

How to ~~not~~ use Prometheus and Grafana with Prusa printers

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Who am I?

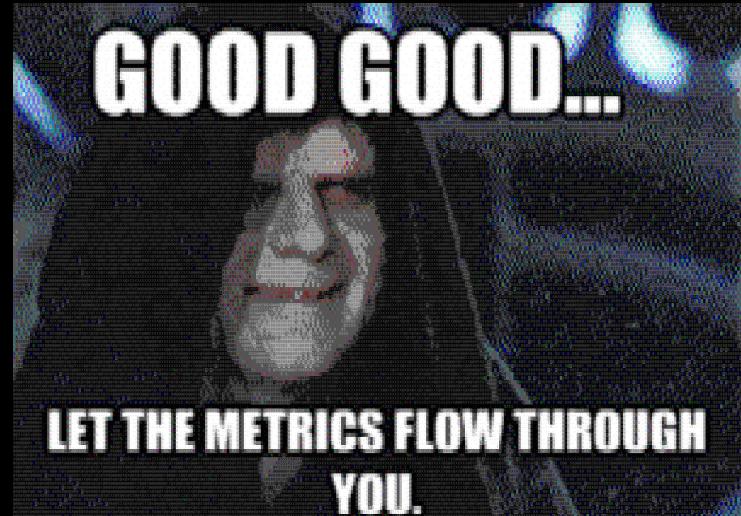
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- Car enthusiast
- Homebrewer (Sorta)



Hello-There.svg

What is Prometheus exporter?

- /metrics
- Endpoint for Prometheus Scraper
- Instrumenting metrics
- TL;DR:
 - “Text file” that Prometheus gets and stores



Metrics-Emperor.svg

But why?

- Multiple printers
- Centralisation of metrics
- Long preservation of data
- Alerting
- Freedom
- Machine learning?



Pleasure-Room.svg

How it works?

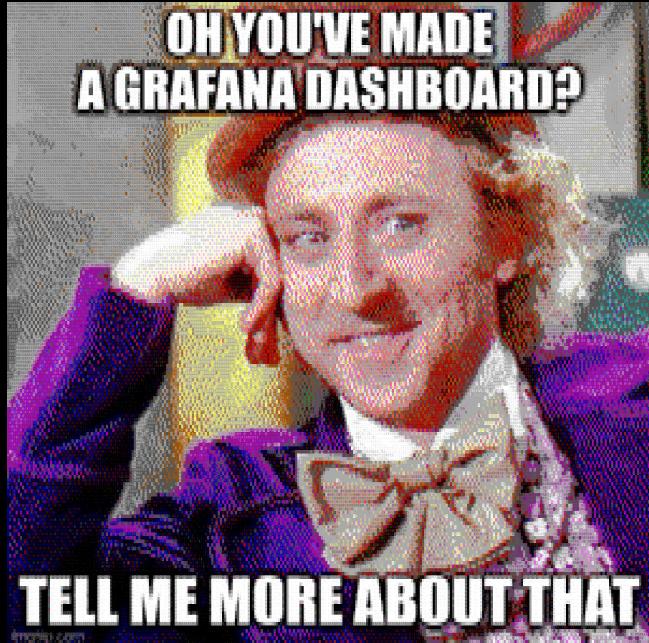
- “It just works.”
- GoLang
- Three Prometheus Handlers
 - Legacy (DEPRECATED)
 - Buddy
 - Einsy
- Multi-target
- A lot of messy metrics



It-Just-Works.svg

DemOps!

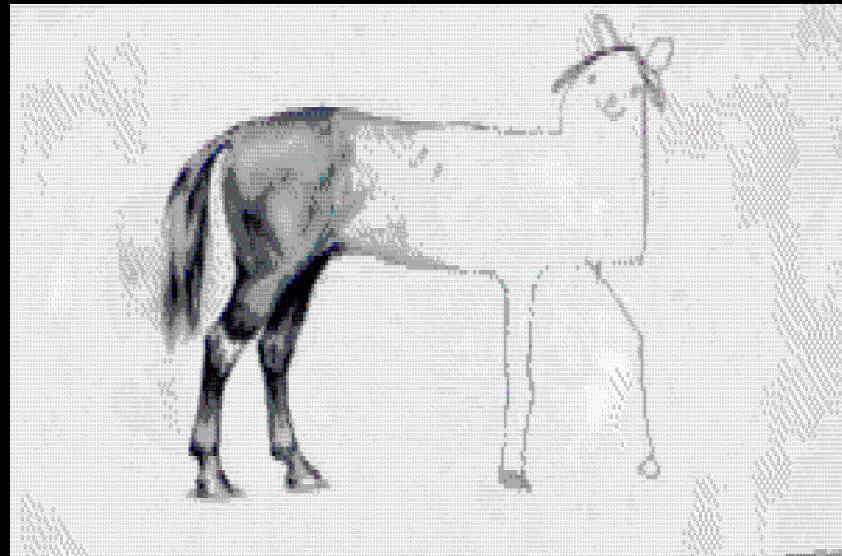
Hopefully



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Current status

- It works... somehow
- WIP - More like PoC
- It needs polishing
- Logging data from printers to Loki
- And much more



Horse.svg

Thanks!

See you later...

Alligator



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