

KEEP A CHANGELOG



Concept

Why	keepachangelog.com
What	https://pypi.python.org/pypi/gitkeepachangelog
How	.gitkeepachangelog.rc repository
GIT Tag	[0-9]+\.[0-9]+(\.[0-9]+)?(-.+)?(l+.\.+)?
Tag examples	1.3.0; 1.1.2-beta1; 1.0.0-beta.3+build.20.f42cbd56
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Sample result	2.1.1 (2014-04-15)

Format

ACTION: [AUDIENCE:] COMMIT_MSG [!TAG ...]

ACTION

new:	for new features, big improvement
chg:	for refactor, small improvement, cosmetic changes...
fix:	for bug fixes

AUDIENCE

dev:	for developpers (API changes, refactors...)
usr: or user:	for final users (UI changes)
pkg:	packaging changes
test:	test only related changes
doc:	doc only changes

TAG

!refactor	for refactoring code only
!minor	for a very meaningless change (a typo, adding a comment)
!cosmetic	for cosmetic driven change (re-indentation, 80-col...)
!wip	for partial functionality but complete subfunctionality

Examples de message

new: usr: support of bazaar implemented

chg: re-indentend some lines **!cosmetic**

fix: pkg: updated year of licence coverage.

new: test: added a bunch of test around user usability of feature X.

fix: typo in spelling my name in comment. **!minor**