



GenLang new I10n tools, a vision

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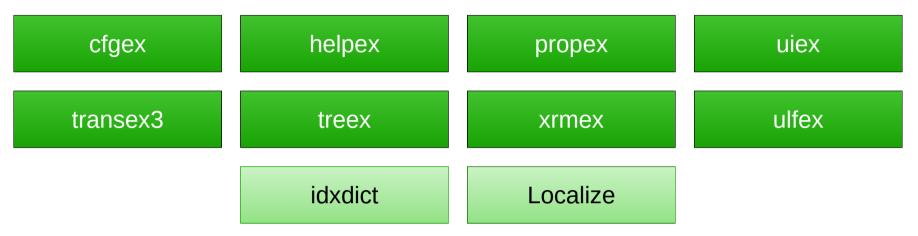
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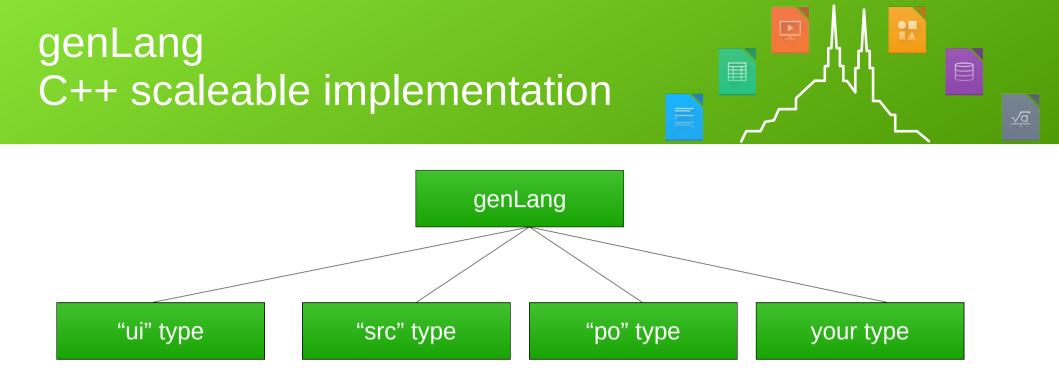
Very mature tools In reality not maintainable





- * Too many executables, with different implementations
- Not really integrated in build system (big "find")
 - Template generation and merge are total, not pr module
- Each module have 1-30 pot files (average 9)
- Each module in help have 4-12 pot files (average 8)





- Single implementation extension by inheritance
- Single pot file pr module (help is special)
- Files to be translated defined in makefiles
- Translate/merge pr module





Implementation step by step

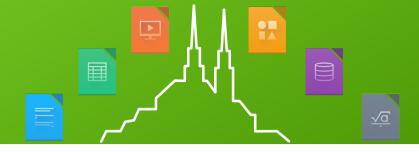


- Step 1 (now)
 - Generate pot files, 100% identical to current files
 - Proof of concept
 - All work contained in core/l10nlang
 - In order to compile, uncomment in modules.mk





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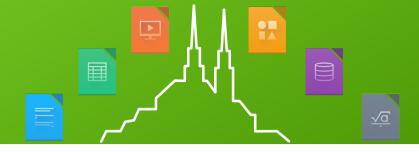


- Step 2 (partly started)
 - Merge po files to source files, 98% identical to current files
 - Compiles/generates identical but e.g. formatting different
 - Drop-in replacement of old tools





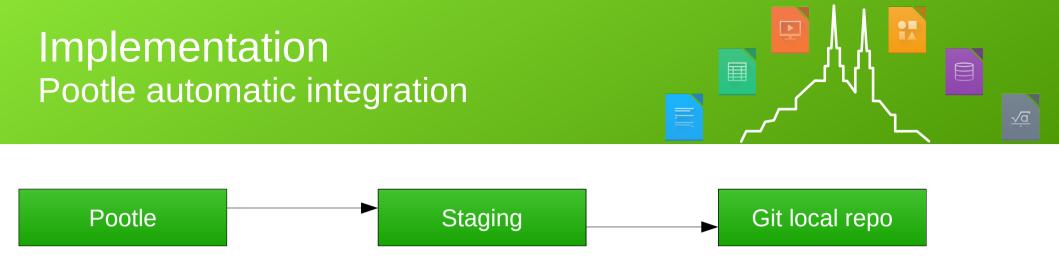
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- Step 3 (tested)
 - Integrate into build system
 - 1 file pr module (1 file pr module in help as well)
 - Extend makefile.mk in each module to include
 - List of files to translate
 - Similar to how we list cpp file
 - Script to convert old pot/po files to new (no extra work)

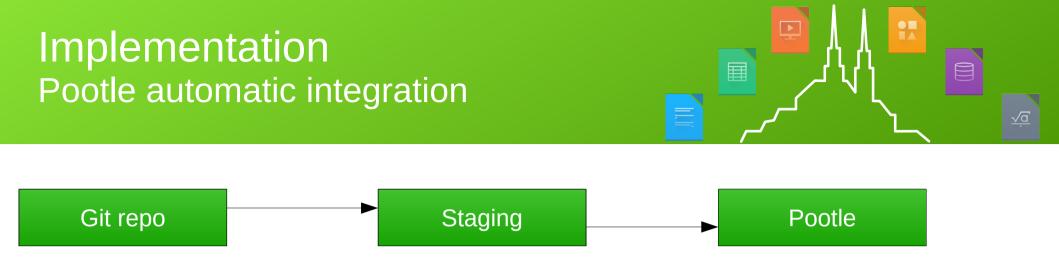






- Script runs every night to extract po files from pootle
- Files are normalized and compared with staging area
- List of changed files (pr pootle project) generated
- Changed files converted to source files depending in type
- Committed in local repo
- Manual squash and push to central repo



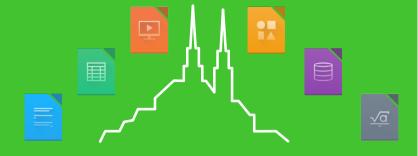


- Script runs every night to extract pot files from the source
- New templates are generated but not activated on pootle
- Activation is manual, on demand, pr project









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