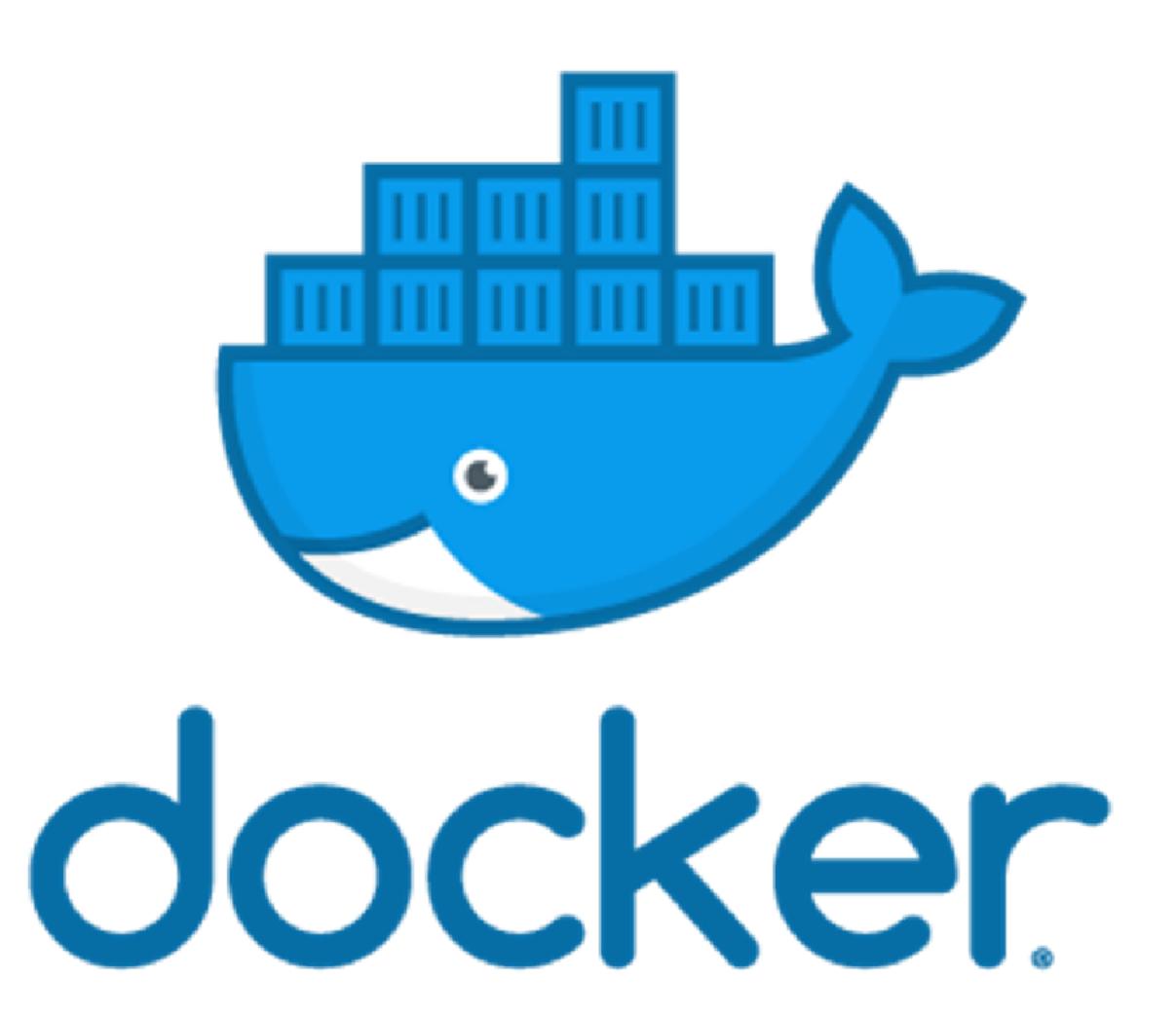
Reproducible build environments: mucho más que containers

-\ (\\\) IT WORKS on my machine

DEPENDENCY HELL

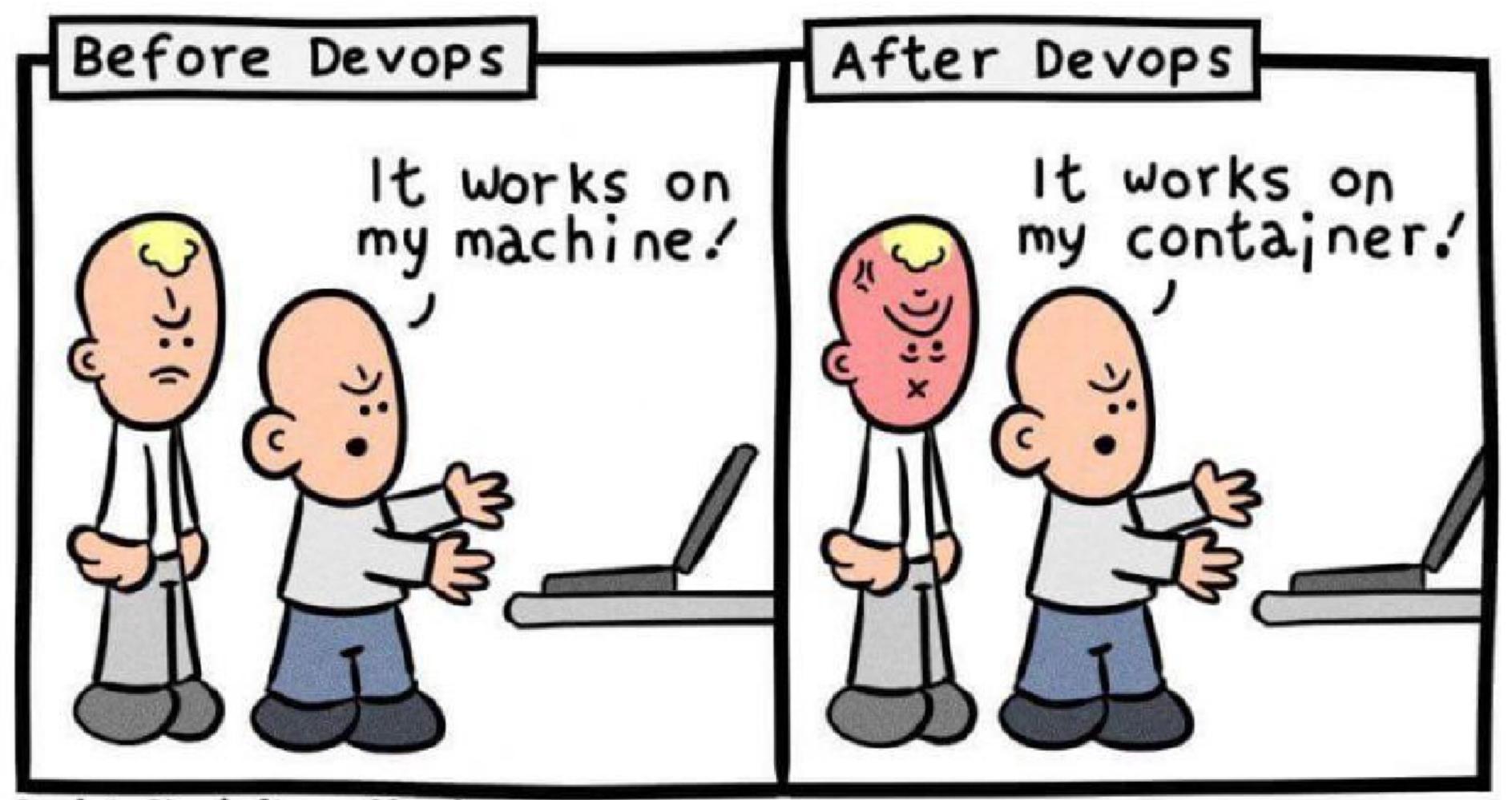


```
[matias@lizarazu:/tmp/sample-project]$ cat requirements.txt
asn1crypto==0.24.0
certifi==2019.6.16
cffi==1.12.3
chardet==3.0.4
cryptography==2.7
idna==2.8
packaging==19.0
pyasn1 == 0.4.5
pycparser==2.19
pyOpenSSL==19.0.0
pyparsing==2.3.1
PySocks==1.6.8
requests==2.22.0
six == 1.12.0
urllib3==1.24.3
virtualenv==16.4.3
[matias@lizarazu:/tmp/sample-project]$
```



- "chroot on steroids"
- Entorno aislado del sistema host
- Reproducibilidad vía Dockerfiles

```
# DO NOT USE THIS DOCKERFILE AS AN EXAMPLE, IT IS BROKEN
# https://pythonspeed.com/articles/dockerizing-python-is-hard/
FROM python:3
COPY yourscript.py /
RUN pip install flask
CMD [ "python", "./yourscript.py" ]
```



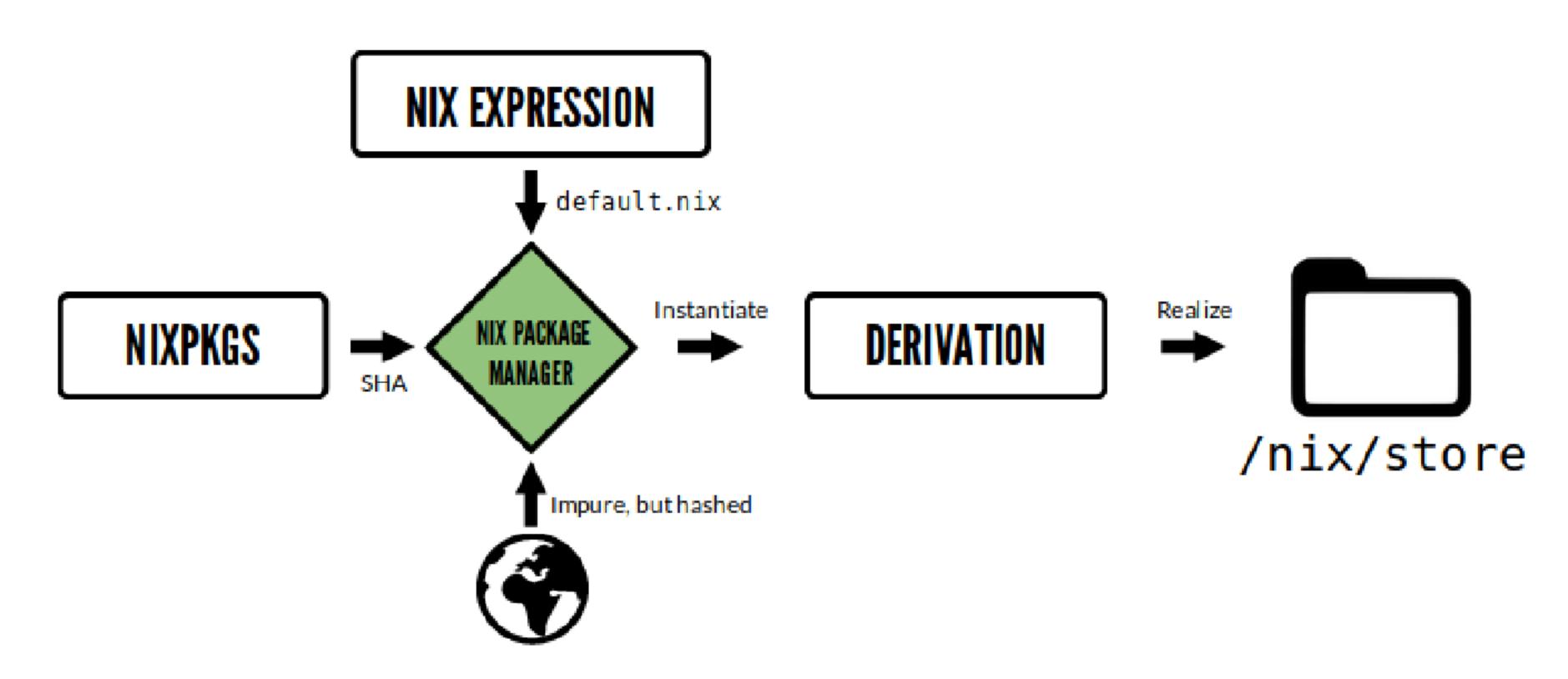
Daniel Stori (turnoff.us)

- Reproducibilidad "espacial", no "temporal"
- Difícil de usar para desarrollar
- Generalmente usan binarios de las distros
- Caching difícil (por el modelo de layers)





- Build tool y package manager
- Reproducible by design
- Multiplataforma
- "symlinks on steroids"



HOW DOES NIX WORK?

```
/home/sander/.nix-profile
/nix/var/nix/profiles/per-user/sander_
\vdash profile \leftarrow
\cbar{profile-1} \leftarrow
/nix/store
 - 1zhgva9cmfz...-user-environment \leftarrow
  └ bin
       -unzip
  bnrvxnz2l1k...-zip-3.0
  └ bin
     ∟ zip ∢
  2irx0s5cmy2...-unzip-6.0
   └ bin
     └ unzip ←
```

```
2 let
     pkgs = import (builtins.fetchGit {
       name = "nixpkgs-unstable";
      url = https://github.com/nixos/nixpkgs/;
       rev = "ac1aeb4fbbeda940792c9c319c89badd36598705";
 7 }) {};
 8 in
 9 pkgs.mkShell {
     buildInputs = [ pkgs.imagemagick pkgs.xdotool ];
11 }
 12
shell.nix
"shell.nix" line 1 of 12 --8%-- col 1
matias@<u>hayashida</u>> ./topdf.sh
                                    ~/presentacion-nix-nerdearla
./topdf.sh: line 4: convert: command not found
[1] matias@hayashida> nix-shell ~/presentacion-nix-nerdearla
[nix-shell:~/presentacion-nix-nerdearla]$ ./topdf.sh
PDF saved in ./slides.pdf
[nix-shell:~/presentacion-nix-nerdearla]$
```

```
1 #! /usr/bin/env nix-shell
2 #! nix-shell -i bash -p neofetch inxi curl -I nixpkgs=https://github.com/NixOS
   /nixpkgs/archive/ac1aeb4fbbeda940792c9c319c89badd36598705.tar.gz
3
4 neofetch | curl 'http://misitio.com/collect-system-stats?tool=neofetch' -d @-
5 inxi | curl 'http://misitio.com/collect-system-stats?tool=inxi' -d @-
```

Nix no es una alternativa a Docker!

Nix no es una alternativa a Docker! Pero sí a los Dockerfiles

Problemas de Nix

Documentación

Complicado lidiar con malas prácticas de packaging

Conclusiones

Links útiles

- nixos.org/nixos/nix-pills/
- nixos.org/{nix,nixpkgs,nixos}/manual/
- guix.gnu.org
- twitter.com/cript0nauta
- cutt.ly/nix-en-nerdearla

Muchas gracias!

Preguntas?