Package Managers

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- What are they?
- What do they do?
- Let's name a few...

One-time Actions

1. Upgrade the python toolchain

```
$ sudo apt-get update
$ sudo apt-get install python3 python3-pip python3-venv python3-wheel python3-
setuptools
```

Per-project Actions

1. Create a python virtual environment for your project

Per-project Actions

1. Add a setup.py to your project

Per-project Actions

1. Create a python package

```
$ mkdir <packagename>
$ touch <packagename>/__init__.py
```

- 1. Edit or move your source code into the <packagename> folder
 - Remember to add a shebang at the top of executable files
 - o #!/usr/bin/env python3
- 2. Install it locally

```
$ pip3 install . # Add -e or --editable to enable local editing
```

Adding a package to PyPI (The Python Package Index)

One-time Actions

- 1. Register an account at https://test.pypi.org
- 2. Create a ~/.pypirc file

```
[distutils]
index-servers =
    pypi
    testpypi

[pypi]
username: mmdarden

[testpypi]
repository: https://test.pypi.org/legacy/
username: mmdarden
password: <your-very-very-insecure-password-here>
```

- I haven't figured out how to work the password more securely
- An issue was raised and closed, but doesn't seem to have fixed this

Adding a package to PyPI (The Python Package Index)

Per-project Actions

- 1. Add some more info to setup.py
 - Project stuff:
 - license='MIT'
 - description='<some-text-here>'
 - url='<gitlab-repo-address>'
 - User stuff:
 - author='<your-name>'
 - author_email='<duh>'
- 2. Upload your package python setup.py sdist upload -r testpypi
- 3. pip3 install -i https://test.pypi.org/pypi c4cs-f18-python
- 4. Start python, import c4cs

More at [https://python-packaging.readthedocs.io/en/latest/minimal.html]

Creating a Simple Python Package for PyPI

It's your turn!!

- Make a PyPI package (on TestPyPI) of your RPN Calculator
- Name the package f18_rpn_<uniqname>