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  ![Image](assets/credits.png)
  <figcaption>Active Maintainers/Creators</figcaption>
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The project is maintained by two core developers who each own a unique
layer of the system.
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=== "Soham Metha"



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> Role: Lead Developer <br>
> Modules Owned: VIREX VM, SASM Assembler, VS Code Extension, Docs
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- Designed the **VIREX** Virtual Machine architecture.
- Developed the **SASM Assembler** and complete instruction set.
- Built tooling: AST visualizer, debug tools, and VS Code syntax extension.
- Authored all core documentation.
- Maintains the monorepo, versioning, and long-term roadmap.

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    *"VIREX is a hands-on way to explore systems programming, not just  
study it."* <br>
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=== "Omkar Jagtap"
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> **Role**: Compiler Engineer - ORIN <br>  
> **Modules Owned**: ORIN Compiler (WIP), Custom Hashtable  
Implementation
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    - Designing and implementing **ORIN**, the high-level language  
compiler targeting SASM  
    - Handles the full compilation pipeline: parsing, IR generation, and  
SASM output  
    - Exploring advanced features like expression optimization and  
static analysis
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    > *"ORIN aims to make high-level programming compatible with low-  
level control."*
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🐛 **Found a bug?**
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→ Report it via [GitHub Issues](https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex/issues)

💬 **\*\*Have questions or ideas?\*\***

→ Join the discussion on [GitHub Discussions](https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex/discussions)

👤 **\*\*Want to contribute?\*\***

→ See the [CONTRIBUTING.md](../CONTRIBUTING.md) guide

📁 **\*\*GitHub Repository\*\***

→ [Soham-Metha/virex](https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex)

🗺️ **\*\*Project direction\*\***

→ View the [roadmap](roadmap.md)

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