Distributing Python Packages Using Setuptools

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About Me

- Founded the SMC project in 2001 while studying at REC Calicut
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Agenda

- Installing Python
- Setting up development environment
- Distribution using Setuptools
- MANIFEST.in
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Installing Python

- Download
- Extract
- ./configure --prefix=/path/to/install
- make
- make install

Setting up development environment

- http://www.pip-installer.org/en/latest/ installing.html
- pip install virtualenv
- virtualenv venv1
- source venv1/bin/activate

Distribution using Setuptools

```
mkdir -p hello/hello
touch hello/hello/__init__.py
touch hello/hello/main.py
touch hello/setup.py
touch README.txt
```

Distribution using Setuptools - Continued

```
from setuptools import setup, find packages
setup(name='hello',
      version='0.1.0',
      description='Hello World!',
      author='Baiju Muthukadan',
      packages=find_packages(),
      include_package_data=True,
      zip_safe=False,
      install_requires=[
          'setuptools',
```

Distribution using Setuptools - Continued

```
def say_hello():
    return 'Hello, World!'
```

Distribution using Setuptools - Continued

Creating source distributions:

cd hello
python setup.py sdist

Installing distributions:

pip install hello-0.1.0.tar.gz

MANIFEST.in

Content of MANIFEST.in:

include *.txt

Console Scripts

from setuptools import setup, find_packages

```
setup(name='hello',
      version='0.1.0',
      description='Hello World!',
      author='Baiju Muthukadan',
      packages=find packages(),
      include package data=True,
      entry points={
        'console_scripts': ['hello=hello.main:run',],
      zip_safe=False,
      install_requires=[
          'setuptools',
```

Console Scripts - Continued

```
def say_hello():
    return 'Hello, World!'

def run():
    hello = say_hello()
    print(hello)
```

Thanks!

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Command line parsing

```
import argparse
def say hello(name):
    return 'Hello, %s!' % name
def run():
    parser = argparse.ArgumentParser()
    parser.add_argument("name", help="Your name")
    args = parser.parse_args()
    hello = say_hello(args.name)
    print(hello)
```

Command line parsing - Continued

```
import argparse
def say_hello(name, count):
    hello list = []
    for i in range(count):
        hello list.append('Hello, %s!' % name)
    return hello list
def run():
    parser = argparse.ArgumentParser()
    parser.add argument("name", help="Your name")
    parser.add_argument("--count", type=int)
    args = parser.parse_args()
    for hello in say_hello(args.name, args.count):
        print(hello)
```