

Haskell for Everyone: Hackage and The Haskell Platform



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Haskell Platform

Hackage

Hackage Results

- Total Hackage downloads : 1.22 million (+82k)
- Total Packages on Hackage : 1524 packages
- Total Contributors : 415 developers
- Over 80 thousand downloads in August
- Hackage now links to distro packages where available

Top 20 Haskell Apps on Hackage

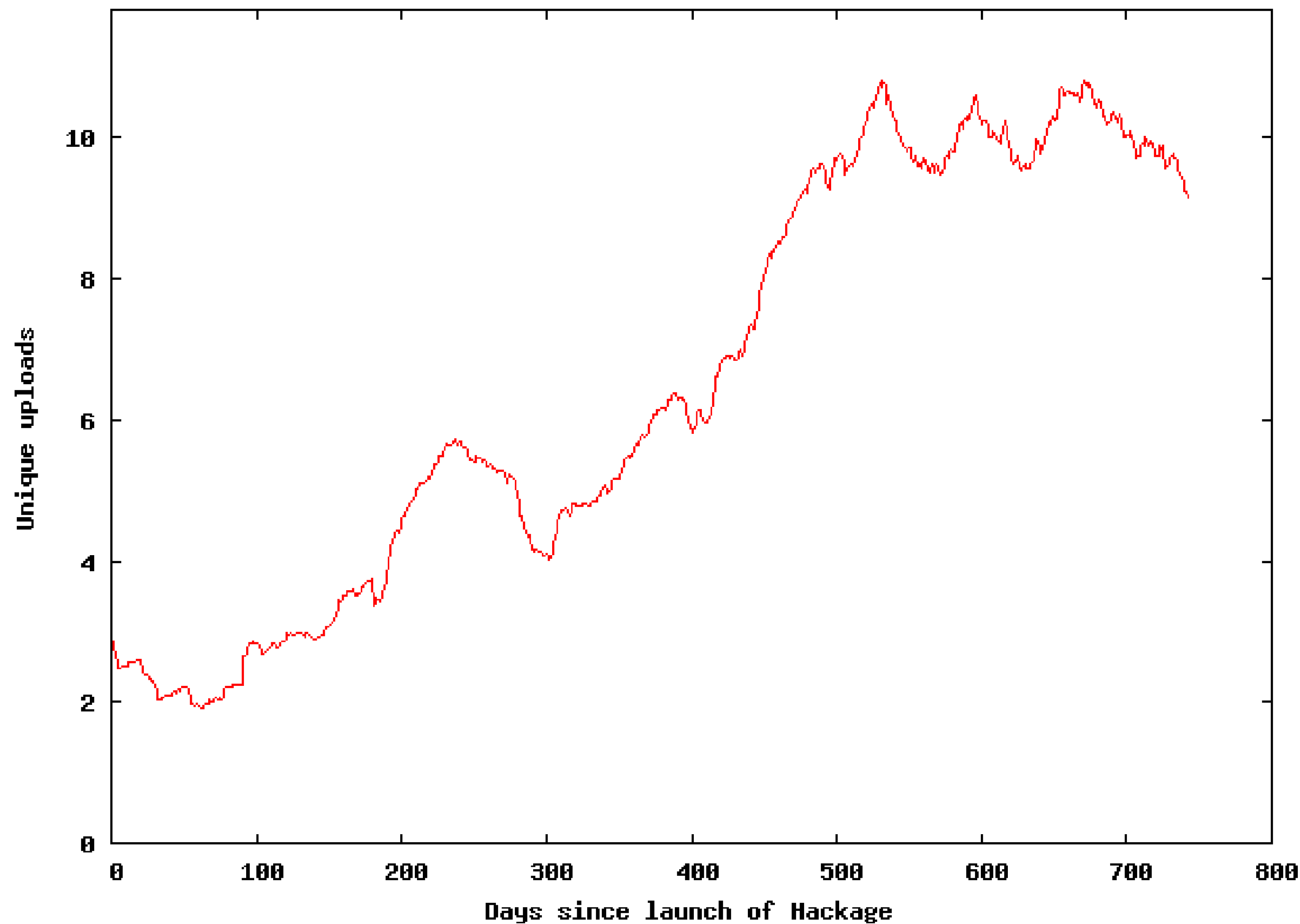
xmonad, haddock, cpphs, hscolour,
cabal-install, yi, darcs, happy,
pandoc, xmonbar, leksah, alex,
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cabal2arch, happs-tutorial, uuagc,
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Top 20 Haskell Libs on Hackage

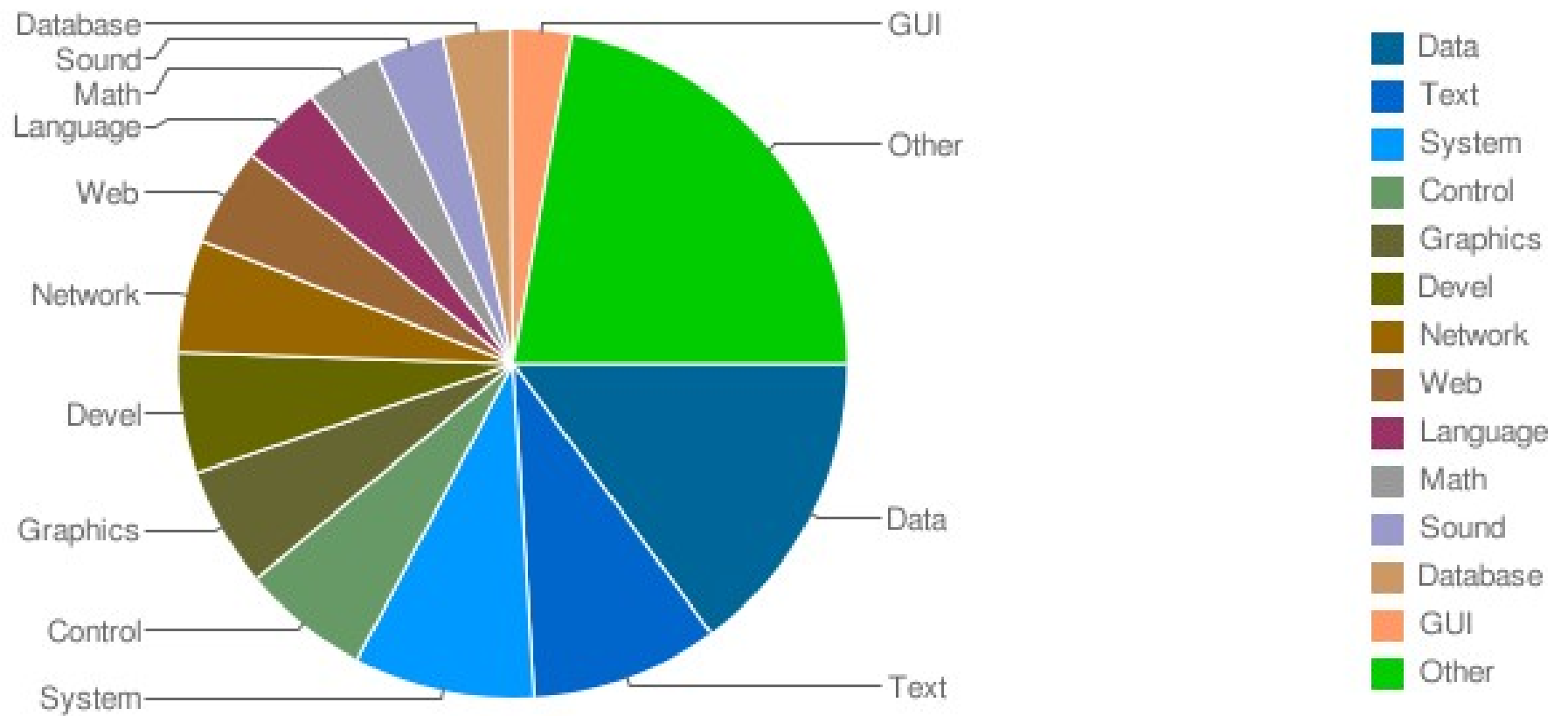
HTTP, zlib, binary, utf8-string,
haskell-src-extensions, QuickCheck, ghc-
paths, OpenGL, HaXml, GLUT,
pureMD5, time, terminfo, parsec,
X11, regex-base, network, uniplatte,
unix-compat, transformers

[http://galois.com/~dons/hackage/september-2009/
august-popularity.html](http://galois.com/~dons/hackage/september-2009/august-popularity.html)

Daily uploads (90 day moving average) to <http://hackage.haskell.org>

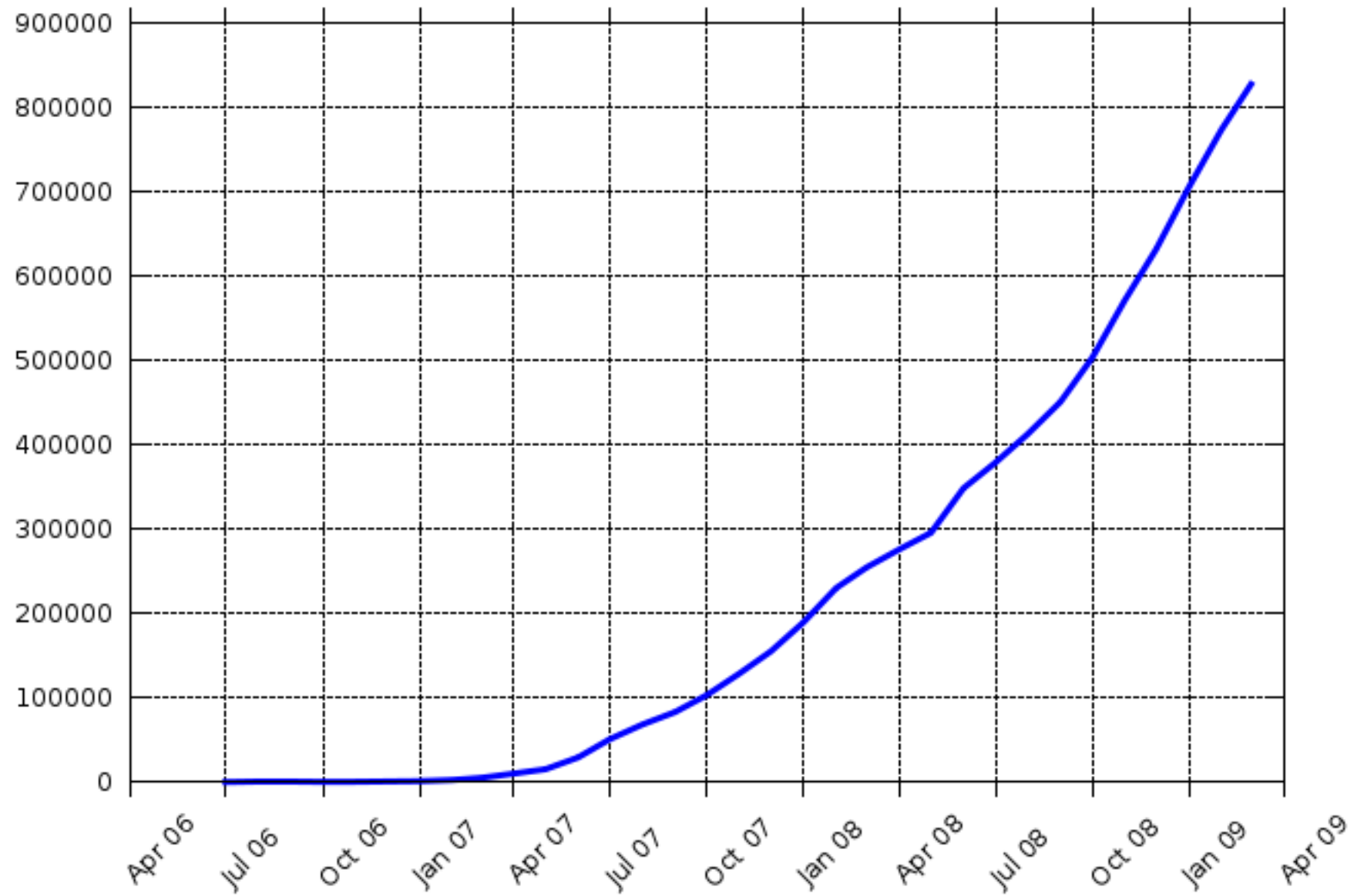


Library Categories

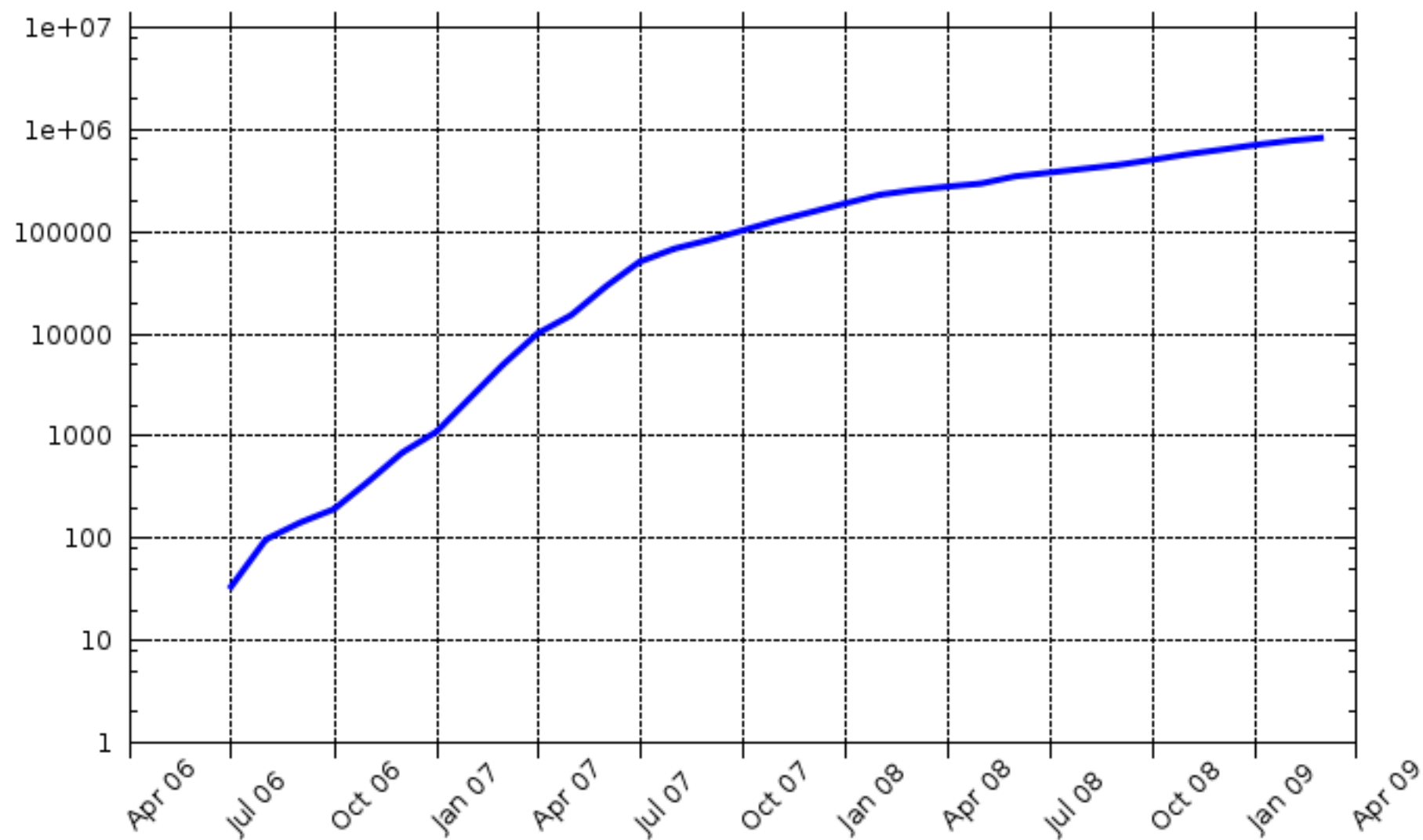


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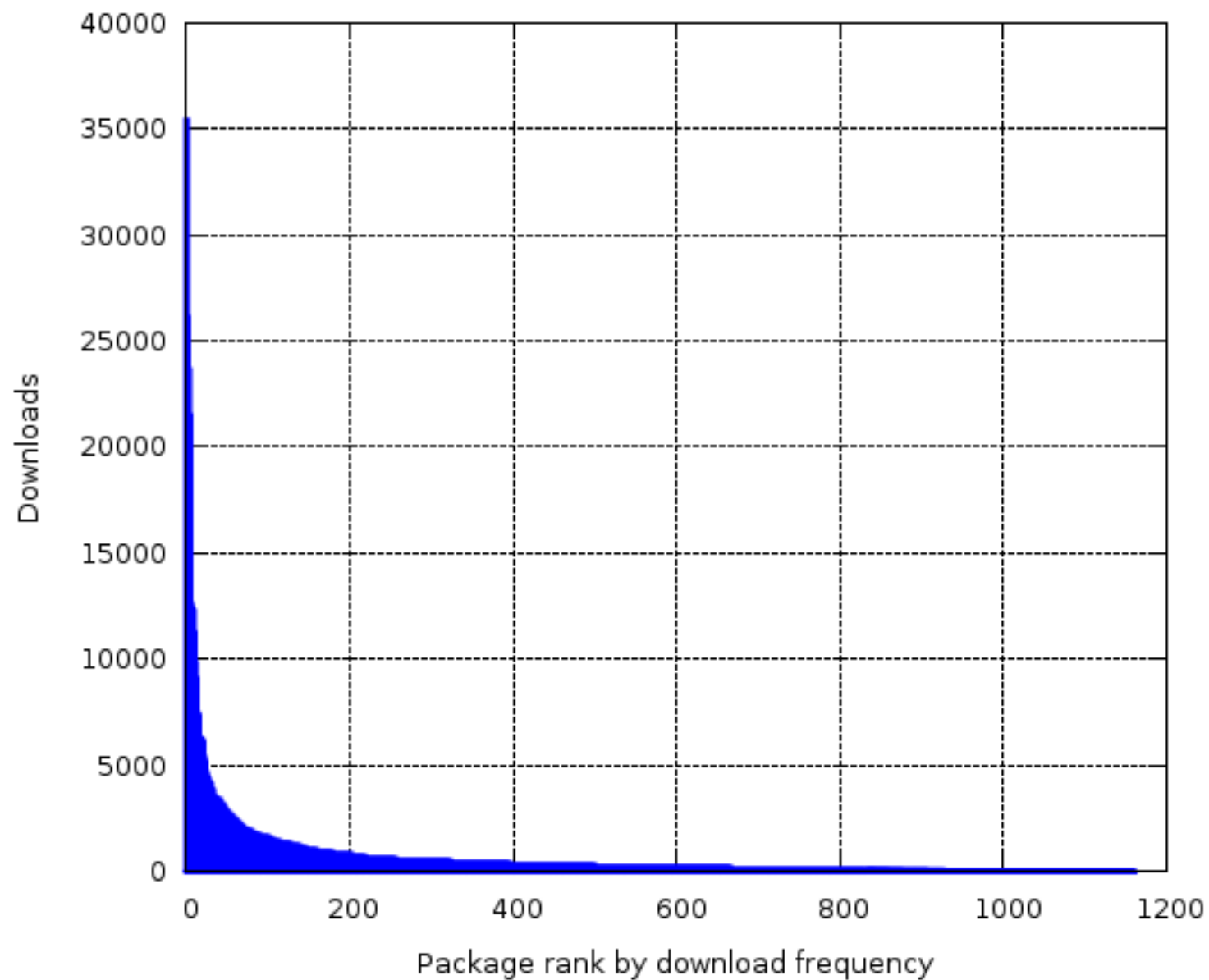
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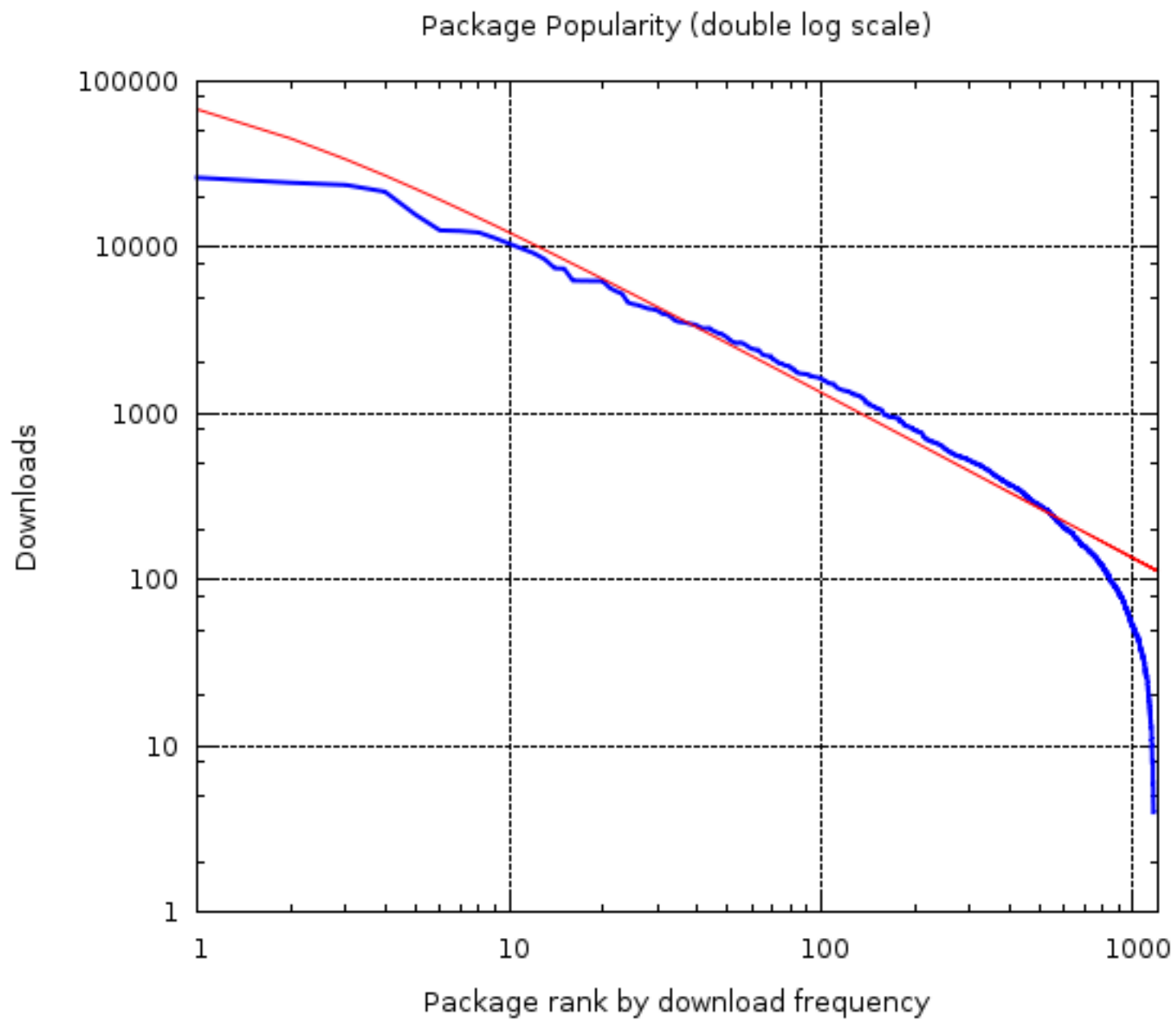


Hackage Downloads (log scale)

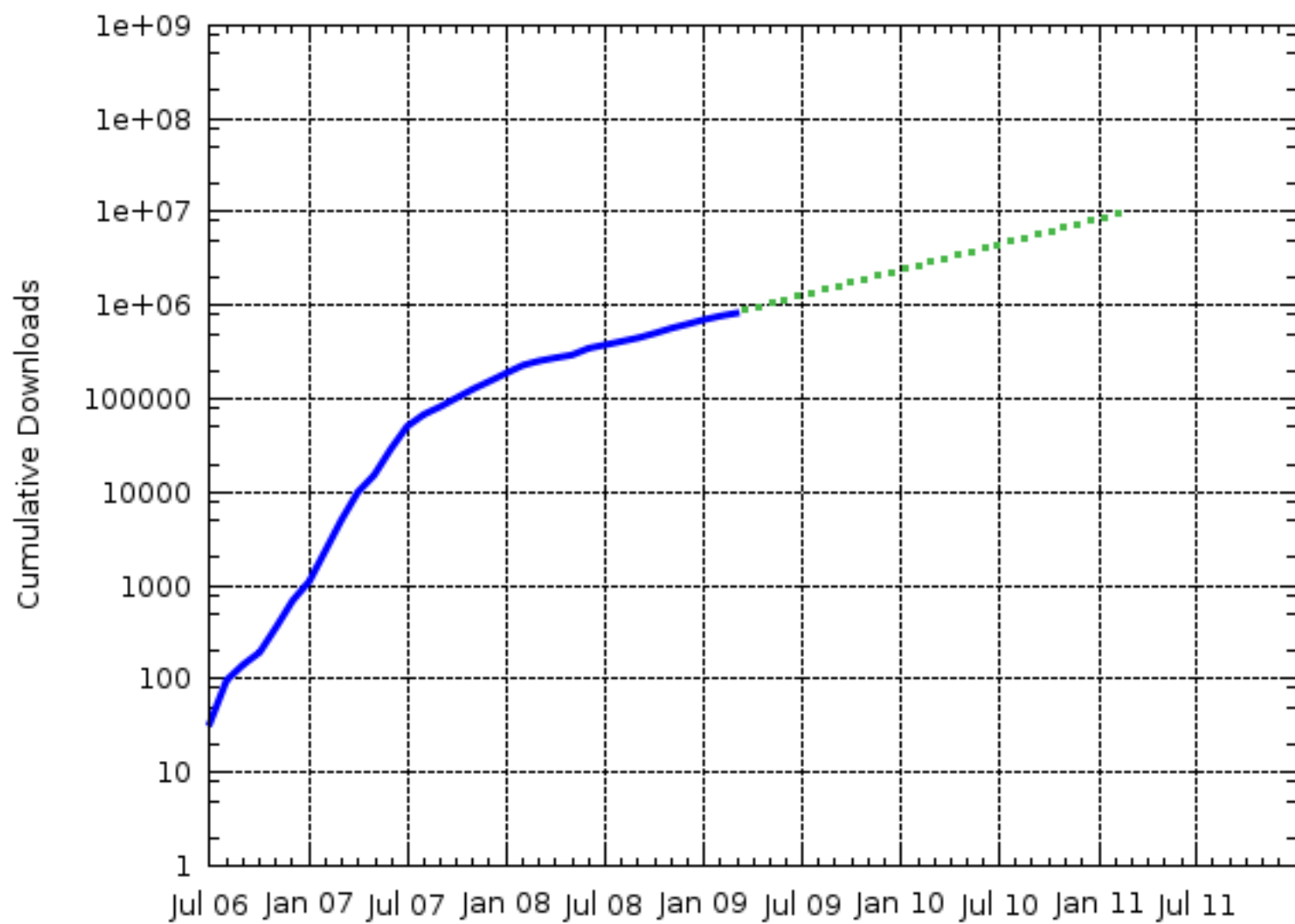


Package popularity (long tail)





Package downloads (log scale)



Adding packages

- Proposal by maintainers (+ helpers)
- Review by libs list
 - Issues recorded in the proposal
 - Deadlines for discussion + consensus protocol
 - Guidelines for reviewers
- Criteria: agreement by reviewers

Motivation: review to increase quality

hackage-server

darcs get <http://code.haskell.org/hackage-server>

- Based on happstack
- TODO:
 - Docs upload / download
 - Dump / restore
 - All the new features everyone wants

Test instance: <http://sparky.haskell.org:8080/>