

State of the Community

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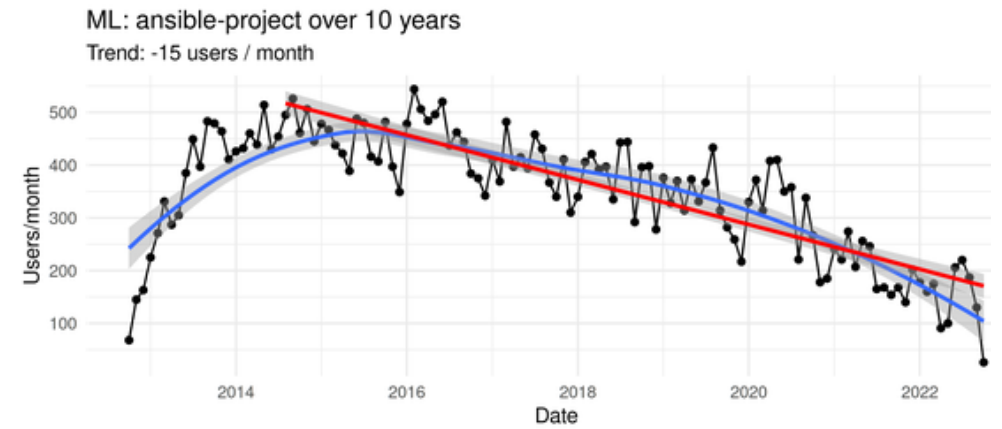
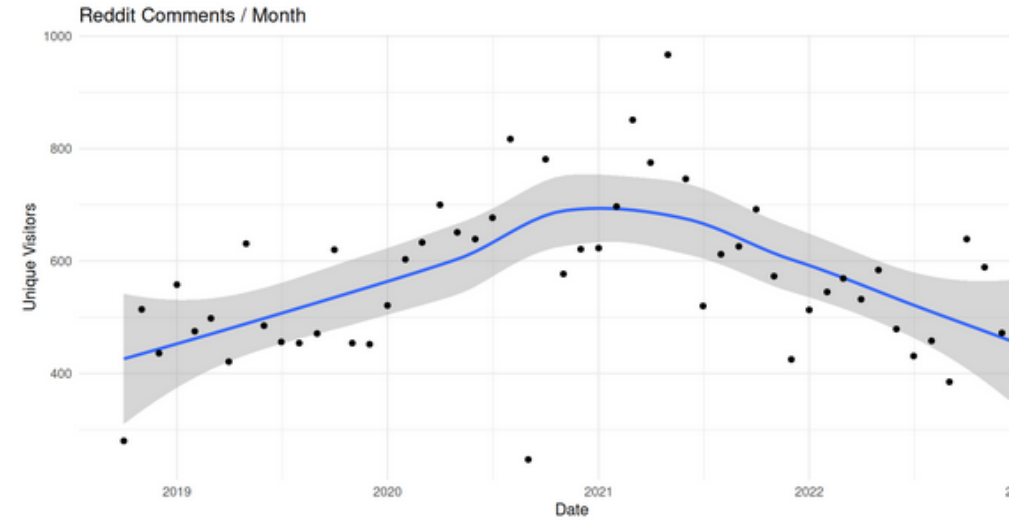
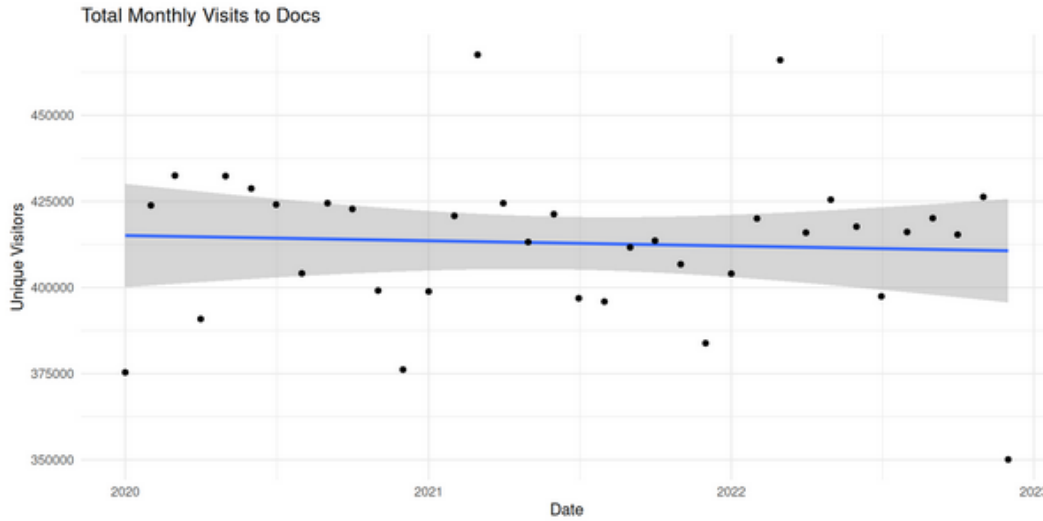
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Agenda

- Past
 - Metrics! Plots! Data! Achievements!
- Present
 - Where are we at today? Interactive discussion!
- Future
 - *My* view on what we need to focus on this year

The past

Last year



Forum

One place to discuss all
things Ansible

Forum

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COMMUNITY

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Open Posts

More

My Links

Help -> To Close

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Triage List

Galaxy

Categories

News & Announcements

Get Help1 unread

Project Discussions9 unread

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Forum Guide & Feedback

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CategoryTopics

📢 News & Announcements3 / week

All the latest activity in the Ansible Community.

Newsletter Ecosystem Releases Blog

🔍 Get Help18 / week

Need help? This is the place! Get started with Ansible, debug your playbooks, set up your tooling ... whatever your question, ask it here!

Guides, FAQs & Howtos1 new

🔧 Project Discussions4 / week

Discuss any aspect of the Ansible Project here! This space is organized by tag, and tag generally correspond to a Working Group or Ecosystem Project . There are also some high-level tags such as mindshare , community and so on.

9 unread1 new

📅 Events4 / week

Want to meet other Ansiblers? Give a conference talk about Ansible? Host a Meetup? Hop in here to see the community calendar, and add your event!

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Latest

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Ansible-Hamburg: Frankfurt: 5. Ansible Anwendertreffen [2024-02-28]

05h

Eventsmeetup

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CFP: FOSSASIA Summit 2024

15h

Event CFPs conference cfp

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Reduce CVE for AWX's images

56h

Project Discussionsawxee

🐉

Steering committee: simplify member removal process

119h

Project Discussionscommunity-wg

🔍

Unable to automatically determine host network os. Please manually configure ansible_network_os value for this host

013h

Get Helpplaybook

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[Vote ends on 2024-02-17] Unmaintained collection: netapp.storagegrid

215h

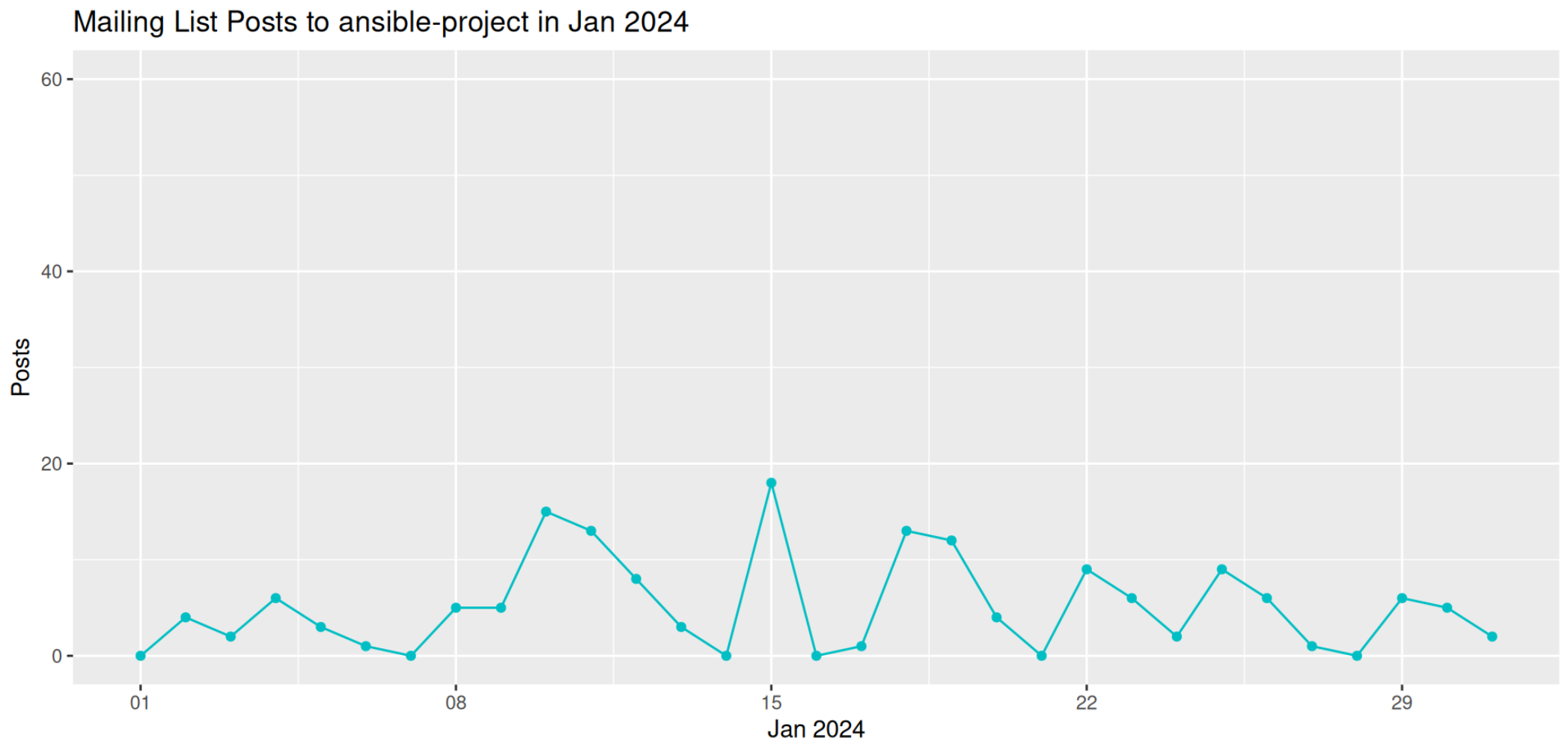
Project Discussions

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CfgMgmtCamp 2024 - State of the Community

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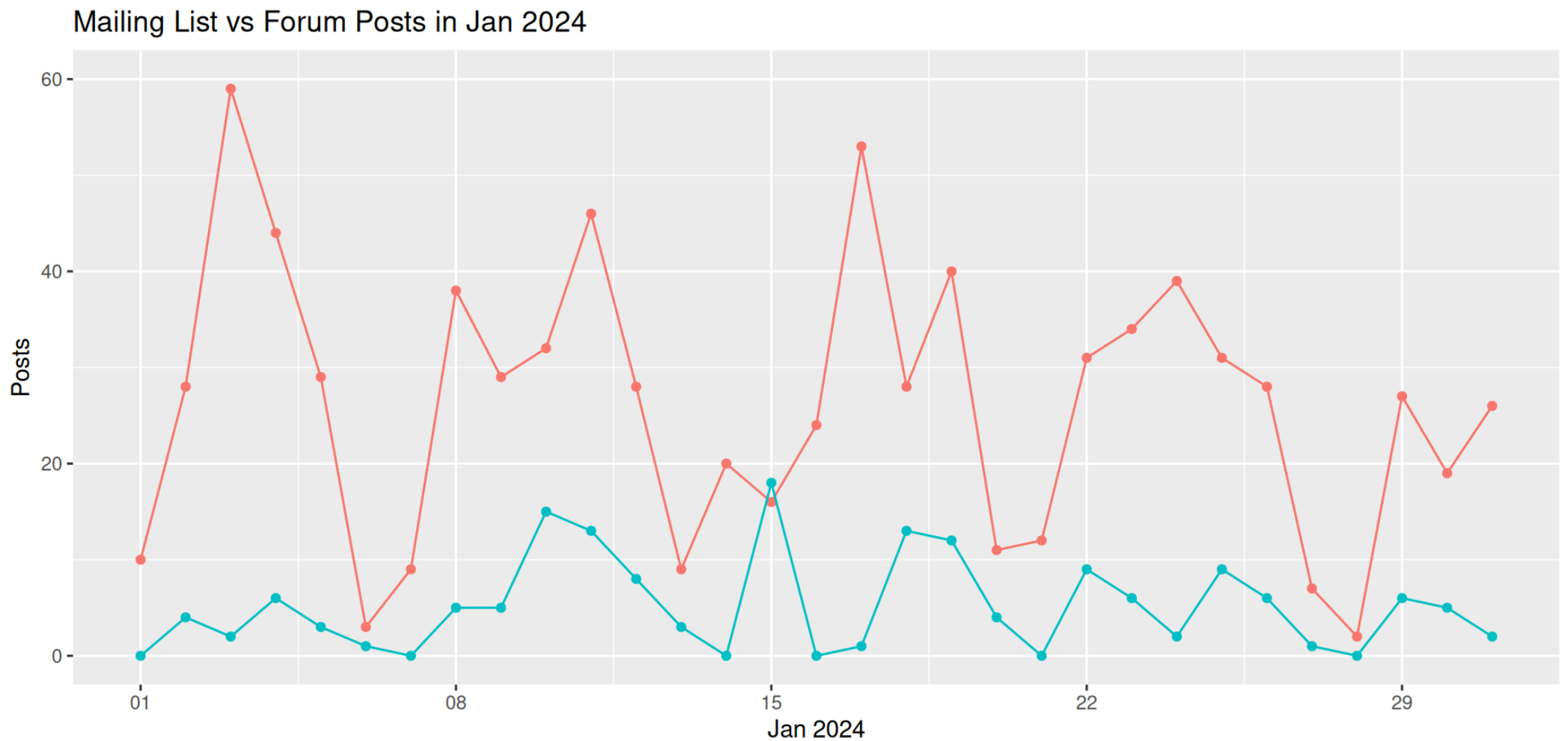
Mailing List



Source: Google Groups - 159 total emails



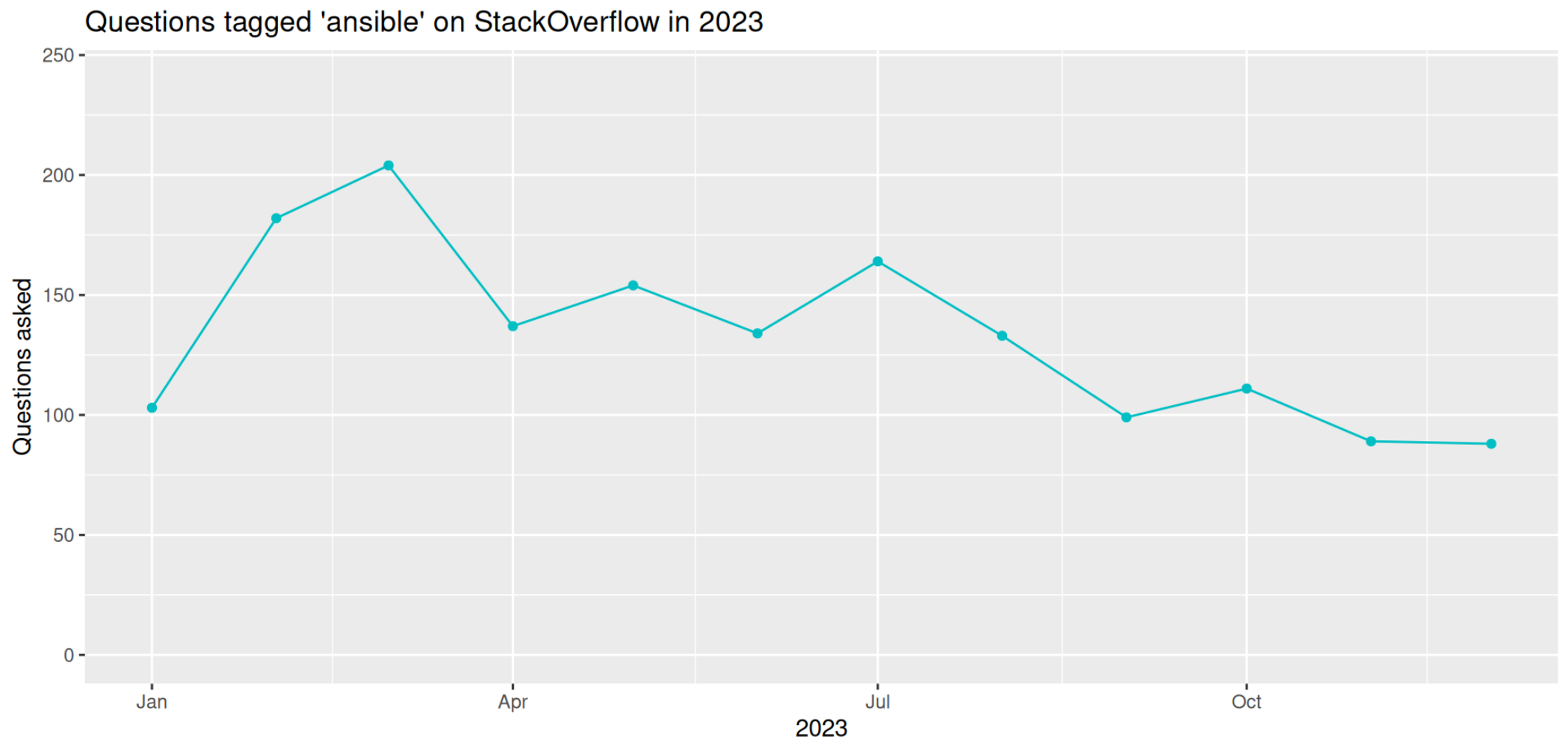
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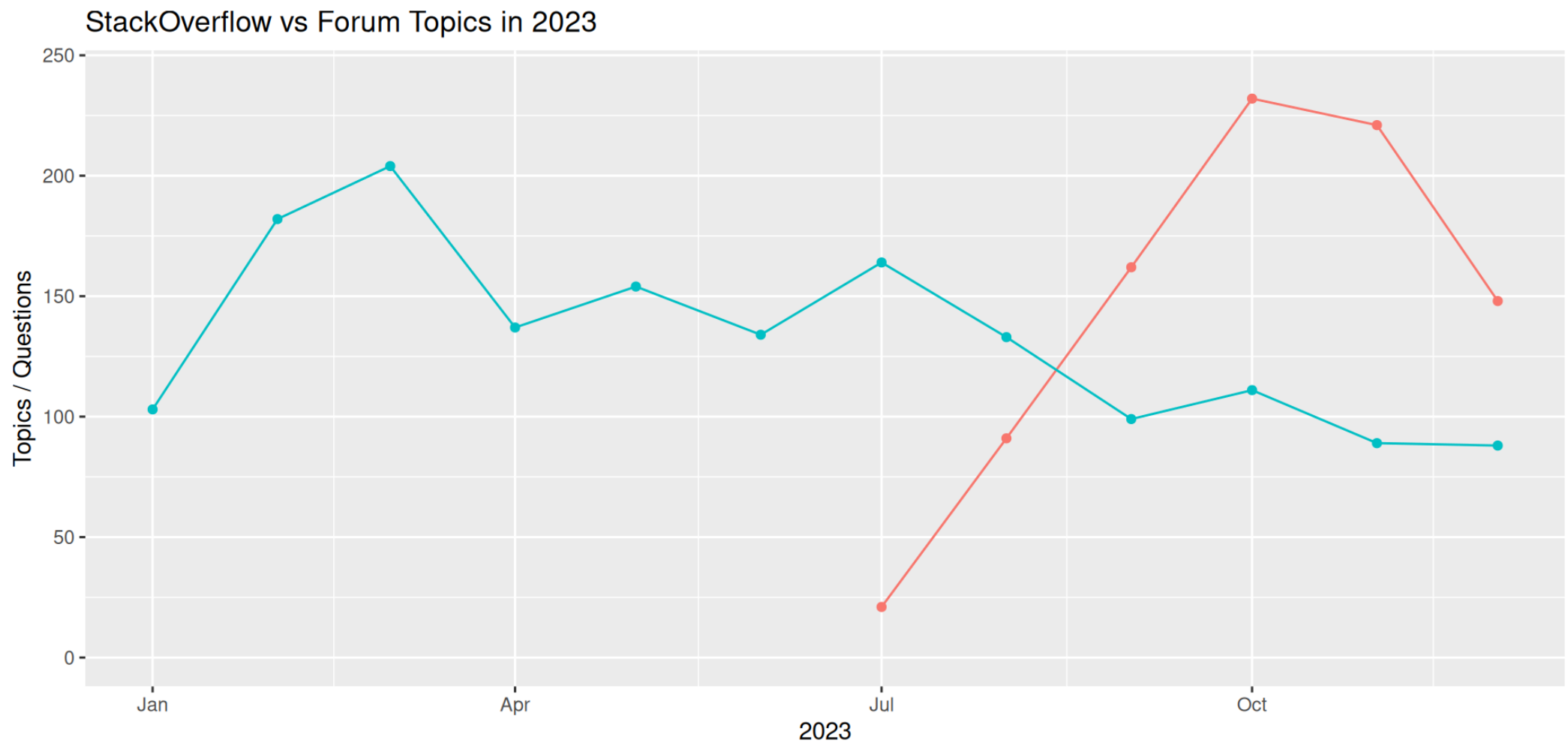
StackOverflow



Source: SO SQL Explorer



StackOverflow



Source: SO SQL Explorer / Discourse



Reddit

- Harder to compare directly
- ~500-600k pageviews/month
 - Discourse gets ~100k/month
- ~6k unique users/day
 - Discourse gets ~100/day (2.3k/month)
- ~5-10 posts/day
 - Discourse gets ~30/day
- Discourse seems a tighter, more active group vs Reddit

GitHub

- 529 repos (big increase on 300 last year)
- 4475 unique contributors (+1%)
- 7618 issues (+6%)
- 22359 PRs (+13%)
- 809 **active** contributors (-8%)

Initiatives

- Forum
- Website (still coming)
- Docs relocation and redesign
- Consistent project docs home under RTD
- Meetup toolkit
- Execution envs
- Packaging team non-RH releases
- 100s of releases!

Takeaways

- Better than last year!
- Forum outpacing other discussion spaces
- GitHub recovering somewhat
- 2 tracks here!
- Not declining!
 - Active contributors is still a concern
 - So is project discussion

The present (interactive)

The future

The future

- Consolidation
 - The 2023 strategy is still unfolding
 - We need to give that time, and to standardise on it
 - No **new** community tooling

The future

- Discussion
 - Make the forum the centre of the community
 - Help/support is doing well
 - Project discussion need more time to to set up
 - Make use of the tooling here (groups, voting, etc)

The future


- Pathways & recognition
 - Encourage more people to tell their story / feedback
 - Make it easy to participate
 - Recognise contributions from all areas


Badges



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 Admin

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-  Summary
-  Activity
-  Notifications
-  Messages
-  Invites
-  Badges
-  Preferences


3/3 badges marked as favorite



Champion


Invited 5 members






Leader


Granted global edit, pin, close, archive, split and merge, more likes






Campaigner


Invited 3 basic users






Config Managaement Camp 24


Participated in Config Management Camp 2024






Contributor Day 2023 Speaker


You gave a presentation at the Ansible Community 2023 in Berlin






FOSDEM 2024


Attended FOSDEM 2024!






Gives Back


Has 100 liked posts and gave 100 likes






Regular


Granted recategorize, rename, followed links, wiki, more likes





Respected

Received 2 likes on 100 posts





Thanks!

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Thanks!