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Using source-git to maintain packages in Fedora

Agenda

about dist-git

the concept of source-git

Packit

What is dist-git?

What is dist-git?

[Dist Git Proposal](#)



Overview

This proposal concerns the desire to replace Fedora's package source control, currently based on CVS, with git, and to improve the developer workflow at the same time.

What is dist-git?

src.fedoraproject.org

The screenshot shows the 'Fedora Package Sources' web application. At the top, there's a header with the Fedora logo, 'PACKAGE SOURCES', a 'Browse' button, and a user profile icon. Below the header, a large heading reads 'Welcome to Fedora Package Sources' with the subtitle 'Fedora's repository for package maintenance.' A navigation bar contains 'Package', 'Users', and 'Groups' tabs, with 'Package' being the active one. The main content area is titled 'All Packages 31622'. It features a search bar with the text 'Search Packages' and a 'Sort' dropdown menu. Below this, there are six package cards arranged in a 3x2 grid. Each card displays a package icon, the package name, a description, the creation time, and the number of packages. The packages shown are: 'rpms/0ad' (The 0ad rpms, created 3 years ago, 4 packages), 'flatpaks/0ad' (The 0ad package, created 2 years ago, 0 packages), 'rpms/0ad-data' (The 0ad-data rpms, created 3 years ago, 1 package), 'rpms/0install' (The 0install rpms, created 3 years ago, 0 packages), 'rpms/0xFFFF' (The 0xFFFF rpms, created 3 years ago, 1 package), and 'rpms/2048-cli' (The 2048-cli rpms, created 3 years ago, 3 packages).

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PACKAGE SOURCES

Browse

Welcome to Fedora Package Sources

Fedora's repository for package maintenance.

Package Users Groups

All Packages 31622

Search Packages Sort

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rpms/2048-cli
The 2048-cli rpms
created 3 years ago 3

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The screenshot shows the Fedora Package Sources web interface for the `rpms / firefox` repository. The interface includes a top navigation bar with the Fedora logo, the text "PACKAGE SOURCES", a "Browse" button, and a user profile icon. Below the navigation bar, there are tabs for "Source", "Issues", "Pull Requests" (with a count of 2), and "Stats". The "Source" tab is active, showing a list of files for the `f32` branch. On the left side, there is a sidebar with navigation links for "Overview", "Files", "Commits", "Branches", "Forks", and "Releases". Below these links, there is a "Monitoring status:" section with a "Disabled" button. At the bottom of the sidebar, there is a "Bugzilla Assignee:" section with entries for "Fedora: gecko-maint" and "EPEL: gecko-maint". The main content area displays the "Files" for the `f32` branch, listing various patch files such as `.gitignore`, `Bug-1610814-Fix-NEON-compile-error-with-gcc-and-RGB.patch`, `bug1375074-save-restore-x28.patch`, and several `build-*.patch` files.

fedora PACKAGE SOURCES Browse

rpms / firefox Open PR Fork Clone

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Overview Files Commits Branches Forks Releases

Monitoring status: Disabled

Bugzilla Assignee:
Fedora: gecko-maint
EPEL: gecko-maint

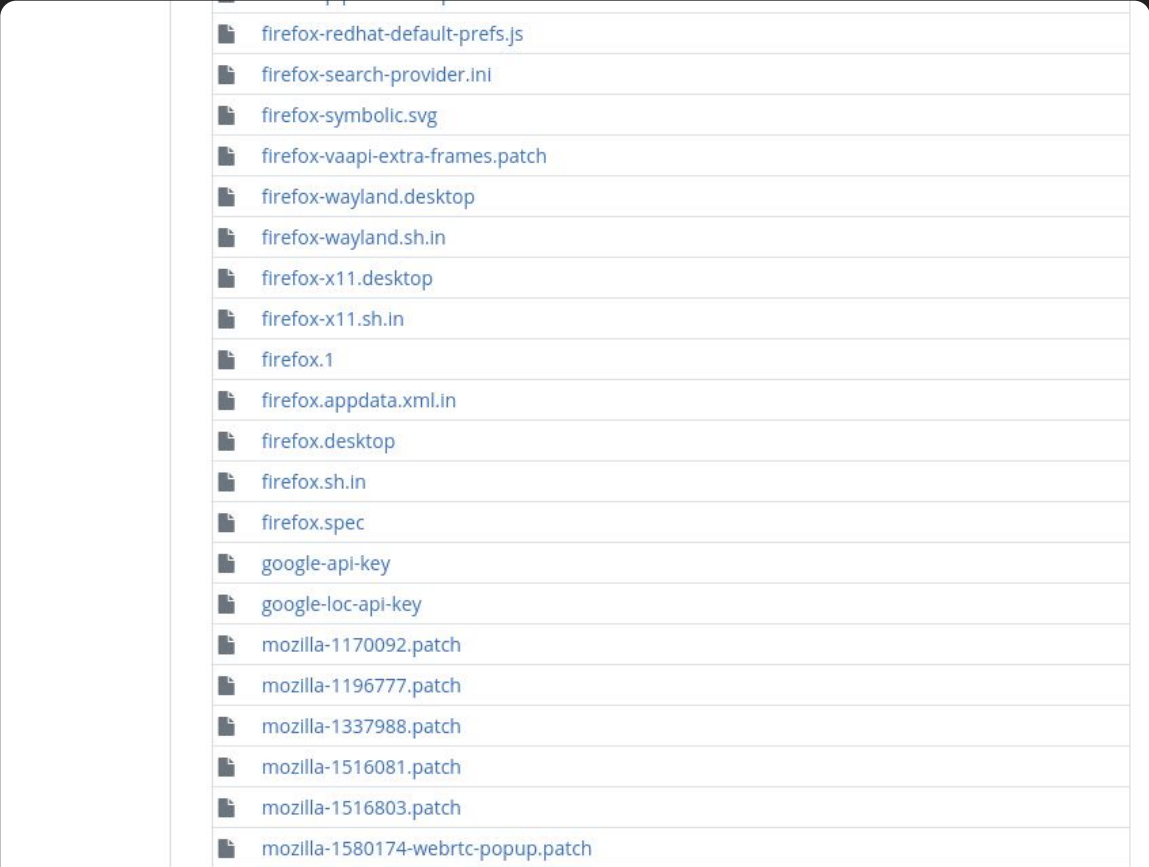
Files Branch: f32






















f32

- .gitignore
- Bug-1610814-Fix-NEON-compile-error-with-gcc-and-RGB.patch
- bug1375074-save-restore-x28.patch
- build-aarch64-skia.patch
- build-arm-libaom.patch
- build-arm-libopus.patch
- build-arm-wasm.patch
- build-cacheFlush-missing.patch
- build-cubeb-pulse-arm.patch
- build-disable-elfhack.patch
- build-disable-multijobs-rust.patch
- build-icu-big-endian.patch

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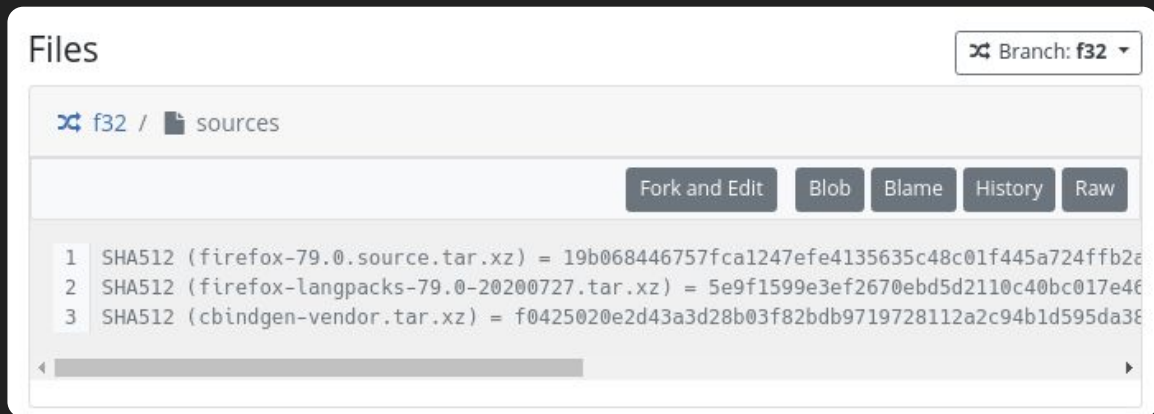
src.fedoraproject.org

A screenshot of a file browser interface showing a list of files in a dist-git repository. Each file entry is preceded by a small icon representing the file type. The files listed are: firefox-redhat-default-prefs.js, firefox-search-provider.ini, firefox-symbolic.svg, firefox-vaapi-extra-frames.patch, firefox-wayland.desktop, firefox-wayland.sh.in, firefox-x11.desktop, firefox-x11.sh.in, firefox.1, firefox.appdata.xml.in, firefox.desktop, firefox.sh.in, firefox.spec, google-api-key, google-loc-api-key, mozilla-1170092.patch, mozilla-1196777.patch, mozilla-1337988.patch, mozilla-1516081.patch, mozilla-1516803.patch, and mozilla-1580174-webrtc-popup.patch.

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	firefox.1
	firefox.appdata.xml.in
	firefox.desktop
	firefox.sh.in
	firefox.spec
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lookaside cache



collaboration

Merged 3 months ago by xhorak. **Opened** 3 months ago by jgrulich.

🔗 rpms/ jgrulich/firefox 🔗 firefox-pw03 into 🔗 master

Comments

Files Changed 3

Commits 1

Patch

firefox-pipewire-0-2.patch ~~firefox-pipewire.patch~~

file renamed

file was moved with no change to the file

[firefox-pipewire-0-3.patch](#)

file added +821

```
1 @@ -0,0 +1,821 @@
2 + diff --git a/config/system-headers.mozbuild b/config/system-headers.mozbuild
3 + index 2081d0c683a4..641133bf1ea4 100644
4 + --- a/config/system-headers.mozbuild
5 + +++ b/config/system-headers.mozbuild
6 + @@ -314,6 +314,7 @@ system_headers = [
7 +     'Gestalt.h',
8 +     'getopt.h',
9 +     'gio/gio.h',
10 + + 'gio/gunixfdlist.h',
11 +     'glibconfig.h',
12 +     'glib.h',
13 +     'glib-object.h',
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[“exploded tree” packages](#)

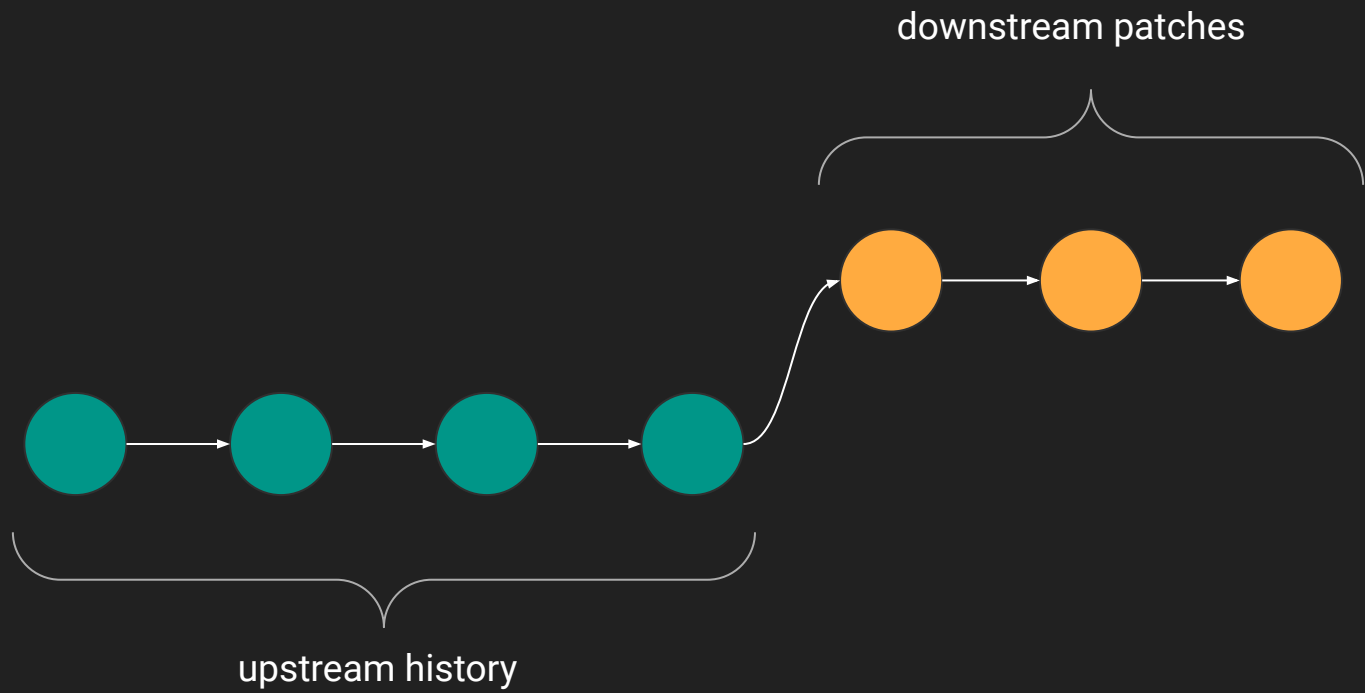


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Topic of the day - can we make "exploded tree" packages work?

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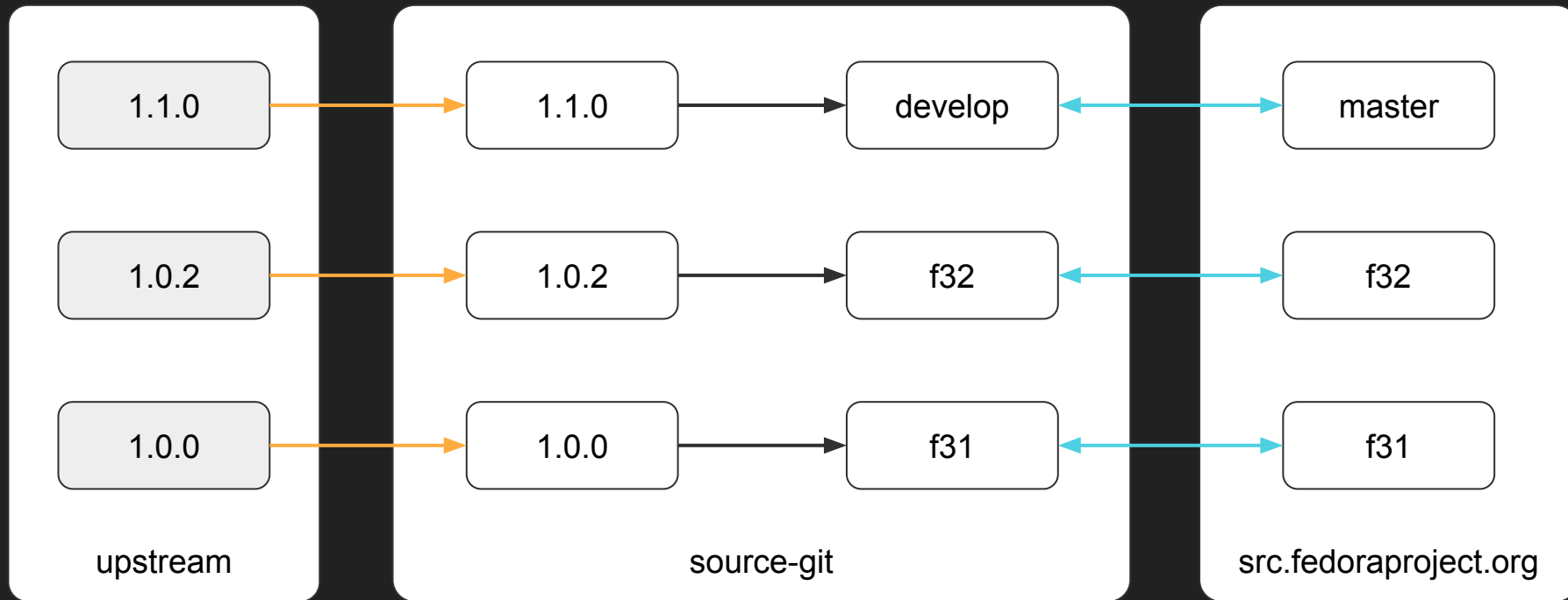
a fork of upstream in which
downstream/distribution patches are
commits



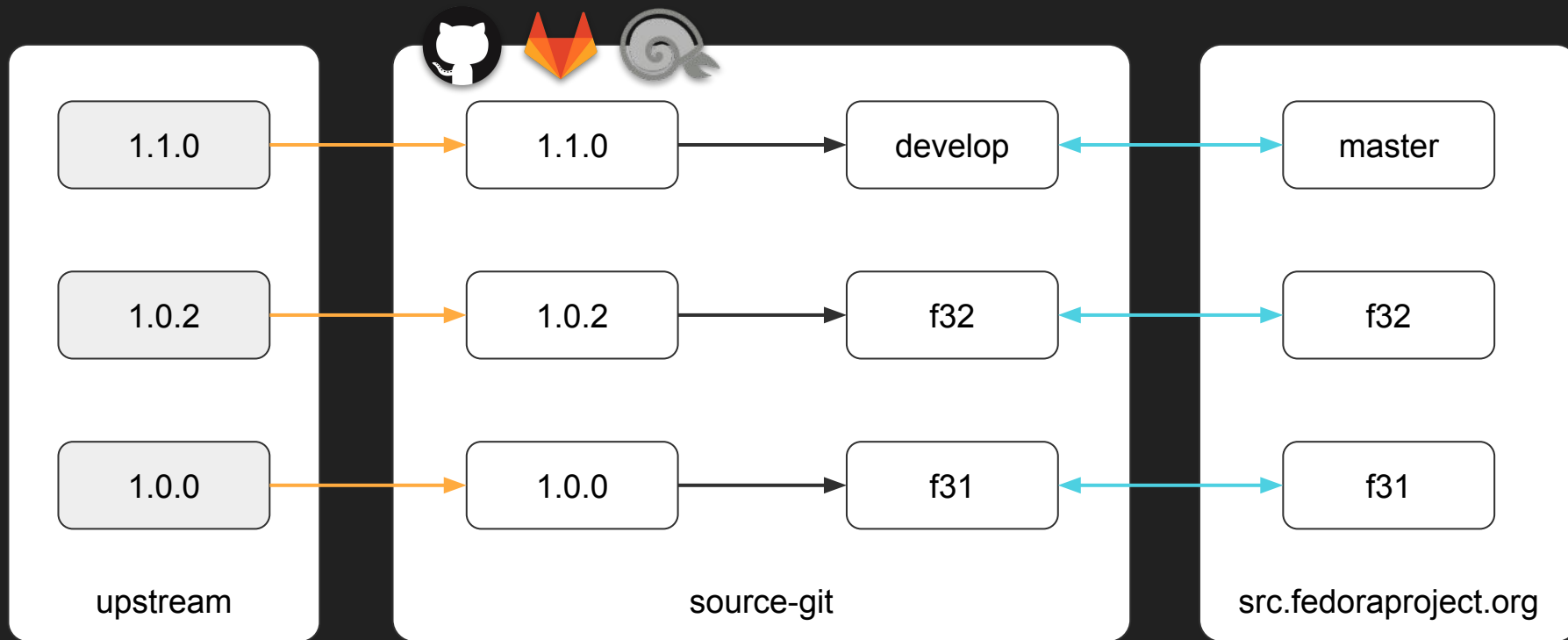
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Wait...

I'm already doing something like this!



Tooling

git

```
$ git pull ...
```

```
$ git cherry-pick ...
```

```
$ git branch ...
```

```
$ git rebase ...
```

Packit

```
$ sudo dnf install packit
```

```
$ packit --help
```

```
Usage: packit [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...
```

Integrate upstream open source projects into Fedora operating system.

Options:

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| <code>-d, --debug</code> | Enable debug logs. |
| <code>--fas-user TEXT</code> | Fedora Account System username. |
| <code>-k, --keytab TEXT</code> | Path to FAS keytab file. |
| <code>--dry-run</code> | Do not perform any remote changes (pull requests or comments). |
| <code>--version</code> | Show the version and exit. |
| <code>-h, --help</code> | Show this message and exit. |



Commands:

build	Build selected upstream project in Fedora.
copr-build	Build selected upstream project in COPR.
create-update	Create a bodhi update for the selected upstream...
init	Generate new packit config.
local-build	Create RPMs using content of the upstream...
propose-update	Release current upstream release into Fedora...
push-updates	Find all Bodhi updates that have been in testing for...
srpm	Create new SRPM (.src.rpm file) using content of the...
status	Display status.
sync-from-downstream	Copy synced files from Fedora dist-git into upstream...
validate-config	Validate PackageConfig validation.

Packit-as-a-Service

[GitHub Application](#)






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lachmanfrantisek left a comment


Member + 😊 ...



Rebase, please.



  Check



All checks have passed  826ece8



10 successful checks

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  packit/rpm-build-fedora-31-x86_64 — RPMs were... [Details](#)

  packit/rpm-build-fedora-rawhide-x86_64 — RPM... [Details](#)

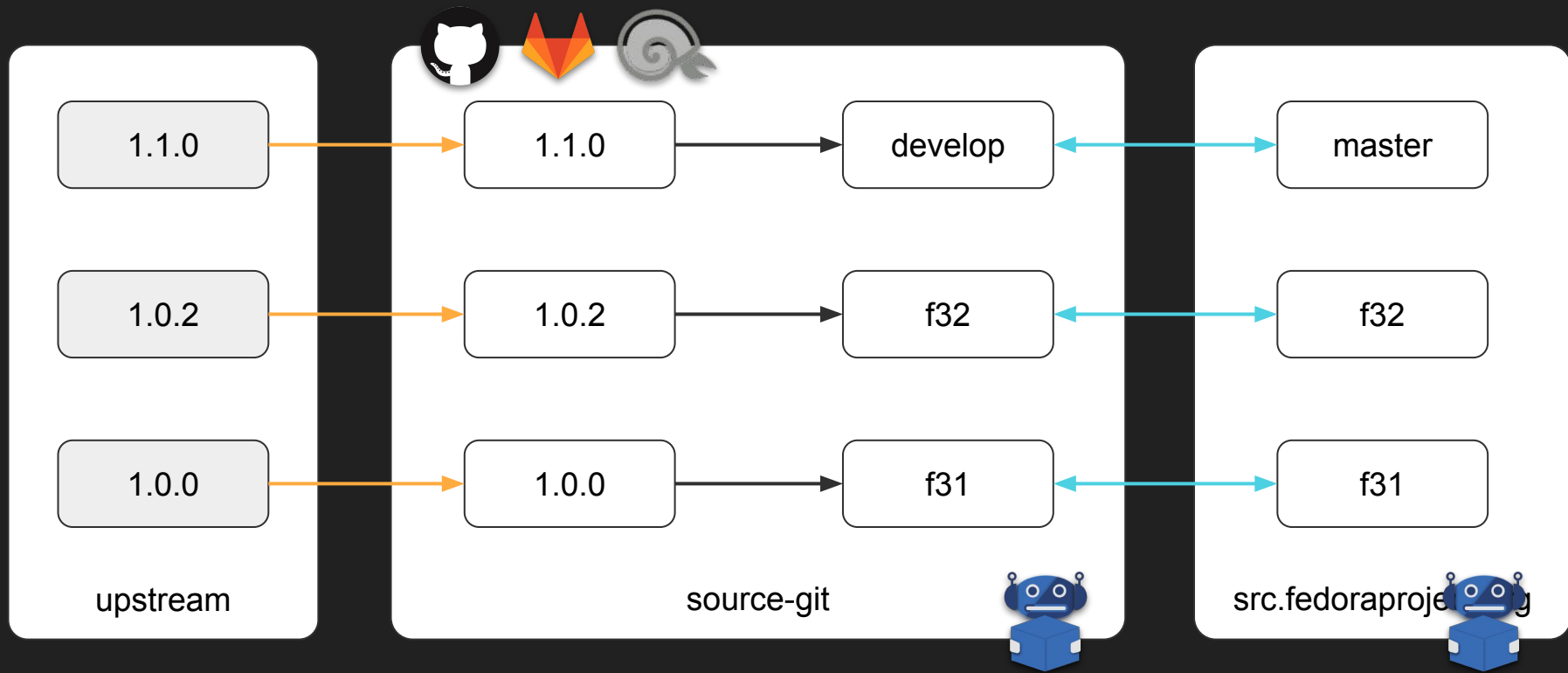
  packit/testing-farm-fedora-30-x86_64 — All tests ... [Details](#)

  packit/testing-farm-fedora-31-x86_64 — All tests ... [Details](#)

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Build succeeded



Packit-as-a-Service



build PRs/releases/branches in Copr

test builds with [Testing Farm](#)

propose releases to dist-git



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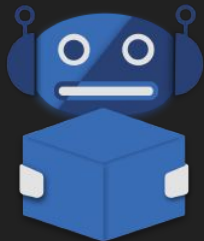


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