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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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<p>> \*\*Role\*\*: Compiler Engineer - ORIN <br>
> \*\*Modules Owned\*\*: ORIN Compiler (WIP), Custom Hashtable Implementation</p>
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<p>- Designing and implementing \*\*ORIN\*\*, the high-level language compiler targeting SASM<br>
- Handles the full compilation pipeline: parsing, IR generation, and SASM output<br>
- Exploring advanced features like expression optimization and static analysis</p>
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<p>> \*"ORIN aims to make high-level programming compatible with low-level control."\*</p>
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- [Soham-Metha/virex](https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex)
👤 Want to contribute?
- See the [CONTRIBUTING.md](../CONTRIBUTING.md) guide
🐛 Found a bug?
- Report it via [GitHub Issues](https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex/issues)
💬 Ask questions or share ideas on [GitHub Discussions]
(https://github.com/Soham-Metha/virex/discussions)
🗺 See the [project roadmap](roadmap.md)
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