GNU Code Quality Project ?

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Background

- I maintain GnuTLS, GNU SASL, GNU Libidn, GNU Shishi, GNU GSS and several non-GNU projects
- I contribute to Gnulib, GNU InetUtils, GNU MailUtils and other projects
- Code quality efforts are to a large extent not very project-specific
 - Assuming "normal" projects, i.e., autoconf ./configure script and automake self-tests

Idea

Start a GNU-wide project to facilitate code quality improvement to interested projects

Essential services

- Build bot from version controlled source
 - Current solution is just a script
 - Could be more complex and require a number of installed developer packages on build machine
 - Use Nix?

Essential services

- Daily snapshot upload/download service
 - Currently SSH authenticated uploads of PGP signed sources (use anonymous ftp instead?)
 - Download via http://daily.josefsson.org/
- Build on different platforms for wider testing
 - Simpler: download daily snapshot, ./configure, make check, pipe output to email to PROJECT@autobuild.josefsson.org
- Web interface to view build status
 - http://autobuild.josefsson.org/

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This server is sponsored by <u>Simon Josefsson Datakonsult AB</u> and contains daily snapshots for various projects.

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The majority of snapshots were created by this script:

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This server contains build logs for projects that send their build logs via e-mail to [PROJECTNAME]@autobuild.josefsson.org.

For more information, see <u>http://josefsson.org/autobuild/</u>.

What are the requirements?

The system works best with projects that use Autoconf, and in particular those that run the AB_INIT macro in autobuild.m4 from Autobuild. The macro makes your configure script output strings such as:

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Other services

- Code coverage charts
 - Using GCOV/LCOV on 'make check'
 - Useful to identify what code needs more testing

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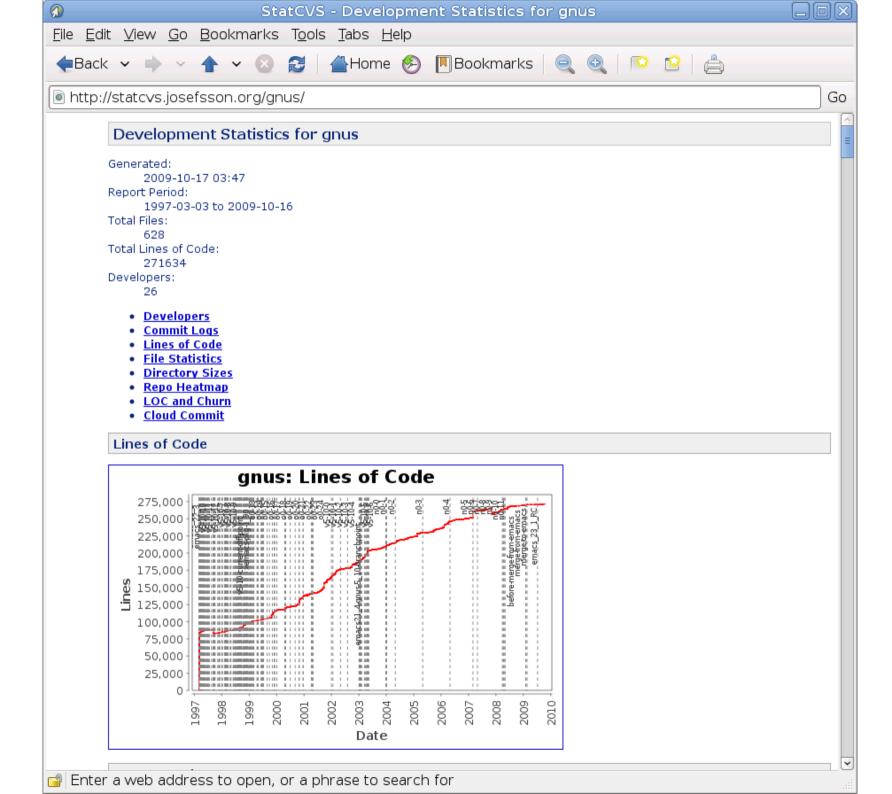
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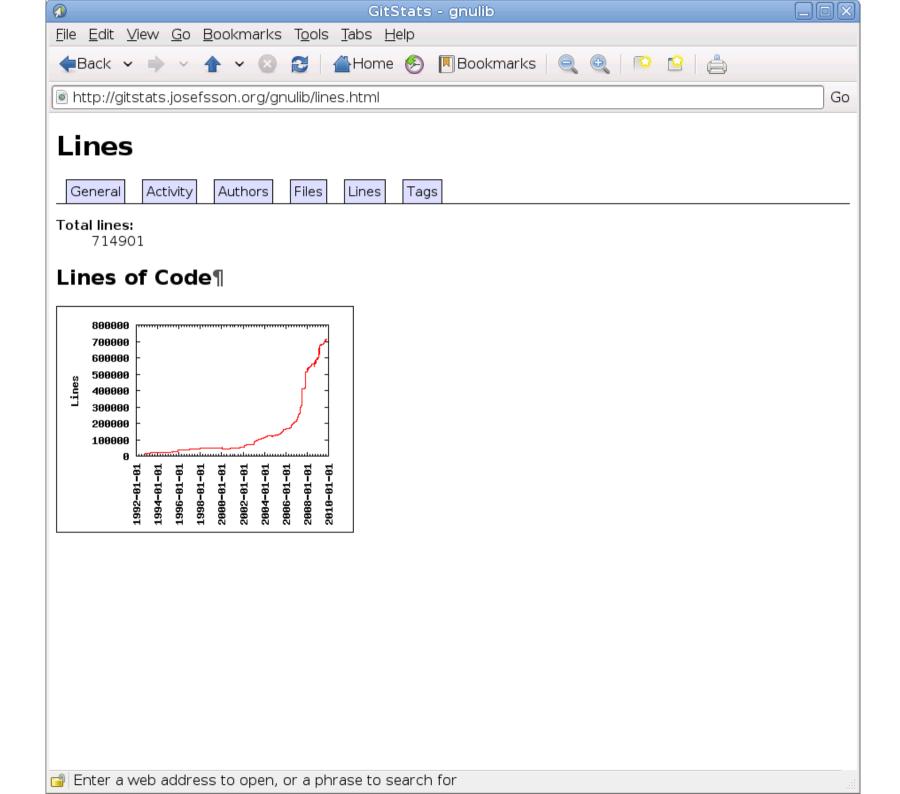
- Cyclomatic code complexity charts to help find complex code
 - Useful to identify complex and thus likely buggy code
 - Rationale: most of GnuTLS's security bugs have been in functions which are at the top cyclo list

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Other services

- Version controlled source statistics
 - StatCVS/GitStat
 - Helps visualize trends





Side effects

- More interaction and cooperation between GNU projects
- Improved understanding of maturity and stability of difference projects