

OSPO adoption is still highest in the tech industry,

but the public sector and education are coming on strong



Those saying the

OSPO is very or extremely critical to the success of engineering

or product teams rose from 54% to **63%** in the last year



The professionalization of OSPOs continues,

with **58%** of OSPOs being formally structured, up from 54%



51% said an **increase in funding for their open source initiatives**

is very or somewhat likely this fiscal year

77% of respondents said their **open source program had a positive impact** on their company's software practices



63% of respondents planning to create an OSPO are **expected to initiate the process within a year**

35% of OSPOs are located in Software Engineering and Development departments, and another 18% are within the Office of the CTO



Established OSPOs highlighted improved code quality and examples in which the CI/CD pipeline has been leveraged

More awareness of "open source use and commercial dependencies"

and "Increased innovation" remain as the top areas where an org benefits from an OSPO

