Status of Ganeti a personal view

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Results:

- a fork is the only option
- python-2.7 EOL 2020
- Haskell may be good ... or bad sometimes
 - debugging, tracing, profiling
 - low learning curve
 - "Worse is Better"???
- Ubuntu is used wild, but 16.04 package is broken



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- June 2018 Ganeti 2.16_rc2 in Ubuntu-18.04 (after release!) Whom to thank?
- 23.7.2018 domain ganeticon.org transferred to sipgate
- 26.8.2018 lecture @FROSCON
- 19.9.2018 release 2.16



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- What is needed?
 - a name Google holds releases the rights on the Name/Logo a home for development and project (git, website, docs, ...)
 - development forces
 - better organisation and coordination
 - helping hands / bug squashers (github, Debian, Ubuntu)

users keep them happy



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what we have

- Ganeti does the right thing
- many users confirmed this independently
- good Debian integration
- users, that don't give up easy



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THANKS

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