I have not specified an upstream contact email address and have not enabled the upstream screenshot.

#### #6 - January 22, 2015 17:49 - Thomas Lange

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Target version set to 3.6

Thanks for the template Michael.

I have updated it to comply with the latest specification and added three screenshots.

<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious/commit/62ef6272fbd088993d96c67f7f04f784bf755d88>