Building a Better Browser Engine on GitHub

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About Me

- DevOps at **moz://a**
 - Rust
 - •Servo
 - •VR+AR
- Opinions mine, not theirs
- FOSS background, OSUOSL

- Thanks octodex.github.com!

About You

- Software users?
- Software contributors?
- Software maintainers?





- Community FOSS?
- Enterprise FOSS?
- Enterprise proprietary?

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Projects with the most reviews

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| * | KUBERNETES/KUBERNETES | 1 | 680 |
| È | HOMEBREW/HOMEBREW-CORE | ! | 580 |
| A | ANSIBLE/ANSIBLE | ļ | 550 |
| | NODEJS/NODE | | 480 |
| ** | NIXOS/NIXPKGS | | 480 |
| ļ | APACHE/SPARK | | 450 |
| B | RUST-LANG/RUST | : | 390 |
| S | SYMFONY/SYMFONY | : | 340 |
| F | TENSORFLOW/TENSORFLOW | : | 340 |

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rust-lang.org

- Safe, concurrent, fast
- Systems programming, fewer footguns
- Hack Without Fear



Community

"The Rust community seems to be populated entirely by human beings. I have no idea how this was done."

http://scattered-thoughts.net/blog/2015/06/04/three-months-of-rust/



Conduct

- "Please be kind and courteous."
- "Please keep unstructured critique to a minimum"
- Dedicated moderation team
- "We will exclude you from interaction if you insult, demean or harass anyone"

https://www.rust-

Communication



- Weekly updates
- Mandatory RFC process
- Consistent PR review
- Distributed team & public discussions







http://lucywyman.me/servo.org/static/img/doge-servo.jpg

Ten most-discussed repositories



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|---|--------------------|---------|-------|
| | KUBERNETES/KUBER | NETES 3 | 88.1K |
|) | OPENSHIFT/ORIGIN | | 91.1K |
|) | CMS-SW/CMSSW | | 80.1K |
| | MICROSOFT/VSCODE | | 78.7K |
| | RUST-LANG/RUST | | 75.6K |
|) | DOTNET/COREFX | | 75.2K |
| | TGSTATION/TGSTATIO | IN | 74.8K |
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NET



SERVO/SERVO

NODEJS/NODE



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66.3K

54.9K

53.9K





Servo.org ~12 full-time engineers

- ~612 code contributors
- ~21k commits into servo/servo
- ~4% of contributors, ~25% of commits from @mozilla.com



https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Foundation-M2325.jpg



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Servo's Success Strategies

- What?
- Why?
- How did we?
- How can you?

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Why GitHub? (2012)

- Adequate functionality
- Easy for developers
- Extensible
- Everyone has accounts





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- http://graydon.livejournal.com/186550.html



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Bors & Homu

- "Would the tests pass if we landed this?"
- Github.com/servo/homu



Write tests.



Run the tests.



Use the results.



Protect branches.

Branch protection for master

Protect this branch

Disables force-pushes to this branch and prevents it from being deleted.

Require status checks to pass before merging

Choose which status checks must pass before branches can be merged into **master**. When enabled, commits must first be pushed to another branch, then merged or pushed directly to **master** after status checks have passed.

Include administrators

Enforce required status checks for repository administrators.

Require branches to be up to date before merging

This ensures the branch has been tested with the latest code on master.

Status checks found in the last week for this repository

continuous-integration/travis-ci

Save changes
Automatically maintain a repository of code that always passes all the tests

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🖞 Pull requests 0

Projects 0

🔲 Wiki Insights Settings

> New issue Edit

Please add a LICENSE file #3

() Open edunham opened this issue on Jun 4, 2015 · 0 comments

| | edunham commented on Jun 4, 2015 | Assignees | ¢ |
|--|---|---|----|
| | The repo is public, but it's not easy to find out how I'm allowed to use or share the code. | No one—assign yourself | |
| | Could you add a LICENSE file to make it easier for users to understand how you'd like it to be used? | Labels | ₽ |
| | http://choosealicense.com/ might be helpful here. | None yet | |
| | Thanks! | Projects | ₽ |
| | | None yet | |
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| | Leave a comment | Notifications | |
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| | Styling with Markdown is supported Close issue Comment | 1 participant | |
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Highfive the Robot



highfive commented 12 hours ago

Heads up! This PR modifies the following files:

- @asajeffrey: components/webdriver_server/keys.rs
- @paulrouget: ports/glutin/window.rs, ports/glutin/Cargo.toml



highfive commented 12 hours ago

Member +

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Member

▲ Warning ▲

- These commits modify unsafe code. Please review it carefully!
- These commits modify style, layout, gfx, and script code, but no tests are modified. Please consider adding a test!

> 🖾 highfive added the S-awaiting-review label 12 hours ago

File → Discuss → Implement

Use Issue & PR Templates.

Please review the guidelines for contributing to this repository.

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Enable notifications.

| Server |
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| irc.freenode.net |
| Port |
| 6667 |
| Room |
| #any-channel-name-you-can-imagine |

Manage expectations.



Categorize issues.

| Labels | Milestones | New label |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|--|
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Value mentorship.





https://www.flickr.com/photos/usdagov/5908589011

The next slide has a picture that people who hate bugs will not want to look at. Look away now.

Bite Sized Bugs

https://c1.staticflickr.com/9/8254/8707578292_c1875103c0_b.jpg

Starters.servo.org

Servo Starters

Contributing to Mozilla Servo is fun!

Sometimes it's hard to know where to get started, though. *Servo Starters* is a list of easy tasks that are good for beginners to rust or servo.

Issue tags are explained here.

To help find issues that follow your interests, make sure to look over our list of tags

If you want to work on an issue, make sure to claim it by commenting on it before working on it! Check out our **CONTRIBUTING.md** for more helpful tips on how to contribute to Servo.

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Language: rust

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Area: content/script

Area: content/css

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Meaningful mission



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practice with common FOSS technologies with our training missions »

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browse tasks across open source by skill, difficulty, or project »

Get help

ask us questions about finding projects and contributing »

Add your project

use this site to make your favorite project more welcoming »

Offer Internships.



Outreachy.org



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