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Build process automation

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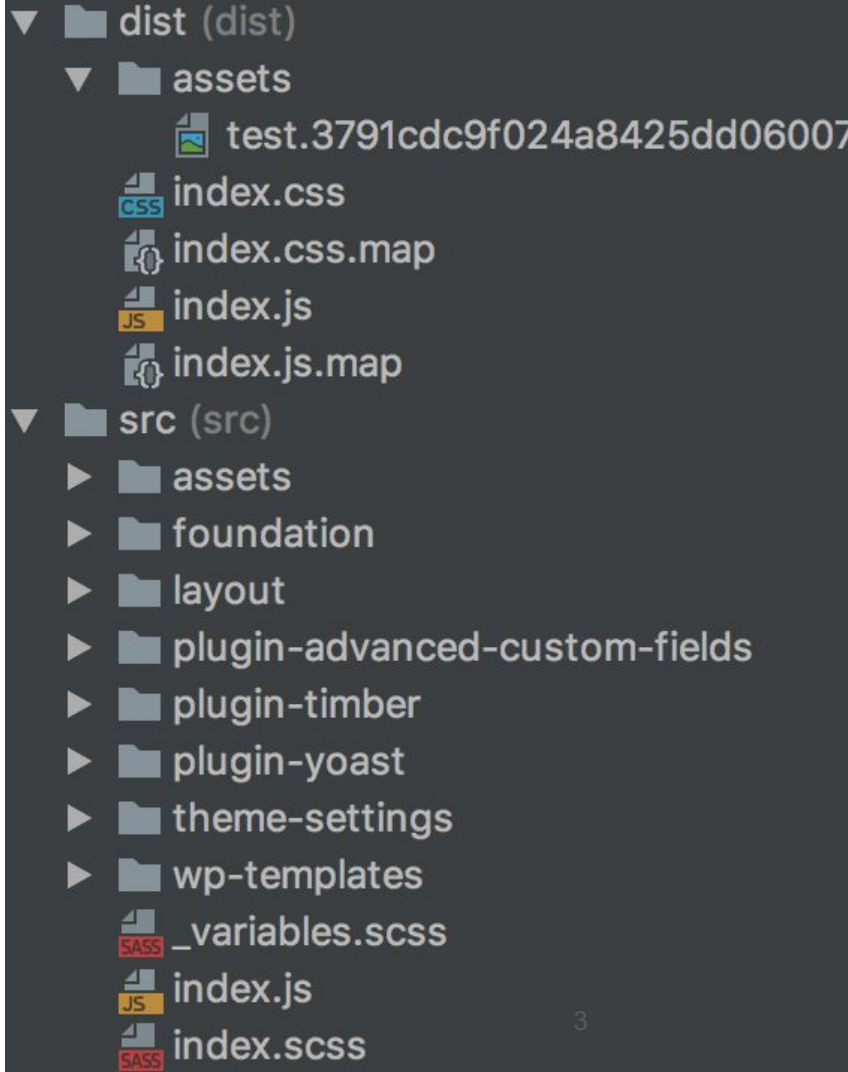
Agenda

- What & why
- Recommended tools
- WordPress set up
- The build script
- Advanced

TL;DR

What is it?

Transform source files (src) to optimized files (dist) automatically.



```

jQuery('img[src$=".svg"][typeof="foo:Image"]').each(function() {
  const $img = jQuery(this);
  const imgID = $img.attr('id');
  const imgClass = $img.attr('class');
  const imgURL = $img.attr('src');

  jQuery.get(imgURL, function(data) {
    // Get the SVG tag, ignore the rest
    let $svg = jQuery(data).find('svg');

    // Add replaced image's ID to the new SVG
    if(typeof imgID !== 'undefined') {
      $svg = $svg.attr('id', imgID);
    }
    // Add replaced image's classes to the new SVG
    if(typeof imgClass !== 'undefined') {
      $svg = $svg.attr('class', imgClass+' replaced-svg');
    }
  });
});

```

TL;DR

Why?!

HUMAN readable source code.

MACHINE optimized production code.

```

./src/index.scss
child failed: ModuleNotFoundError: Module not found: Error: Can't resolve './assets/
ctoryCallback (/Users/kevinobrien/Clockwork/code/wordpress-theme/node_modules/webpac
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solver (/Users/kevinobrien/Clockwork/code/wordpress-theme/node_modules/webpack/lib/
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```

▼ global



 `_wp-core.scss`

page

▶ **partials**

▼ sections

CASE _header.scss

 footer.twig

header twice

```

import authentication from '../authentication';
import screens from '@screens';
import store from '@store';
import user from '@components/user';
import i18n from '@configured/vue-i18n';
import log from '@configured/logger';
import offline from '@offline';
import api, {extendSession, OfflineError} from '@api';
import constants from '@constants';

```

```
Vue.use(Router);
```

```

const router = new Router({
  //mode: 'history',
  routes: [
    ...screens.routes
  ]
});

```

```

router.beforeEach(beforeEach);
router.afterEach(afterEach);

```

```
export default router;
```

```

export {
  isUserLoggedIn,
  isUserLoaded,
  isUserApproved,
}

```

```
//////////
```

```

$primary:      #284184 !default;
$secondary:    #714387 !default;

```

```

$success:      #308264 !default;
$info:         #26805D !default;
$info-contrast: $white !default;
$warning:      $yellow !default;
$danger:       #af2f38 !default;

```

```

$grayscale-100: #f5f9fb !default;
$grayscale-200: #eff5f8 !default;
$grayscale-300: #e3e9ed !default;
$grayscale-400: #5c798a !default;
$grayscale-500: #4d697b !default;
$grayscale-600: #122b3a !default;

```

TL;DR

Why?!

Faster development

Javascript/CoffeeScript & CSS/Sass

- Essential for React, Vue.js, etc.
(Gutenberg blocks)
- ES6 & npm modules

Getting started



webpack



yarn



Bower

Why WebPack & NPM?

WebPack excels at assets (JavaScript, CSS, Images, etc.)

It was built to understand JavaScript & NPM really well.

Gulp & Grunt are good for bulk files, useful for moving files around or uploading.

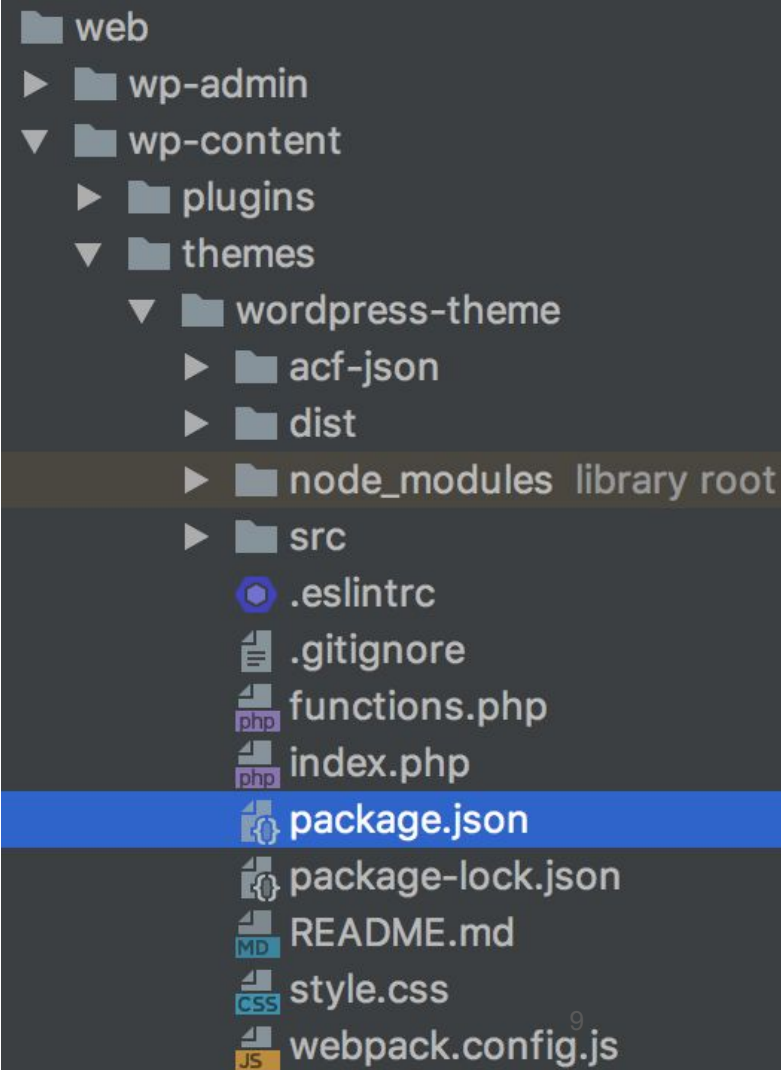
NPM works great with WebPack. Very similar to **Yarn**, I just haven't tried it yet. **Bower** is an older dependency manager and has been all but abandoned.

All of these run using Node.js, make sure you've installed it first (nodejs.org)

Getting started: Files & folders

Package.json is the starting point.

- Source folder (src)
- Destination folder (dist)
- Build config (webpack.config.js)



Getting started: package.json

Always use scripts > start as your main script for a consistent starting point.

Separate live site code from build tools with “dependencies” and “devDependencies.”

Tip:

Document the project’s intended node/npm version under “engines.”

Tip:

Store variables in package.json if you don’t need a separate config file.
process.env.npm_package_config_paths_source

```
package.json
1 {
2   "name": "test-theme",
3   "version": "1.0.0",
4   "description": "",
5   "author": "",
6   "scripts": {
7     "start": "./node_modules/.bin/webpack --watch",
8     "build-production": "export NODE_ENV=production && ./node_modules/.bin/webpack",
9     "precommit": "npm run vet",
10    "lint": "./node_modules/.bin/eslint src/",
11    "vet": "npm list --depth=0 && npm run lint"
12  },
13  "dependencies": {
14    "foundation-sites": "^6.4.1",
15    "jquery": "^3.2.1"
16  },
17  "devDependencies": {
18    "autoprefixer": "^8.4.1",
19    "babel-core": "^6.26.0",
20    "babel-loader": "^7.1.1",
21    "babel-preset-env": "^1.6.1",
22    "clean-webpack-plugin": "^0.1.17",
23    "css-loader": "^0.28.7",
24    "eslint": "^3.12.2",
25    "eslint-config-clockwork": "0.0.8",
26    "extract-text-webpack-plugin": "^3.0.0",
27    "file-loader": "^1.1.5",
28    "husky": "^0.14.3",
29    "node-sass": "^4.5.3",
30    "postcss-loader": "^2.0.8",
31    "sass-loader": "^6.0.6",
32    "style-loader": "^0.18.2",
33    "webpack": "^3.5.6",
34    "webpack-notifier": "^1.5.0",
35    "yargs": "^8.0.2"
36  },
37  "config": {
38    "paths": {
39      "output": "dist",
40      "source": "src"
41    }
42  },
43  "engines": {
44    "node": "^8.9.3",
45    "npm": "^5.5.1"
46  }
47 }
48
```

Getting started: The essentials

KEEP IT SIMPLE

- Simple is **fast**
(200 ms - 1 sec is great for watch builds)
- Simple is less maintenance
- Less can go wrong

The classics

- Combine, minify & sourcemap
- SASS CSS
- Auto-prefix CSS
- Cache bust images & fonts

```
"devDependencies": {\n  "autoprefixer": "^8.4.1",\n  "babel-core": "^6.26.0",\n  "babel-loader": "7.1.1",\n  "babel-preset-env": "^1.6.1",\n  "clean-webpack-plugin": "^0.1",\n  "css-loader": "^0.28.7",\n  "eslint": "^3.12.2",\n  "eslint-config-clockwork": "0",\n  "extract-text-webpack-plugin":\n  "file-loader": "^1.1.5",\n  "husky": "^0.14.3",\n  "node-sass": "^4.5.3",\n  "postcss-loader": "^2.0.8",\n  "sass-loader": "^6.0.6",\n  "style-loader": "^0.18.2",\n  "webpack": "^3.5.6",\n  "webpack-notifier": "^1.5.0",\n  "yargs": "^8.0.2"
```

Getting Started: Bonus points

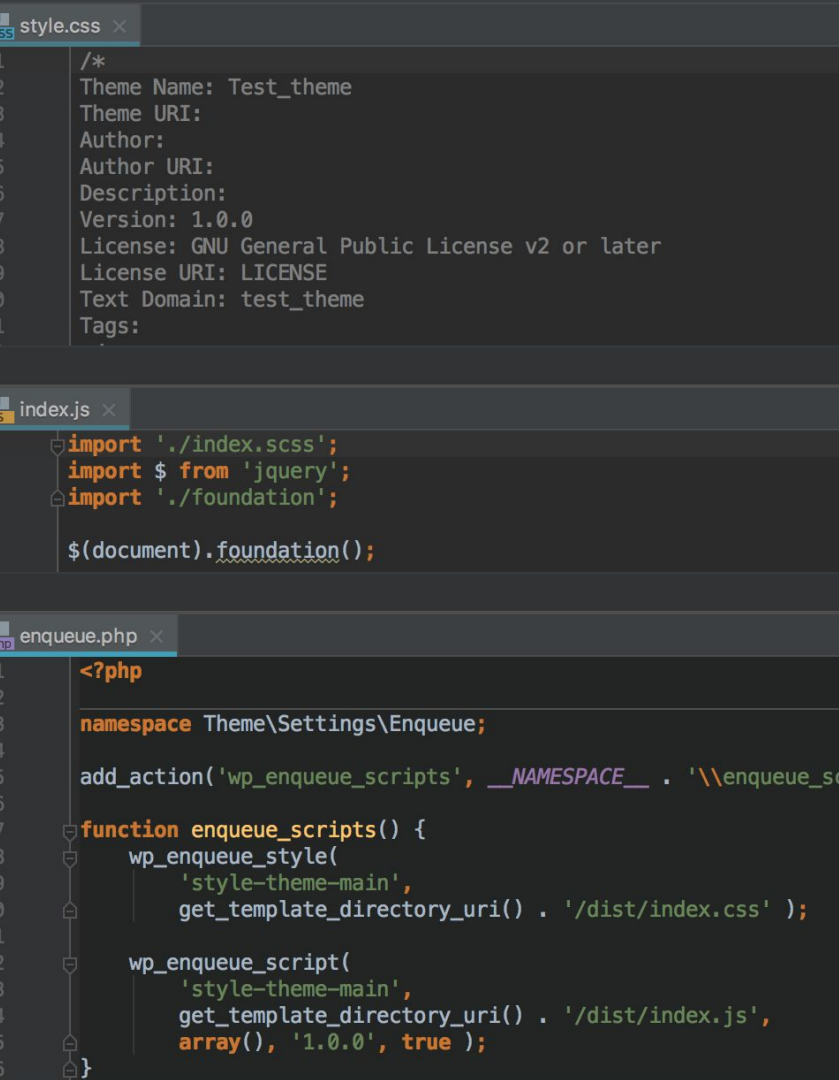
Nice additions

- Babel for ES6
- ESLint for code checks
- Husky for Git hooks
- WebPack Notifier for build feedback
- Yargs for adding options to your build scripts

Tip:

Think twice before installing/running ANYTHING with sudo. Instead, install packages locally and/or [move your global package location](#). Always look for another answer when Stack Overflow says “Just run sudo ...”

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```



Getting started: WordPress

- Only need THEME/style.css for theme setup
- Main JavaScript file (WebPack entry) imports all assets.
- Enqueue only the THEME/dist main files.

Getting Started: Imports

SCSS

- Npm modules with ~/
- Custom files use relative path

JavaScript

- Npm modules by name.
- Top level scss file only, avoids confusing import trees.
- Custom files use relative path
- @ sign is a newer convention in the community to namespace based on author.

```
index.scss
1 // Bootstrap
2 @import "~bootstrap/scss/functions";
3 @import "~bootstrap/scss/mixins";
4 @import "variables"; // Variables Override
5 @import "~bootstrap/scss/bootstrap"; // Full 4.1
6 @import "~js-offcanvas/src/js-offcanvas.scss";
7
8 // Slick
9 @import "~slick-carousel/slick/slick";
10
11 // Font Awesome
12 @import "fontawesome";
13
14 // Fonts
15 @import "lib/montserrat/stylesheet";
16 @import "lib/lora/stylesheet";
17
18 // Custom
19 @import "assets/index.scss";
20 @import "assets/index";
21
22 index.js
23 1 import 'bootstrap';
24 2 import 'slick-carousel';
25 3 import '@fortawesome/fontawesome-free/js/all';
26 4 import './lib/mini_line/style.css';
27 5 import './cv';
28 6 import 'js-offcanvas/dist/_js/js-offcanvas.pkgd';
29 7 import 'jquery-drilldown';
30
31 8 import './assets/inline-svg';
32
33 9 import './assets/_region--offcanvas';
34 10 import './assets/_component--testimonial-carousel';
35 11 import './assets/_component--overflow-carousel';
36 12 import './assets/_component--sponsors';
```

```

1 import $ from 'jquery';
2
3 import { Foundation } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.core';
4 Foundation.addToJQuery($);
5
6 // Add Foundation Utils to Foundation global namespace for backwards
7 // compatibility.
8
9 import { rtl, GetYoDigits, transitionend } from 'foundation-sites/js/
10 Foundation.rtl = rtl;
11 Foundation.GetYoDigits = GetYoDigits;
12 Foundation.transitionend = transitionend;
13
14 import { Box } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.util.box';
15 import { onImagesLoaded } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.util.
16 import { Keyboard } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.util.keyboa
17 import { MediaQuery } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.util.medi
18 import { Motion, Move } from 'foundation-sites/js/foundation.util.m

```

index.scss x

Enable File Watcher to compile SCSS to CSS?

```

1 @include foundation-global-styles;
2 //@include foundation-grid;
3 //@include foundation-flex-grid;
4 @include foundation-xy-grid-classes;
5 @include foundation-typography;
6 @include foundation-button;
7 @include foundation-forms;
8 @include foundation-range-input;
9 @include foundation-accordion;
0 @include foundation-accordion-menu;
1 @include foundation-badge;
2 @include foundation-breadcrumbs;
3 @include foundation-button-group;
4 @include foundation-callout;
5 @include foundation-card;
6 @include foundation-close-button;
7 @include foundation-menu;
8 @include foundation-menu-icon;
9 @include foundation-drilldown-menu;
0 @include foundation-dropdown;
1 @include foundation-dropdown-menu;

```

Getting started: JavaScript Modules

There are multiple module formats, WebPack takes care of it for you.

- ES6 modules
- CommonJS modules
- AMD modules
- Module Object and IIFE
- UMD

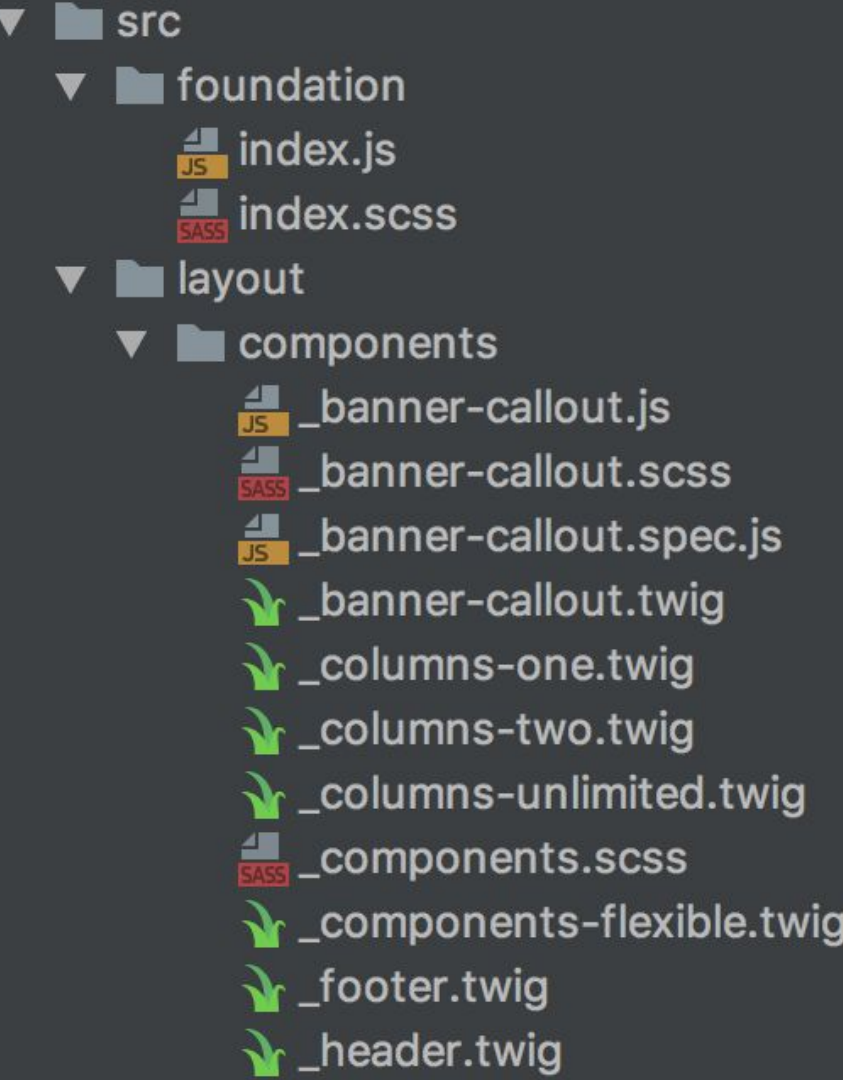
Brief history of JavaScript Modules

Getting Started: Modules

Everything is a module,
even your code.

- No globals
- Less to understand per file
- import/export without worrying about format of other modules

```
index.js x
1  import './index.scss';
2  import $ from 'jquery';
3  import './foundation';
4  import 'slick-carousel';
5
6  $(document).foundation();
7
8  $(document).ready(() => {
9    $('[data-ref="events-carousel"]:not(
10      accessibility: true,
11      adaptiveHeight: true,
12      slidesToShow: 2,
13      slidesToScroll: 2,
14      infinite: false,
15      prevArrow: '<button type="button"
16      responsive: [
17        {
18          breakpoint: 992,
19          settings: {
20            slidesToShow: 1,
21            slidesToScroll: 1,
22          }
23        }
24      ]
25    });
26  });
27
```

Getting started: Group by feature

Splitting up files is easier to read & see relationships.

Tip:

Watch out for circular dependencies. They're a nightmare to debug.

- Try to only include files in the same directory or lower
- Avoid any dependencies in helper scripts or shared services.

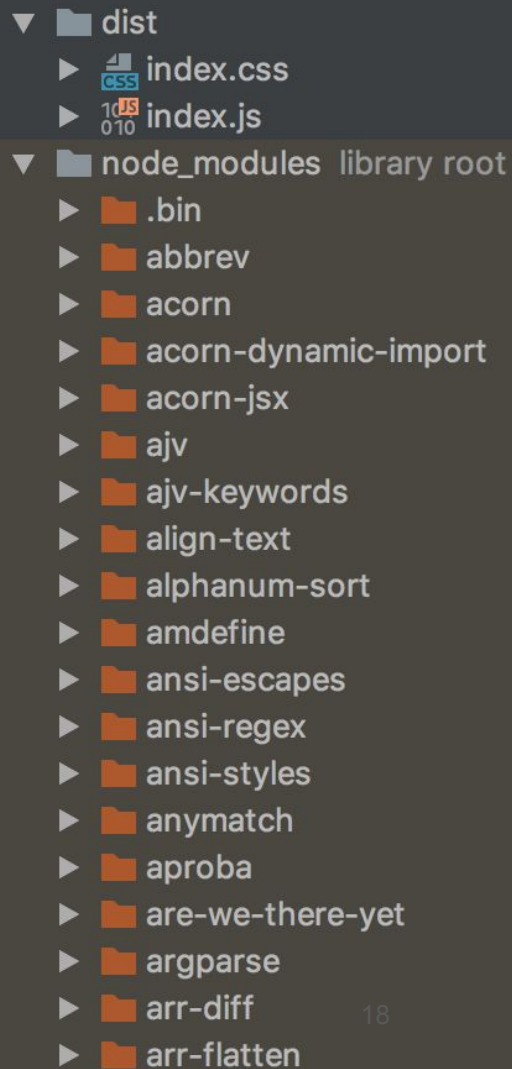
Getting started: Version Control

Exclude dist/ and node_modules/ from version control when possible. (.gitignore)

- Bloats the repository when it can be recreated in minutes
- So many conflicts
- Difficult code reviews

Tip:

Sometimes this is unavoidable because of how a deployment is set up. Resolving conflicts can be done by re-running the build. You should still **NOT** include node modules because WebPack will include any needed code in the built files



```
> Build setup

> git config --global user.email "$GIT_EMAIL";

> git config --global user.name "$GIT_USER";

> git clone $REPO web

> cd web

> git fetch

> git checkout "$BITBUCKET_BRANCH"

> git pull

> rm -fr wp-content

> cp -r ../wp-content .

> git status

> git add --all .

> git commit --allow-empty -m "Committing build artifacts from BitBu...

> git push origin "$BITBUCKET_BRANCH"

> Build teardown
```

Getting started: Version Control

Separate source from build files with CI/CD

- BitBucket Pipelines
- CircleCI
- GitLab
- Travis CI
- Visual Studio Online

Tip:

When a deployment process requires version control, this is a good way to keep built files out of source code

Getting started: Upload from local

Take the time to set up local development sites

Gulp can help for bulk uploads.
Useful when your server does not support Node

Tip:

Lando is great for local sites

<https://docs.devwithlando.io/tutorials/wordpress.html>

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```
const client = require('scp2');

/**
 * Push content to the SFTP server
 */
gulp.task('push', function() {
  glob(paths.src + '/*/*.*', (err, files) => {
    if (err) {
      console.error('Error pushing', err);
    } else {
      console.info('Found', files.length, 'files');
      async.eachLimit(files, 10, upload('Pushing'));
    }
  });
});

const upload = (msg) => (file, callback = null) => {
  const filePath = file.path ? file.path : file;
  const target = dest(filePath);

  return new Promise((resolve, reject) => {
    client.upload(filePath, target, (e, stat, fd) => {
      if (e) {
        console.error(msg, 'error', target, e);
        if (callback) callback(e);
        return reject(e);
      } else {
        console.info(msg, target, 'success');
        if (callback) callback();
        return resolve();
      }
    });
  });
});

const dest = (localPath) => {
  const root = localPath.startsWith(paths.cwd) ? path.join(paths.cwd, localPath) : localPath;
  const relative = localPath.replace(root, '');
  return path.join(paths.dest, relative);
};
```

Build script



Development

- Tooling for in browser debugging
- Fast incremental compilation
- Useful error messages at run time

Watching for changes

Production

- Small output size
- Fast in browser
- Omitting development only code
- Not exposing source or file paths
- Easy to use output assets

One-time build

WebPack: Config

No config required with WebPack 4

For very basic builds

Without config or provide custom webpack.config.js

```
const path = require('path');

module.exports = {
  entry: './src/index.js',
  output: {
    path: path.resolve(__dirname, 'dist'),
    filename: 'bundle.js'
  }
};
```

Webpack: Gutenberg Blocks

create-guten-block

NPM module for zero configuration Gutenberg block build process.

Gutenberg uses React.js and needs a build process.

INSIDE: /local_dev_site.tld/wp-content

```
|— plugin.php
|— package.json
|— README.md
|
|— dist
|   |— blocks.build.js
|   |— blocks.editor.build.css
|   |— blocks.style.build.css
|
|— src
|   |— block
|       |— block.js
|       |— editor.scss
|       |— style.scss
|
|— blocks.js
|— common.scss
|— init.php
```


Dependencies



Entry file(s)



Helpers



```
const argv = require('yargs').argv;
const ExtractTextPlugin = require('extract-text-webpack');
const webpack = require('webpack');
const WebpackNotifierPlugin = require('webpack-notifier');
const CleanWebpackPlugin = require('clean-webpack-plugin');

let config = {
  // https://webpack.github.io/docs/configuration.html
  // https://docs.npmjs.com/files/package.json#config
  entry: './' + process.env.npm_package_config_paths
  // https://webpack.github.io/docs/configuration.html
  output: {
    filename: 'index.js',
    // https://docs.npmjs.com/files/package.json#co
    path: __dirname + '/' + process.env.npm_package
  },
  // https://webpack.js.org/configuration/stats/
  stats: {
    // overall build time
    timings: true
  },
  // https://webpack.github.io/docs/configuration.html
  profile: true,
  // https://webpack.github.io/docs/configuration.html
  // Example: webpack --watch
  watch: !!argv.watch,
  module: {
    rules: [
      // Javascript processing
      // https://www.npmjs.com/package/babel-load
      // https://babeljs.io/
      // Enables ES6 javascript for all browsers
      {
        test: /\.js$/,
```

WebPack

Loaders / Modules

- **Test** for files coming through
- **Use a loader**
- Configure with **options**

This loader transforms ES6 code to ES5 so all browsers can understand it.

```
// Javascript processing
// https://www.npmjs.com/package/babel-core
// https://babeljs.io/
// Enables ES6 javascript for all browsers
{
  test    : /\.js$/,
  exclude: '/node_modules/',
  use    : {
    loader: 'babel-loader',
    options: {
      "presets": ["env"],
      "comments": false
    }
  }
},
```

Webpack: SASS

Css-loader

Tells WebPack how to load and read css files

Postcss-loader

Automatically add vendor prefixes

Sass-loader

Tells WebPack how to load and read sass files

```
// CSS processing
// http://sass-lang.com/
{
  test: /\.scss$/,
  // https://www.npmjs.com/package/extract-text-webpack-plugin
  use: ExtractTextPlugin.extract({
    fallback: 'style-loader',
    use: [
      // https://www.npmjs.com/package/css-loader
      {
        loader: 'css-loader',
        options: {
          // Minimize only if building for production to optimize build times
          // Example: export NODE_ENV=production && webpack
          minimize: (process.env.NODE_ENV === 'production'),
          sourceMap: true
        }
      },
      // Auto-prefix css to automatically add vendor prefixes.
      // https://www.npmjs.com/package/postcss-loader
      {
        loader: 'postcss-loader',
        options: {
          ident: 'postcss',
          sourceMap: true,
          plugins: function(loader) {
            return [
              // https://github.com/postcss/autoprefixer
              require('autoprefixer')({
                browsers: ['last 2 versions', 'ie >= 9', 'and_chr >= 2.3']
              })
            ]
          }
        }
      },
      // https://www.npmjs.com/package/sass-loader
      {
        loader: 'sass-loader',
        options: {
          sourceMap: true
        }
      }
    ]
  })
}
```

Webpack: Everything else

Avoid image processing, instead optimize images when adding them to your project so you don't need to wait every time you make a CSS change.

```
// Copy any additional files used in production but not required a specific loader.  
// Needed to copy over fonts, images, etc from npm packages.  
// https://www.npmjs.com/package/file-loader  
{  
  test: /\.?(eot|ttf|woff|woff2|svg|png|jpg|gif)$/i,  
  use: [  
    {  
      loader: 'file-loader',  
      options: {  
        name: '[name].[hash].[ext]',  
        context: './' + process.env.npm_package_config_paths_source  
      }  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

Webpack

Plugins

Add any non-file specific tasks

Devtool

Sourcemaps

Tip:

Some sourcemaps are faster than others

Tip:

Use ExtractTextPlugin to avoid javascript injecting CSS

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```
    },  
    // Copy any additional files used in production  
    // Needed to copy over fonts, images, etc.  
    // https://www.npmjs.com/package/file-loader  
    {  
      test: /\.?(eot|ttf|woff|woff2|svg|png|jpe?g)$/i,  
      use: [  
        {  
          loader: 'file-loader',  
          options: {  
            name: '[name].[hash].[ext]',  
            context: './' + process.env.NODE_ENV,  
          },  
        },  
      ],  
    },  
  ],  
  plugins: [  
    // https://www.npmjs.com/package/clean-webpack-plugin  
    // https://webpack.js.org/guides/output-management/#clean-webpack-plugin  
    new CleanWebpackPlugin([process.env.NODE_ENV]),  
    // https://www.npmjs.com/package/extract-text-webpack-plugin  
    // https://webpack.github.io/docs/stylesheets-in-javascript.html#extract-css  
    new ExtractTextPlugin("index.css"),  
    // https://www.npmjs.com/package/webpack-notifier  
    new WebpackNotifierPlugin({alwaysNotify: true}),  
  ],  
  // https://webpack.js.org/configuration/devtool/  
  // Fastest source map that works with text extraction  
  devtool: "#cheap-module-source-map"
```

WebPack

Production Build

Time intensive, more optimizations

Tip:

Use environment variables for triggering production builds.

```
"scripts": {  
  "start": "./node_modules/.bin/webpack --watch",  
  "build-production": "export NODE_ENV=production &&  
  "precommit": "npm run vet",  
  "lint": "./node_modules/.bin/eslint src/",  
  "vet": "npm list --depth=0 && npm run lint"  
},
```

```
// Production override settings.  
// See build-prod script in package.json  
// export NODE_ENV=production && ./node_modules/.bin/webpack  
if (process.env.NODE_ENV === 'production') {  
  
  config.plugins.push(  
    // https://webpack.github.io/docs/lis  
    new webpack.optimize.UglifyJsPlugin({  
      sourceMap: true,  
      compress: {  
        warnings: false  
      }  
    })  
  );  
  
  // https://webpack.js.org/configuration/d  
  // Different from dev. This version is sl  
  config.devtool = "#source-map";  
  
}  
  
module.exports = config;
```



Advanced Use Cases

Advanced: Multiple Node Versions

NVM: Node Version Manager

N: Another Node version manager

Docker: Can install a different version of Node per project

Lando: Can install Node as a service, to run in Docker

Advanced: Two theme styles

Npm concurrently can launch multiple processes

Tip:

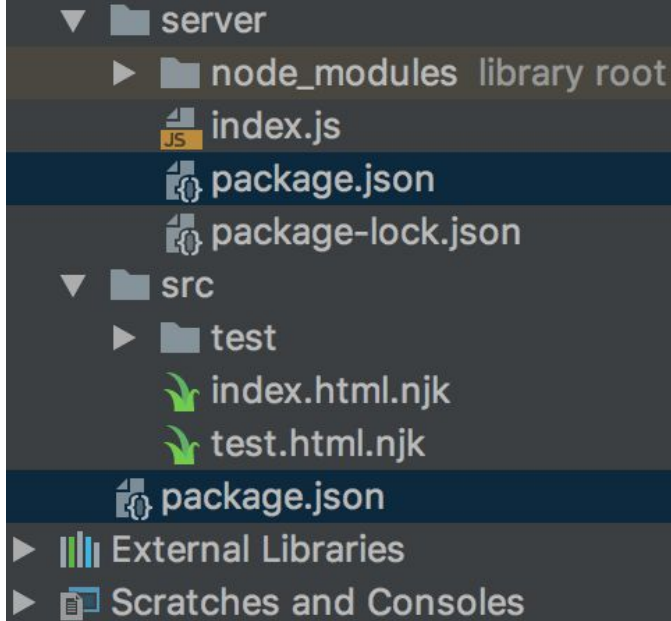
Rather than installing global packages, install locally and use `node_modules/.bin/...`

```
"main": "index.js",
"scripts": {
  "start": "concurrently \"npm:dev-theme1\" \"npm:dev-theme2\"",
  "build-all": "npm run build-theme1 && npm run build-theme2",
  "build-theme1": "export NODE_ENV=production && ./node_modules/.bin/webpack --config ./webpack/theme1.",
  "build-theme2": "export NODE_ENV=production && ./node_modules/.bin/webpack --config ./webpack/theme2.",
  "dev-theme1": "./node_modules/.bin/webpack --config ./webpack/theme1.config.js --watch",
  "dev-theme2": "./node_modules/.bin/webpack --config ./webpack/theme2.config.js --watch",
  "git-add-working": "git add ../common_2018 ../theme2_2018 ../theme1_2018 . && git reset ../theme1_2018",
  "git-reset-dist": "git checkout -- ../theme1_2018/dist ../theme2_2018/dist",
  "test": "jest"
},
"author": "",
"license": "ISC",
"dependencies": {
  "@fortawesome/fontawesome-free": "^5.1.0",
```

Advanced: Multiple package.json

Splitting projects makes it
easier to manage
dependencies

Root project needs to manage
child folders



Advanced: Nuclear option

Inheriting a very old build

- Date the project by looking up release dates of modules and node releases.
- Delete the package.json dependencies, package-lock.json (or npm-shrinkwrap.json)
- Re-install with one giant npm install --save command and let npm work it out

This is a last resort but it has saved me

```
Kevins-MacBook-Pro:wp-build kevinobrien$ npm install --save autoprefixer babel-core  
babel-loader babel-preset-env clean-webpack-plugin css-loader eslint eslint-config-c  
lockwork extract-text-webpack-plugin file-loader husky node-sass postcss-loader sass  
-loader style-loader webpack webpack-notifier yargs
```

Advanced: Errors

Always start with “E...”

```
npm ERR! code EJSONPARSE
npm ERR! Failed to parse json
npm ERR! Unexpected token p in JSON at position 1 while parsing near 'npm install --save
npm ERR! File: /Users/kevinobrien/Clockwork/code/wp-build/web/wp-content/themes/wordpress
npm ERR! Failed to parse package.json data.
npm ERR! package.json must be actual JSON, not just JavaScript.
npm ERR!
npm ERR! Tell the package author to fix their package.json file. JSON.parse
```

```
npm ERR! A complete log of this run can be found in:
npm ERR! /Users/kevinobrien/.npm/_logs/2018-08-22T03_56_39_742Z-debug.log
```



Questions?

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