



# You think you're not a target? A tale of 3 developers...

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< zed0> can you get cp to give a progress bar like wget?

Damn right you can.

```
#!/bin/sh
cp_p()
{
  strace -q -ewrite cp -- "${1}" "${2}" 2>&1 \
  | awk '{
    count += $NF
    if (count % 10 == 0) {
      percent = count / total_size * 100
      printf "%3d%% [" , percent
      for (i=0;i<=percent;i++)
        printf "="
      printf ">"
      for (i=percent;i<100;i++)
        printf " "
      printf "]\r"
    }
  }
  END { print "" }' total_size=$(stat -c '%s' "${1}") count=0
}
```

In action:

```
% cp_p /mnt/raid/pub/iso/debian/debian-2.2r4potato-i386-netinst.iso /dev/null
76% [=====> ]
```

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8	9	3	7	2	1	5	4	6
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5	4	9	3	6	7	8	2	1
1	7	6	2	8	5	4	9	3

Sudoku Solver in PostScript



**Three developers...**



Alice





***My Awesome Software***

**Download Source**

or

**Download .exe / .deb / .rpm**

Bob



A woman with long dark hair, wearing a blue long-sleeved top, is sitting up in a bed with white linens. She is smiling slightly. The room is dimly lit with warm, yellow light from bedside lamps. The headboard is dark wood. A silver pitcher is visible on a table in the foreground. The name 'Eve' is overlaid in white text on the woman's chest.

Eve

Eve





Health

## The solution? NHS cyber-attack: Amber Rudd says lessons must be learnt

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🕒 8 hour

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past

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# How does this help?

Alice: Blackmail will be discovered

Bob: Tampered servers will be discovered

Carol: Tampered laptop will be discovered

**Removes incentive to attack in the first place**

**“Reproducible” builds allows verification  
that no flaws have been introduced during  
the compilation process**



"Builds with the same dependencies"... ✘

"Reliable" builds... ✘

**Identical build results**

```
# sha1sum ./my-binary
```

```
Alice      7a482b984883990bd4ab2ac5985630886cc252c
```

```
Bob        7a482b984883990bd4ab2ac5985630886cc252c
```

```
Carol      d0f65b7de7a49e818b8095538d3a0f783cc9c27
```

**Wait, software isn't  
reproducible already?**

Timestamps

Timezones & locales

Dictionary/hash/database ordering

Build paths

Users, groups, umask, environment variables

Build parallelism

Non-deterministic file ordering

**Technical advantages**

Easier to test changes — minimal diffs

Detect corrupted build environments

Cache ratio — save time, money & CO<sub>2</sub>

Finds bugs!

# Predictable OpenID secret

```
# Build.PL
$build->config_data(OpenIDConsumerSecret=>int(1e15*rand()));

# /usr/share/perl5/GBrowse/ConfigData.pm
{
  'OpenIDConsumerSecret' => '639098210478536',
  'cgibin' => '/usr/lib/cgi-bin/gbrowse',
  'conf' => '/etc/gbrowse',
  [...]
},
```

Every installation shares the same secret!

[bugs.debian.org/833885](https://bugs.debian.org/833885)

# Random characters in manpages

-This manual page documents the usage of WikipediaFS.  
+This manual page documents the usage of WikipediaFS.

```
memcpy(&buf[1], &buf[2], strlen(buf)-1);
```

memcpy(3): The memory areas must not overlap

" n\\011" → "\\111" → maps to capital "I"

- memcpy(&buf[1], &buf[2], strlen(buf)-1);  
+ memmove(&buf[1], &buf[2], strlen(buf)-1);

[bugs.debian.org/842635](https://bugs.debian.org/842635)



# Fails to build 0.46% of the time

```
x = f(u('abc'), 16)
y = f(u('abc'), 16)
self.assertEqual(sorted(set(x)), [u('a'), u('b'), u('c')])
```

```
AssertionError: Lists differ: [u'a', u'b'] != [u'a', u'b', u'c']
```

$$({}_3C_2) * (2/3)^{16} - ({}_3C_1) * (1/3)^{16} \approx 0.46\%$$

[bugs.debian.org/844233](https://bugs.debian.org/844233)

The Debian logo, a red spiral, is positioned behind the text.

# Debian & reproducible builds

# Test framework

Time & date

Hostname & domain name

Filesystem (disorderfs)

Timezone & locale

uid & gid

Kernel & CPU type

First rebuild in 2013

24% packages reproducible

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March 2018

93% packages reproducible

# Reproducibility status for packages in 'unstable' for 'amd64'



reproducible other  
unreproducible untested  
FTBFS

2015-02-08 2015-04-14 2015-06-18 2015-08-22 2015-10-26 2015-12-30 2016-03-04 2016-05-08 2016-07-12 2016-09-15 2016-11-19 2017-01-23 2017-03-29 2017-06-02 2017-08-06 2017-10-10

A red spiral graphic, resembling a stylized 'e' or a similar character, is positioned behind the text. It starts from a central point and winds outwards in a clockwise direction, with a slight 3D effect and a dark red color.

**[isdebianreproducible.net.com](http://isdebianreproducible.net.com)**

# Beyond Debian...

coreboot, Fedora, LEDE, OpenWRT, NetBSD, FreeBSD, Archlinux, Qubes, F-Droid, NixOS, Guix, etc.

Other projects now using Debian's testing framework

Reproducible Builds summits (Athens, Berlin)

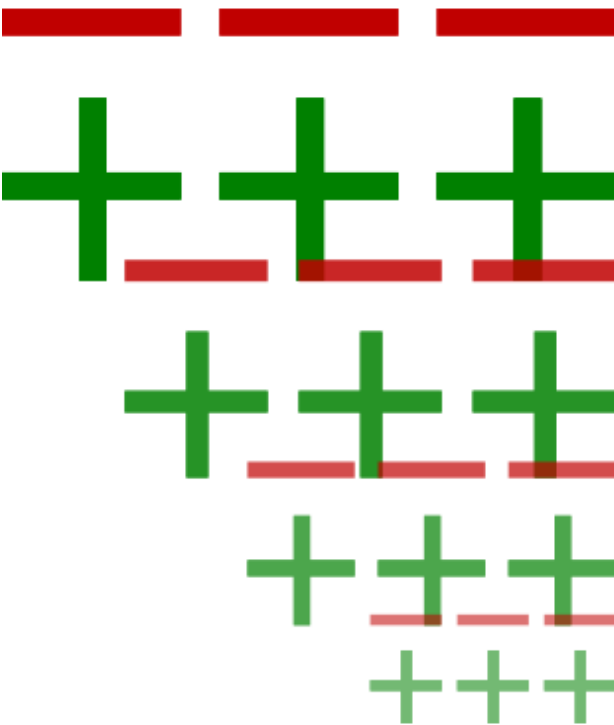
```
# diff -urNad file1 file2
--- file1  2017-06-18 12:37:03.179186661 +0800
+++ file2  2017-06-18 12:37:04.811193648 +0800
@@ -1 +1 @@
-This is the first file.
+This is the second file.
```



# diffoscope

in-depth comparison of files, archives, and directories

*diffoscope* will try to get to the bottom of what makes files or directories different. It will recursively unpack archives of many kinds and transform various binary formats into more human readable form to compare them. It can compare two tarballs, ISO images, or PDF just as easily.



```
51431INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13611); 51438INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13542);
51432INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13611); 51439INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13542);
51433[ 9300 lines removed ] 51440[ 9314 lines removed ]
60733CREATE TABLE git_commit 60754CREATE TABLE git_commit
60734..... (git_commit TEXT); 60755..... (git_commit TEXT);
60735INSERT INTO "git_commit" VALUES('cd09f0bc2161a 60756INSERT INTO "git_commit" VALUES('e78fe5d803208
881206b848eaab3b14d35fe3044'); 60757INSERT INTO "git_commit" VALUES('bf6c877dc675c0b4f15719e7519');
60736COMMIT; 60757COMMIT;
```

```
install.rdf
Offset 5, 15 lines modified
5 .....<description about="urn:mozilla:install-
manifest">
6 .....<em:name>HTTPS-Everywhere</em:name>
7 .....<em:creator>Mike Perry, Peter Eckersley,
&amp; Yan Zhu</em:creator>
8 .....<em:aboutURL>chrome://https-everywhere/
content/about.xul</em:aboutURL>
9 .....<em:id>https-everywhere@eff.org</em:id>
10 .....<em:type>2</em:type><!-- type:
Extension -->
11 .....<em:description>Encrypt the Web!
Automatically use HTTPS security on many sites.
</em:description>
```

```
51438INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13542);
51439INSERT INTO "targets" VALUES('ttu.ee',13542);
51440[ 9314 lines removed ]
60754CREATE TABLE git_commit
60755..... (git_commit TEXT);
60756INSERT INTO "git_commit" VALUES('e78fe5d803208
bf6c877dc675c0b4f15719e7519');
60757COMMIT;
```

```
control.tar.gz
- edSignatures
- Files in package differs

data.tar.xz
./usr/lib/aspell/de_affix.dat
@ -1.11 +1.11 @@
# this is the affix file of the de_DE
# derived from the Igerxan08 dictiona
#
-# Version: 20131206 (build 20150801)
+# Version: 20131206 (build 20150802)
#
# Copyright (C) 1998-2011 Bjoern Jack
#
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# versions using the GPL may only inc
./usr/share/aspell/de-common.cwl.gz
- metadata
```

<https://diffoscope.org/>

```
├─ aspell-de_20131206-5_all.deb
│  └─ metadata
│     rw-r--r-- 0/0      4 Jun 11 16:19 2014 debian-binary
│     -rw-r--r-- 0/0    2893 Jun 11 16:19 2014 control.tar.gz
│     -rw-r--r-- 0/0  329600 Jun 11 16:19 2014 data.tar.xz
│     +rw-r--r-- 0/0    2875 Jun 11 16:19 2014 control.tar.gz
│     +rw-r--r-- 0/0  329596 Jun 11 16:19 2014 data.tar.xz
│  └─ control.tar.gz
│     └─ control.tar
│        └─ md5sums
│           └─ Files in package differ
├─ data.tar.xz
│  └─ data.tar
│     └─ ./usr/lib/aspell/de_affix.dat
│        #
│        -# Version: 20131206 (build 20150801)
│        +# Version: 20131206 (build 20150802)
│        #
│     └─ ./usr/share/aspell/de-common.cwl.gz
│        └─ metadata
│           -gzip compressed data, last modified: Sat Aug  1 18:21
│           +gzip compressed data, last modified: Sat Aug  1 18:24
```

[try.diffoscope.org](http://try.diffoscope.org)

**Future work**

Source code remains vulnerable

Communicating concept to end-users?

Mandating Debian packages be reproducible?

# Get involved!

Fix: Bugs and toolchain issues!

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*Thank you!*



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