

The background of the slide is a solid orange color with a faint, intricate white pattern of circuit board traces, components, and connectors, resembling a complex electronic circuit.

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# OpenWrt build infrastructures — past, present and (near) future

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# About me

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# Building OpenWrt images

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# What's in it for you?

- building images requires time — be mindful
- you might already be doing it (wrong)
- find out what is coming



# Use cases

- for one or multiple devices
- when requested by customer
- on every git commit
- (nightly) periodic builds
- debug version or production image
- snapshots or releases



# Past & present

- manual builds
- scripts/env
- Buildbot
  - [downloads.openwrt.org](https://downloads.openwrt.org)
  - IRC
- limited build testing
- no runtime testing



# Continuous integration

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# Drone.io

- Docker based
- Works well with GitHub and Bitbucket
  - can be patched and customized
- build instructions defined in the .drone.yml file





# OpenWrt

- openwrt-ninja GitHub account
- defconfig is built for every pull request



openwrt / openwrt

Watch

114

Unstar

483

Fork

342

Code

Issues 24

Pull requests 18

Projects 0

Wiki

Pulse

Graphs

Settings

Filters

is:pr is:open

Labels

Milestones

New pull request

18 Open ✓ 75 Closed

Author

Labels

Milestones

Assignee

Sort

CC15.05: scripts/getver.sh: Fix revision numbering (for Github-based repo) ✗

#125 opened 2 days ago by hnyman

gsw-mt7621 switch reset code fix ✓

#112 opened 8 days ago by AutumnShie

1

update mt7621.dtsi; add support uart2 and uart3 ✓

#107 opened 13 days ago by wind0419

1

image.mk: use LINUX\_KARCH rather than ARCH for mkits ✓

#101 opened 14 days ago by Ham??



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## Some checks haven't completed yet

[Hide all checks](#)

1 pending check



**continuous-integration/drone** — this build is pending

[Details](#)



## This branch has no conflicts with the base branch

Merging can be performed automatically.

Merge pull request



or view [command line instructions](#).





## All checks have failed

1 failing check

[Hide all checks](#)



**continuous-integration/drone** — the build failed

[Details](#)



## This branch has no conflicts with the base branch

Merging can be performed automatically.

Merge pull request



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## All checks have passed

[Hide all checks](#)

1 successful check



**continuous-integration/drone** — the build was succe...

[Details](#)



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COMMITTS ON OCT 11 2016



SUCCESS

Revert legacy kernels (3.18/4.1) to last known-good release

wigori authored 33 minutes ago to legacy-revert



SUCCESS

ar71xx: backport flow-control related patches

wigori authored an hour ago to master



FAILURE

ar71xx: backport flow-control related patches

wigori authored an hour ago to master



RUNNING

CC15.05: scripts/getver.sh: Fix revision numbering (for Github-based repo)

hnyman authored 13 hours ago to cc\_getver



SUCCESS

Chaos calmer upstream relocation

hvarga authored 15 hours ago to chaos\_calmer-upstream-relocation



## netfilter,iptables: add optional CHECKSUM module [↗](#)

dosvald authored 4 days ago to iptables-add-CHECKSUM

SUCCESS

finished 2 days ago

with exit code 0

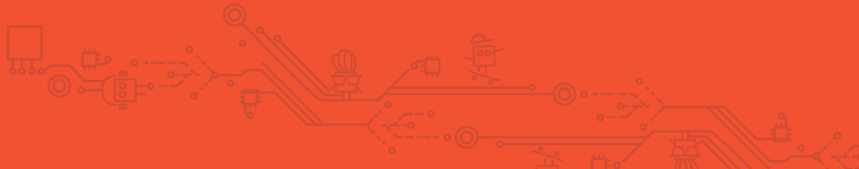
RESTART

```
[info] Pulling image plugins/drone-git:latest
Drone Git Plugin built from 43dcd64
$ git init
Initialized empty Git repository in /drone/src/github.com/
$ git remote add origin https://github.com/openwrt/openwrt
$ git fetch --no-tags origin +refs/pull/120/merge:
From https://github.com/openwrt/openwrt
 * branch                refs/pull/120/merge -> FETCH_HEAD
$ git checkout -qf FETCH_HEAD
$ export FORCE_UNSAFE_CONFIGURE=1
$ make defconfig
fatal: No names found, cannot describe anything.
fatal: No names found, cannot describe anything.
Checking 'working-make'... ok.
Checking 'case-sensitive-fs'... ok.
Checking 'gcc'... ok.
Checking 'working-gcc'... ok.
```



# Moving forward

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# Action items

- run all builds on every commit or pull request
- infrastructure test and deployment
- optimization of the build process
  - reusing toolchain builds
  - download directory mirror





**makkrrnic** add ramips-minimal.config ...

 [.gitignore](#)

 [ar71xx-full.config](#)

 [ar71xx-minimal.config](#)

 [default-x86.config](#)

 [kirkwood-full.config](#)

 [kirkwood-minimal.config](#)

 [ramips-full.config](#)

 [ramips-minimal.config](#)

 [x86-full.config](#)

 [x86-minimal.config](#)



# Wish list

- fine grained package building in feeds
- automated Docker based test image deployment
- semi-automated package upgrade via pull request
- Docker debug and develop mode



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