

The MySQL Ecosystem © GitHub



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- GEORGE JESSEL





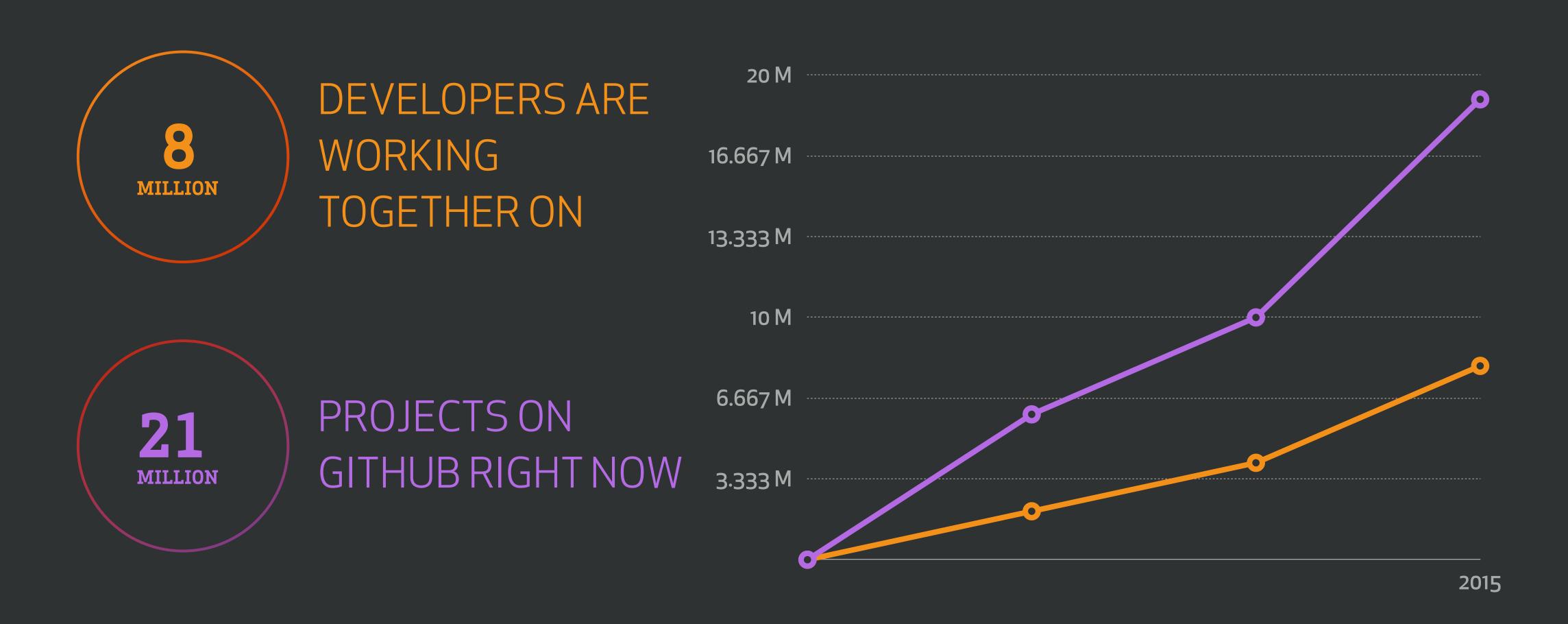


GitHub

Code hosting and collaboration

What is GitHub?

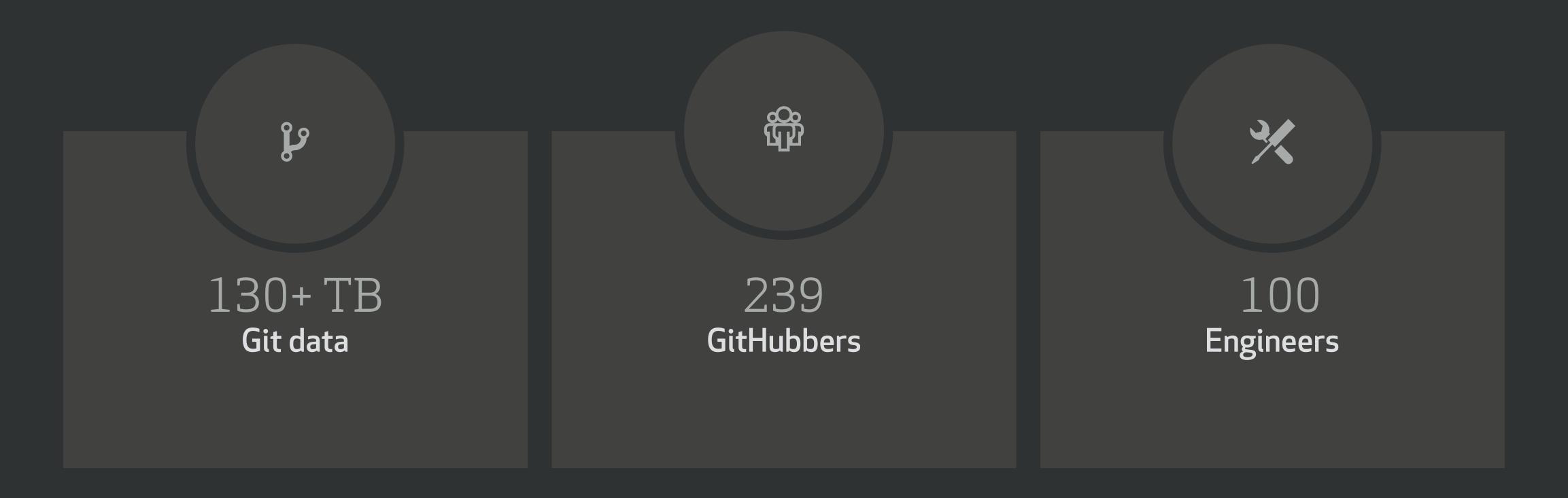






What is GitHub?



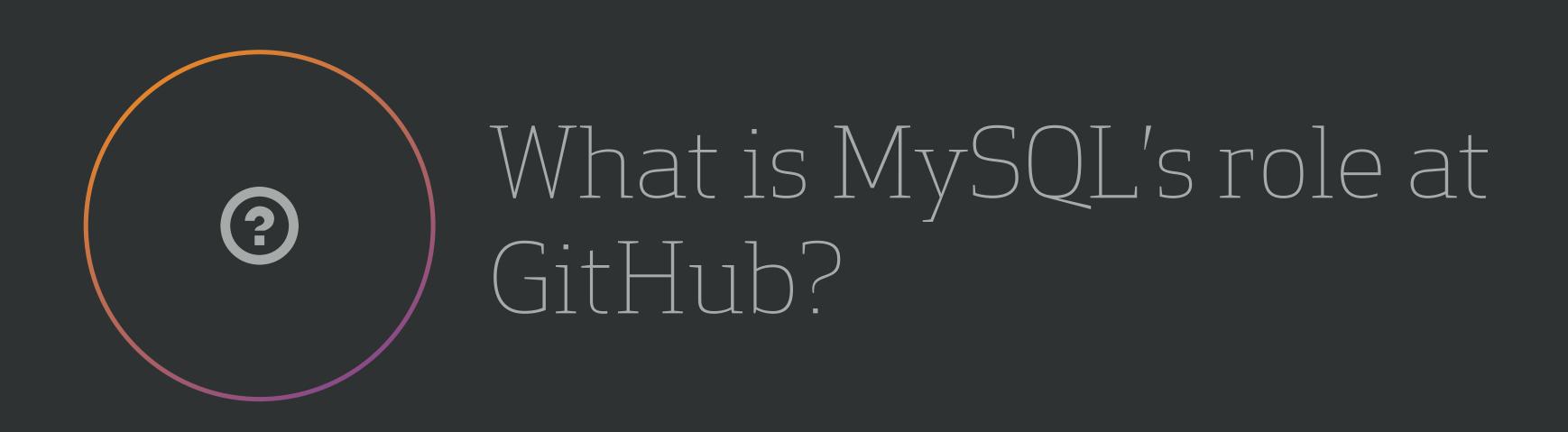








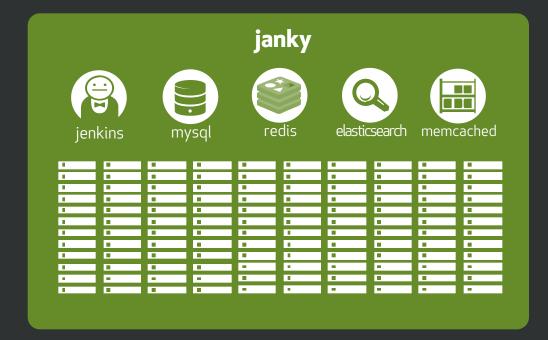
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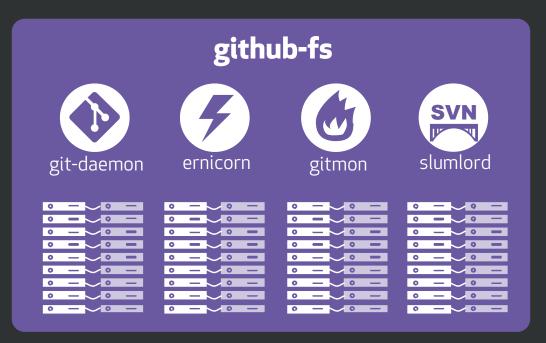


What is MySQL's role at GitHub?

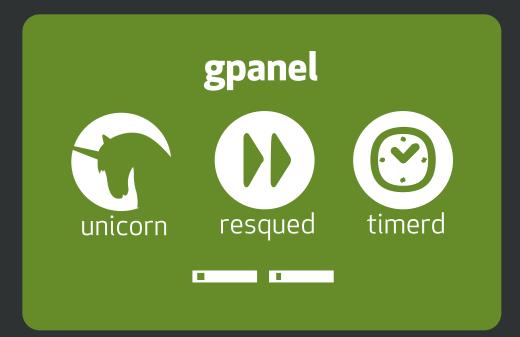


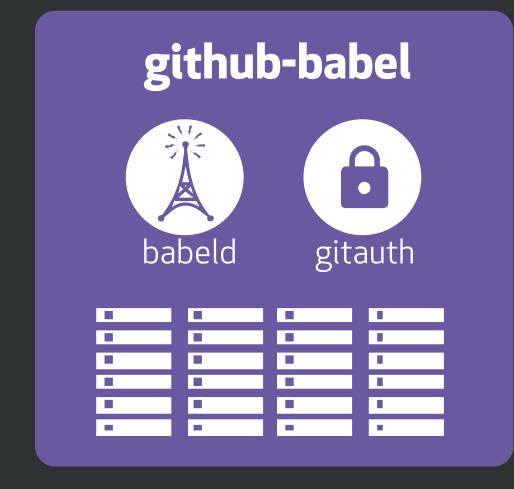






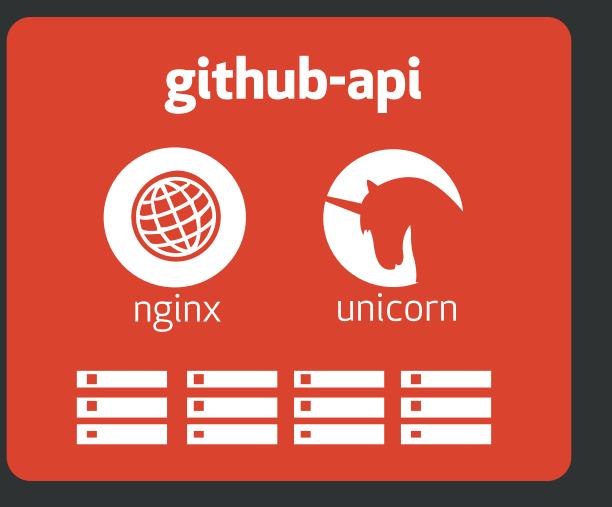
















What is the Ecosystem?









Why is the Ecosystem so important?











The GitHub Stack



WEB



Ruby on Rails

Powerful application framework. Rapid development.



Javascript

UI goodness

BACKEND



Powers a number of backend applications



Puppet

Provisioning



Git

Obviously

DATABASES



MySQL

Main source of truth



Elasticsearch

Indexes all the code, as well as issues and pull requests.



Redis

Resque, cache data.





SELECT DATE_SUB(NOW(), INTERVAL 2 YEAR);



Small number of MySQL hosts



Majority of queries served from one host



Replicas only used for backups and failover



Oldhardware





Contention everywhere



Traffic spikes caused query response times to go up



Time for a change!



Need to move data centers



A chance to update hardware

New Datacenter





HARDWARE

- More hosts
- Faster CPUs
- SSDs



NETWORKING

• 10gb



A chance to tune config



Time to functionally shard

Functional Sharding





- Partition by function
- Split features out
- Isolate tables as a whole
- App specific
- Milage may vary





Large volume single table



Constantly growing



Nojoins-apprefactor



Regression testing is essential



Replaying queries from live



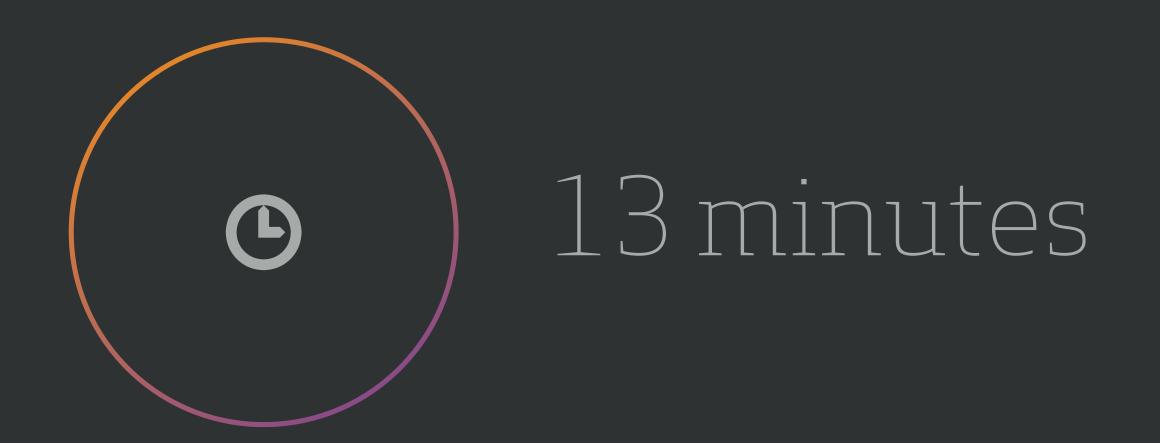
Long benchmarks +4 hours







Maintenance window

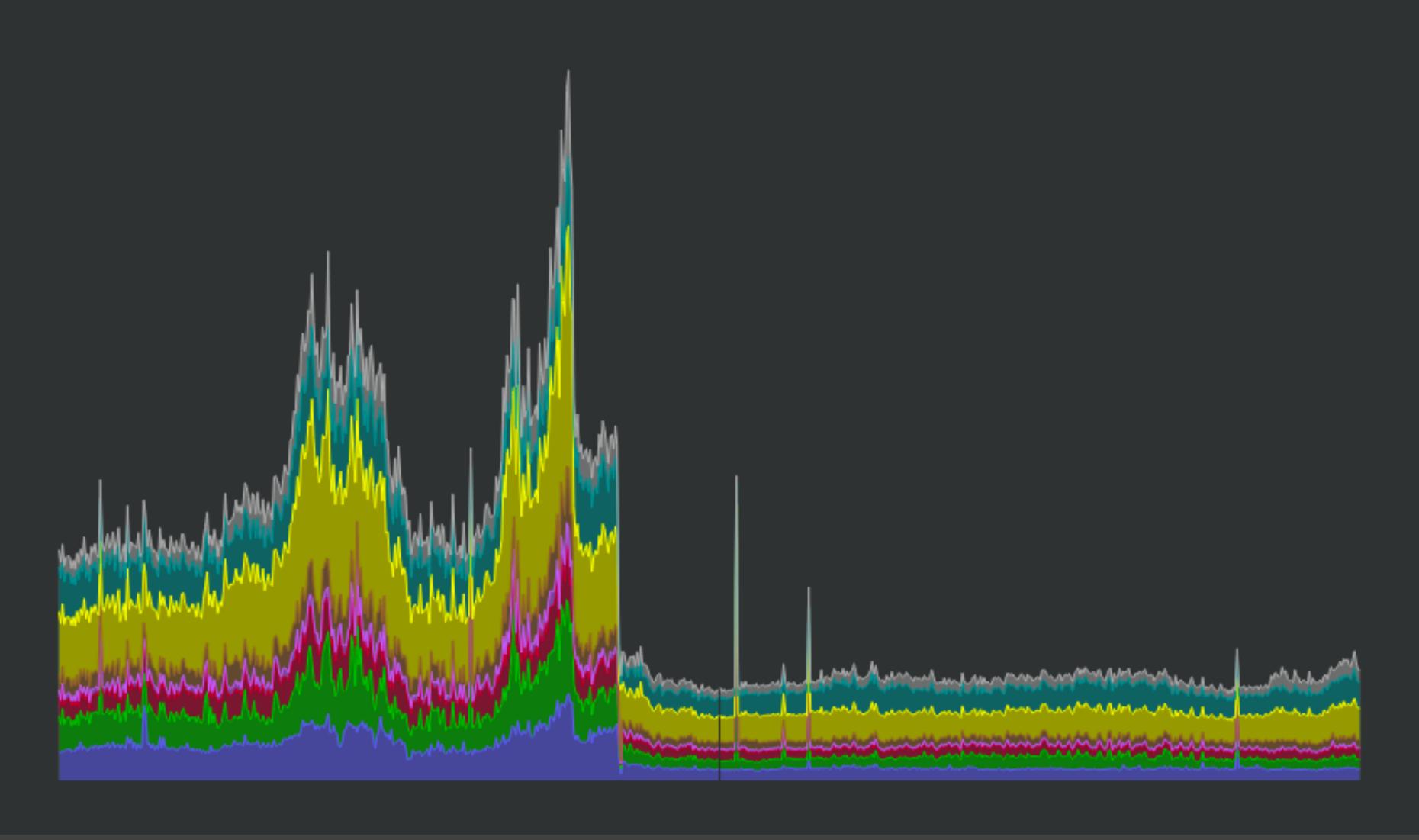




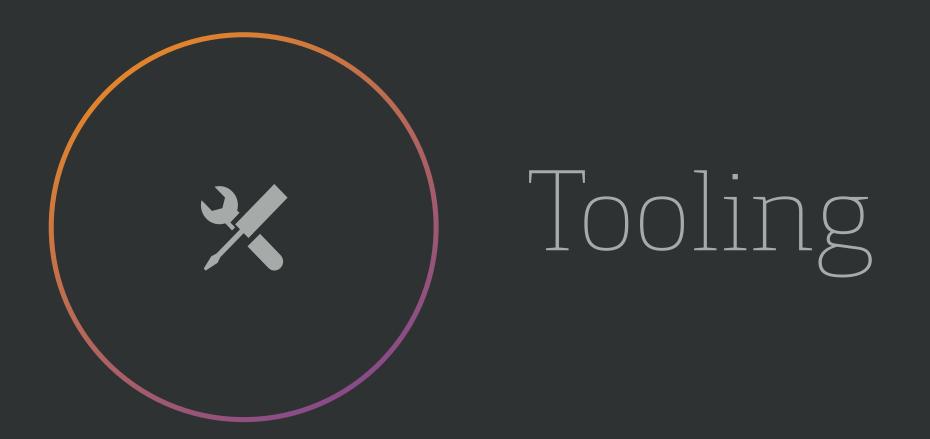
Results!

MySQL app mean time









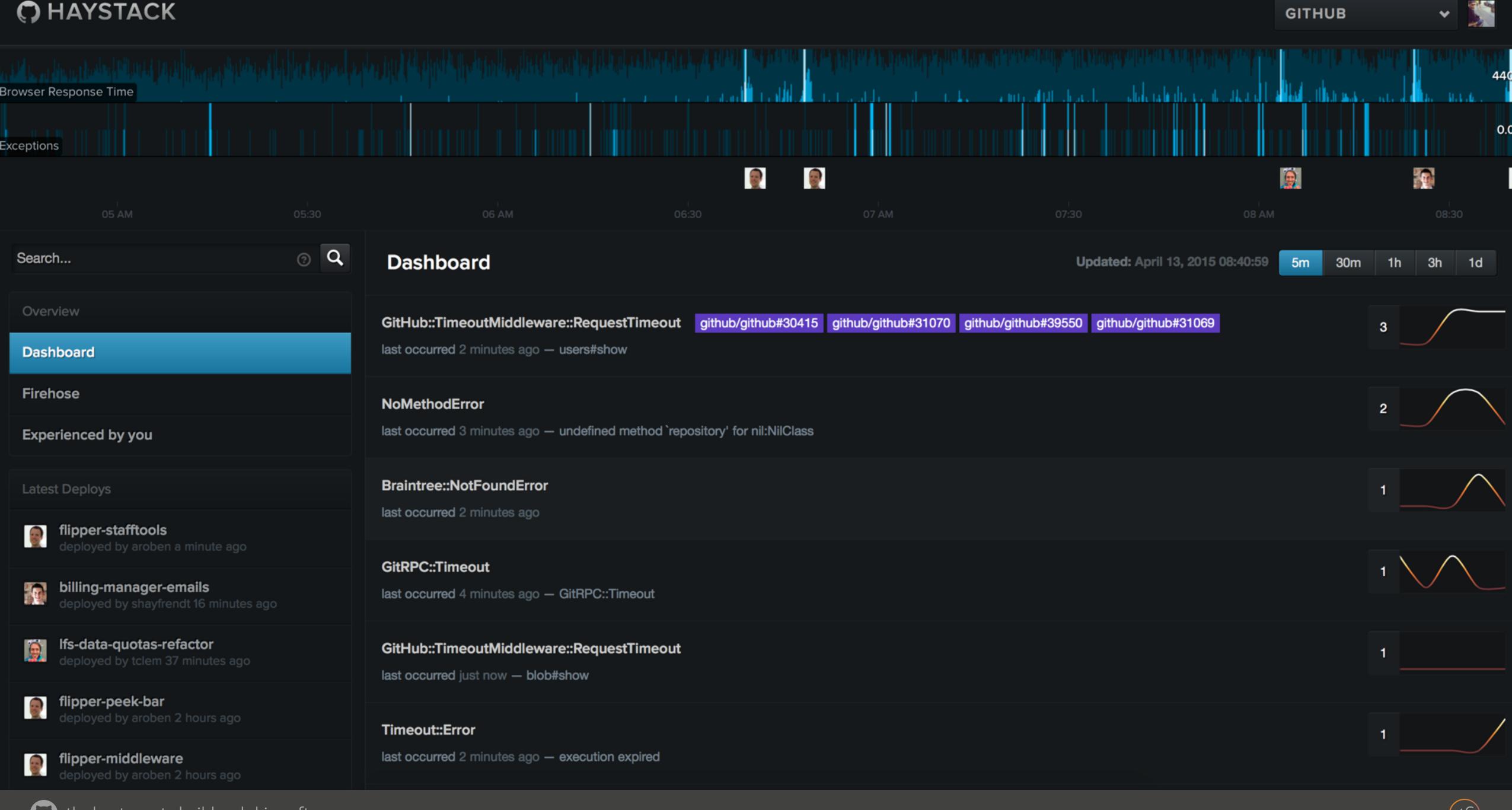




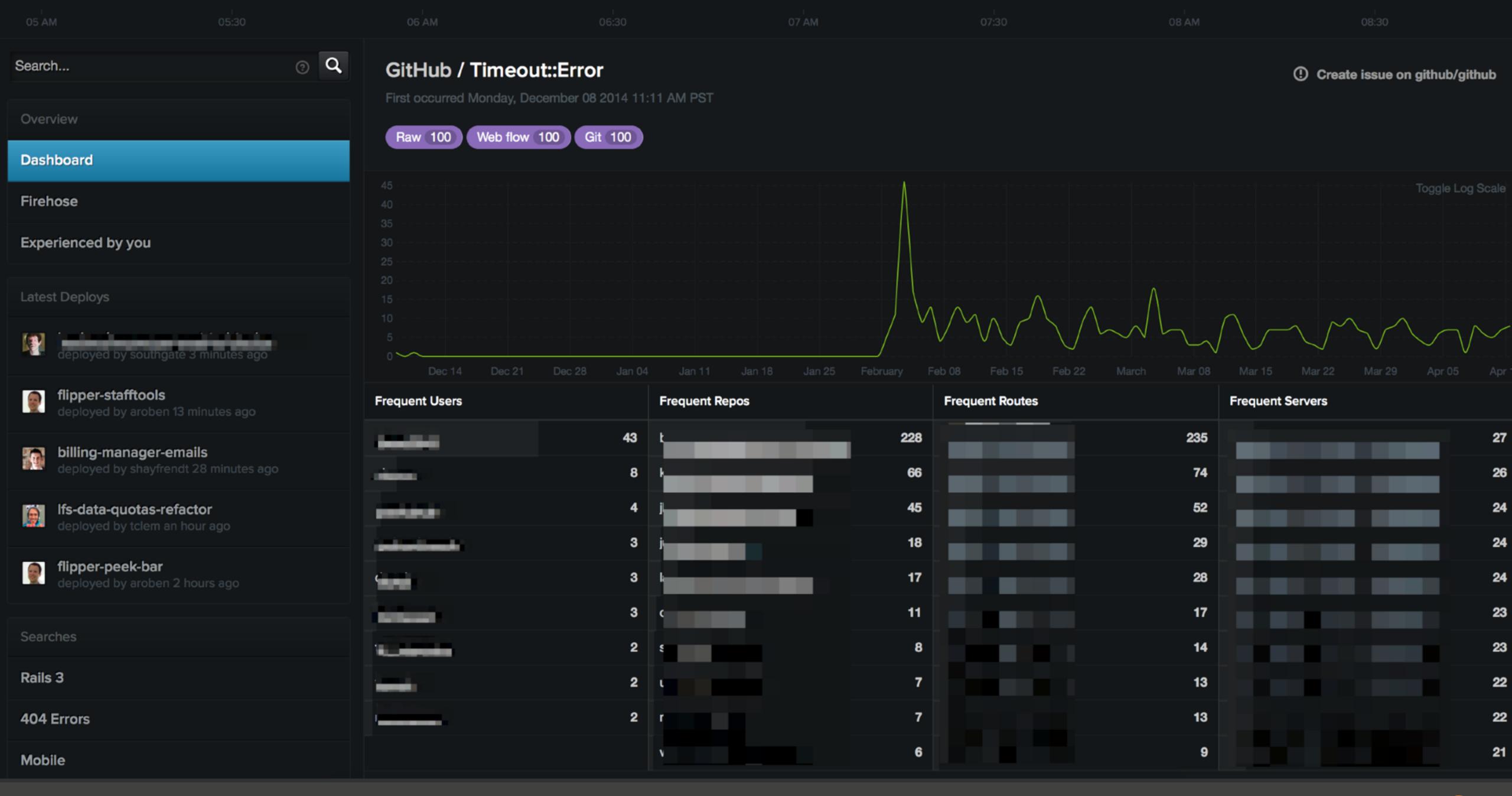
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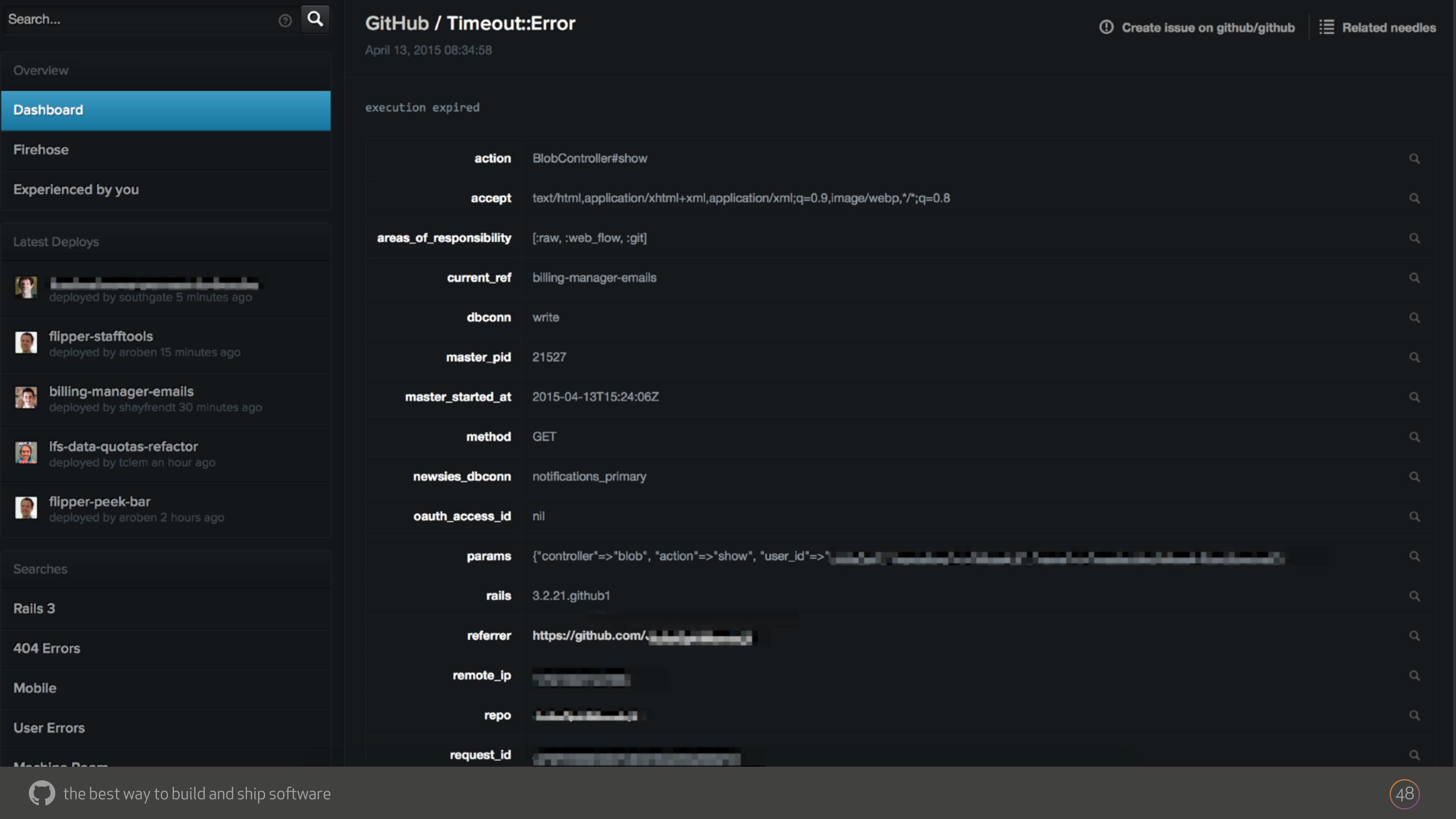


the best way to build and ship software



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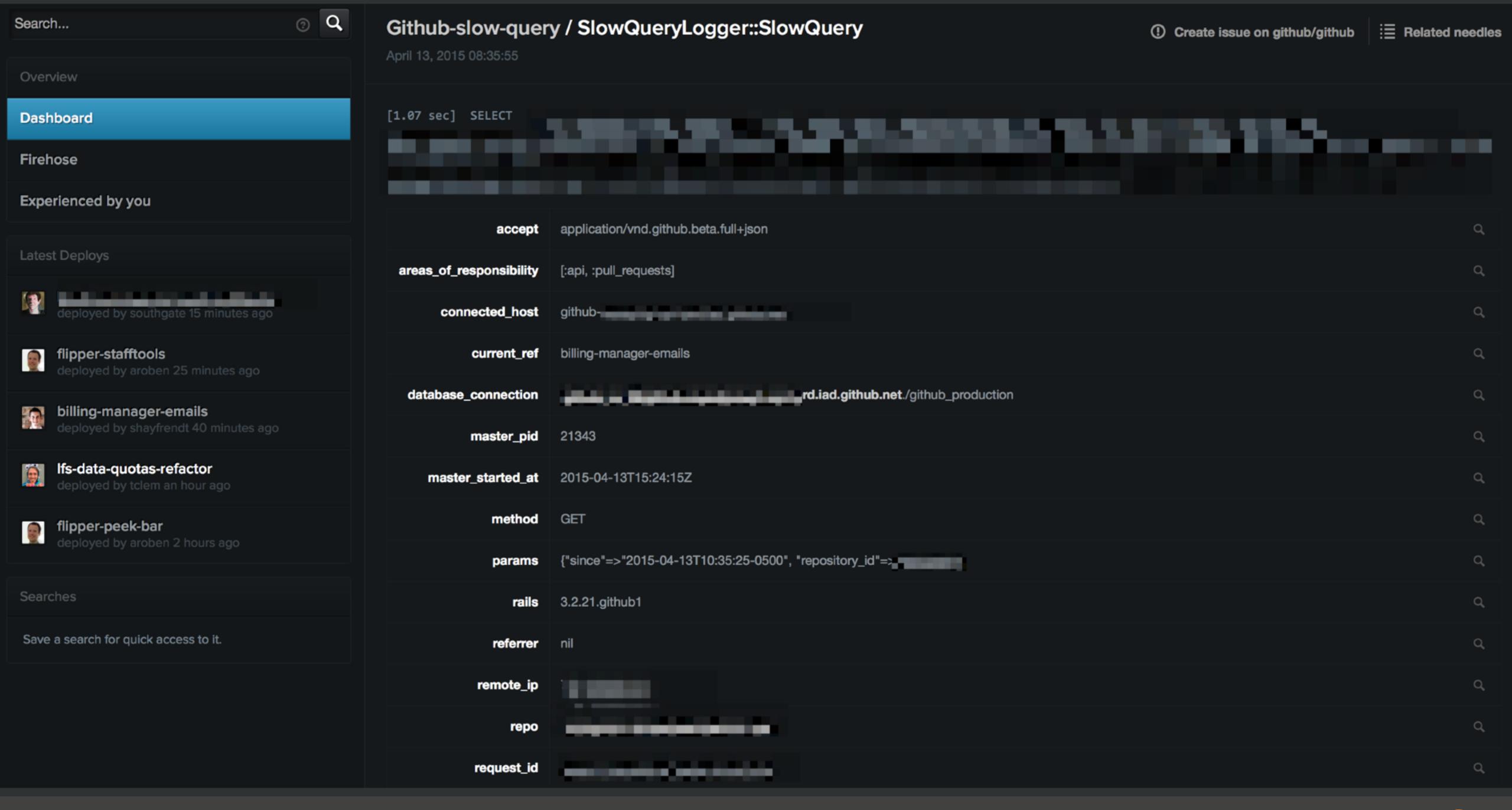
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   vendor/gems/2.1.5/ruby/2.1.0/gems/nokogiri-1.6.3.1/lib/nokogiri/xml/node_set.rb:236:in `each'
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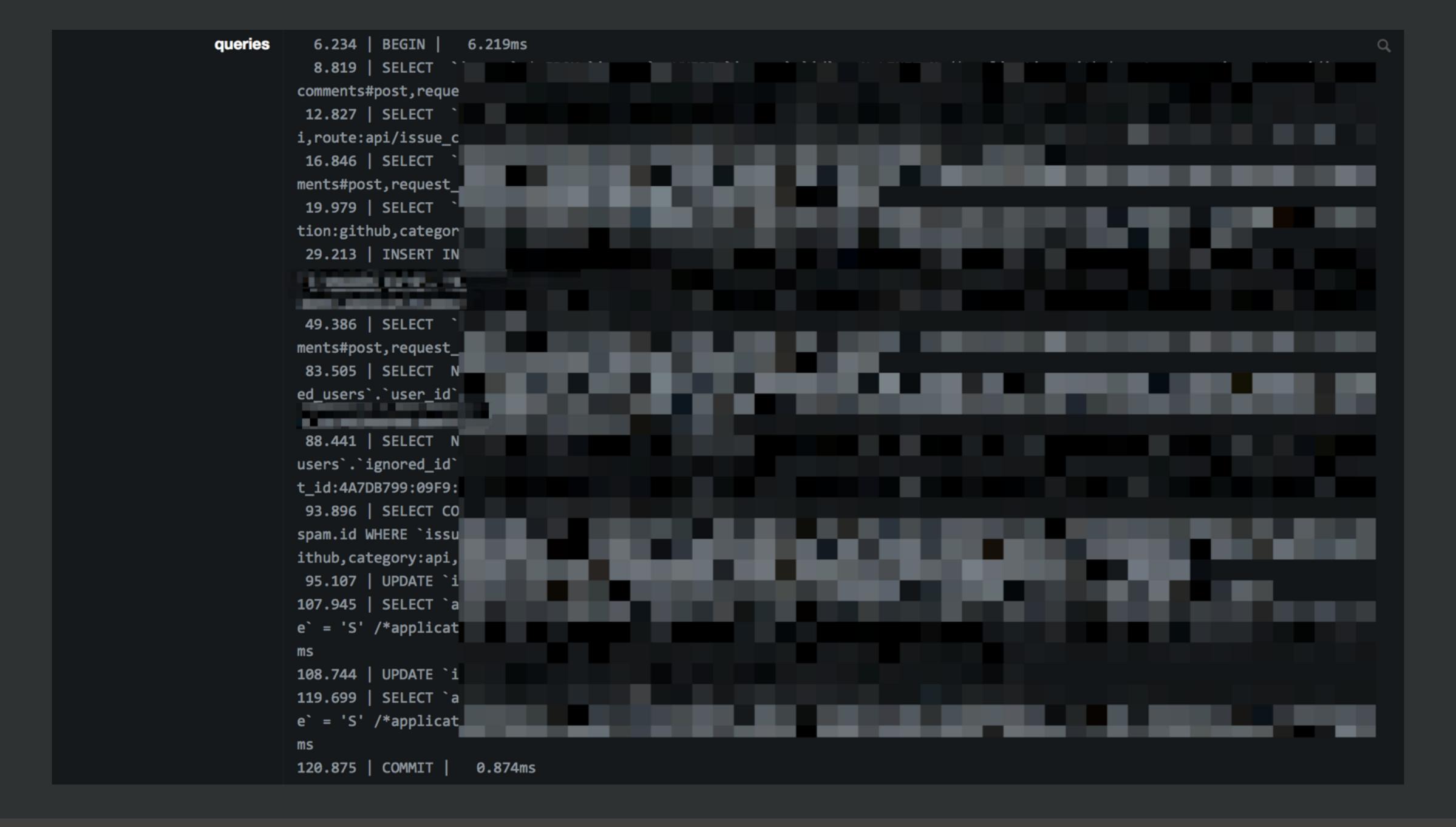
the best way to build and ship software

```
def call
27
           return doc unless prefix
28
29
           doc.css('*[name], *[id]').each do |element|
30
             %w(name id).each do |attribute|
31
               if element[attribute]
32
                 element[attribute] = element[attribute].sub(/\A(#{prefix})?/, prefix)
33
               end
34
35
             end
           end
36
```







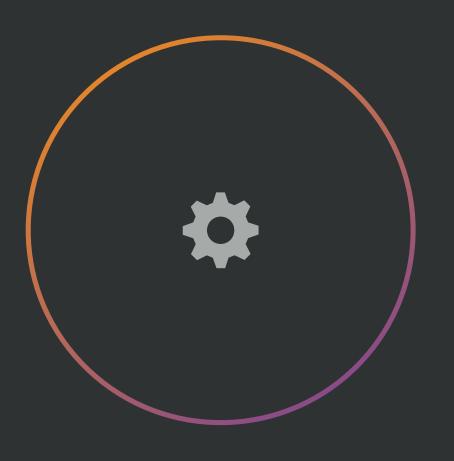




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Haystack is awesome



Failbotd

Failbotd





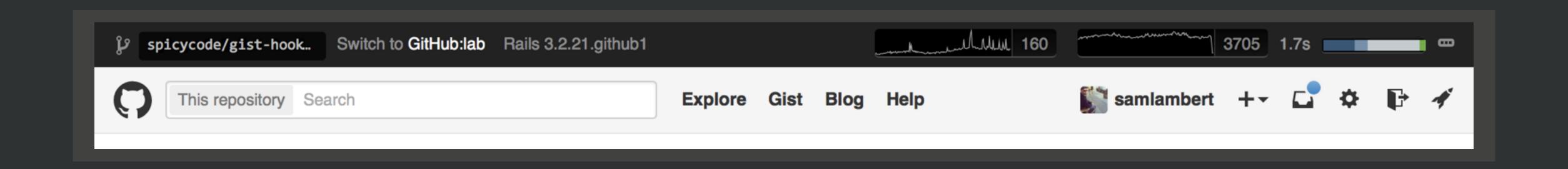
- C daemon
- Takes exceptions from the app
- Queues them
- Posts to Haystack

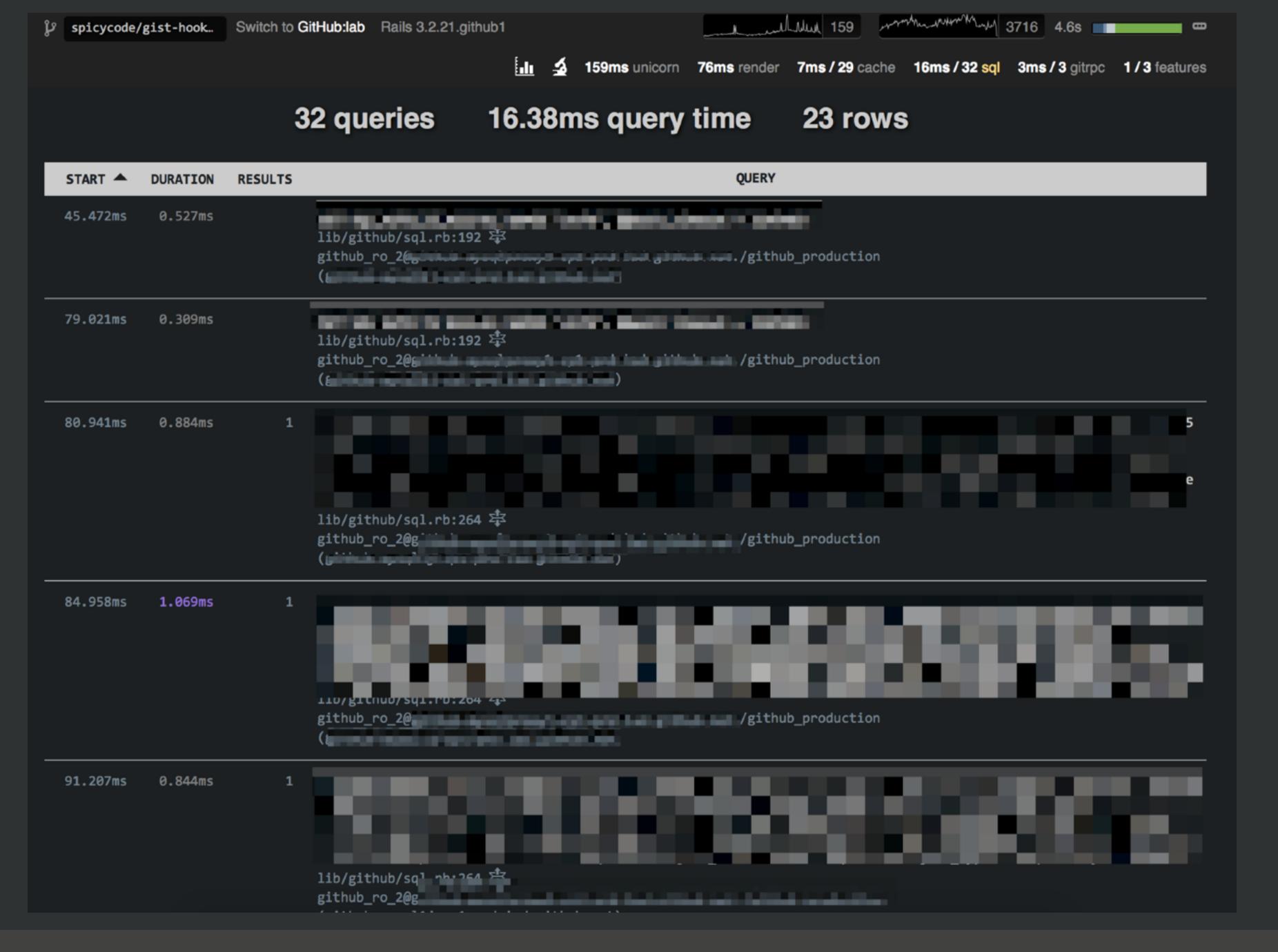




Staff toolbar







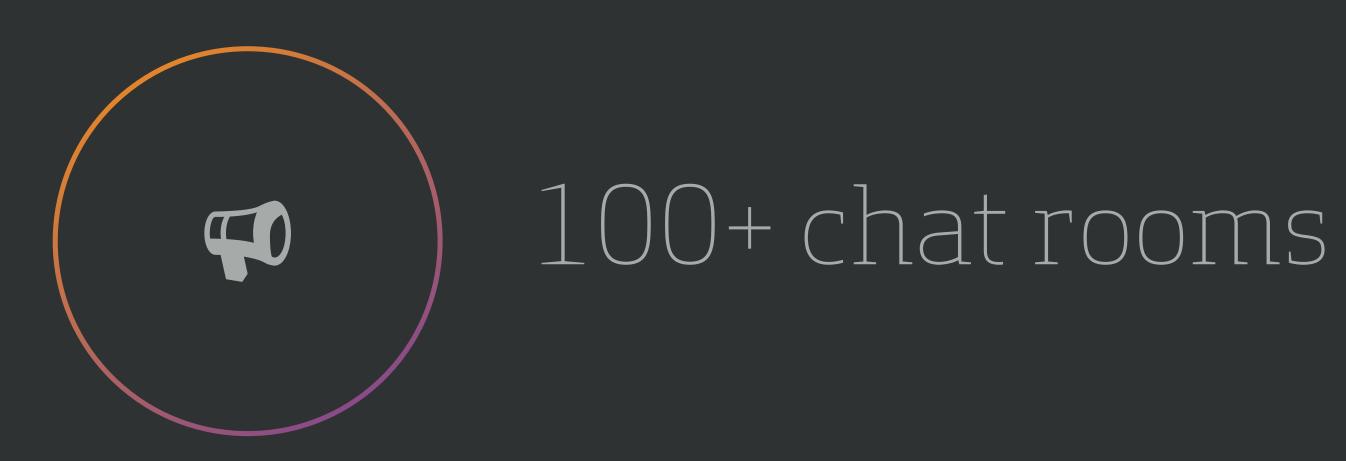






-137 remote employees











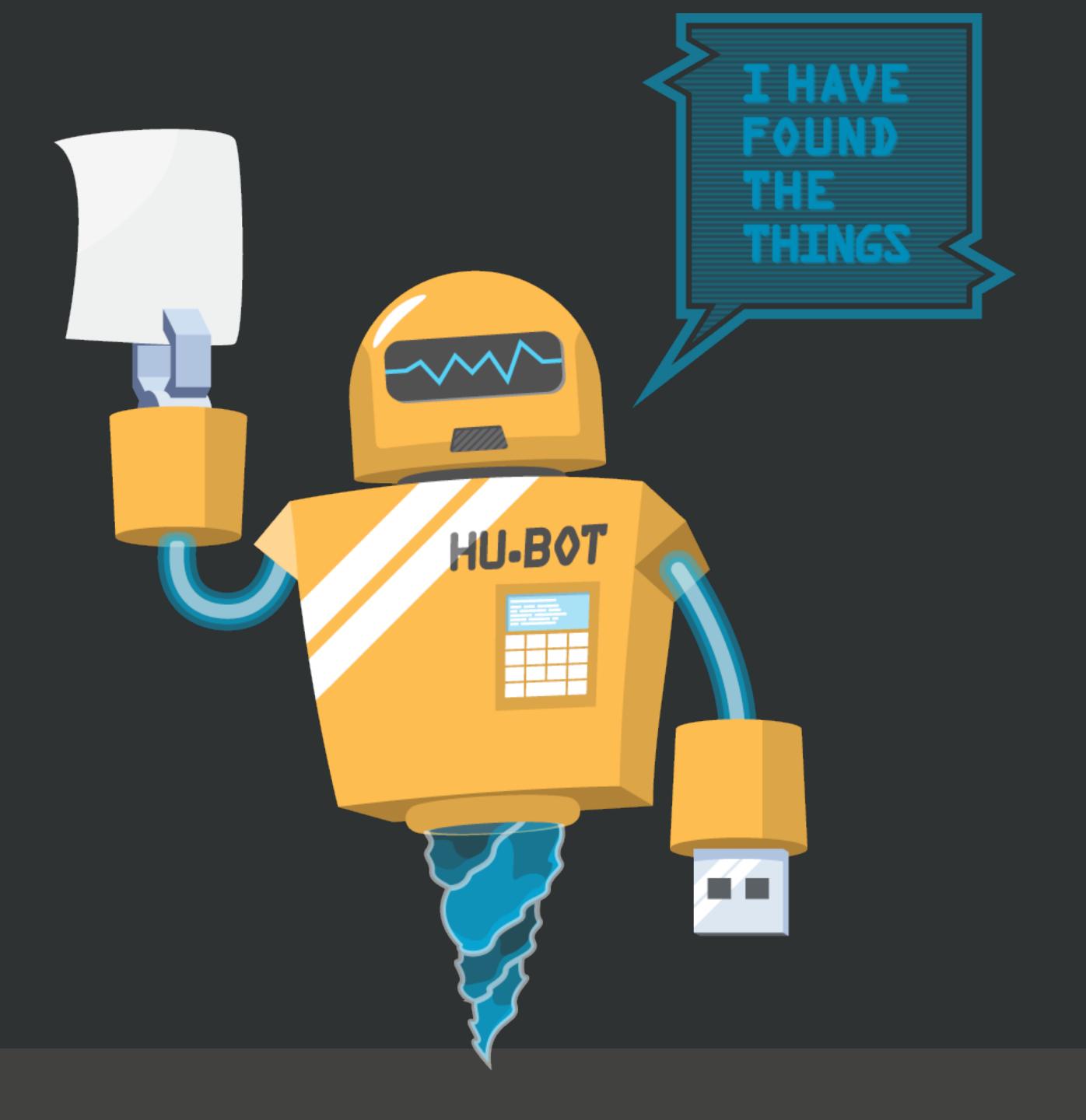
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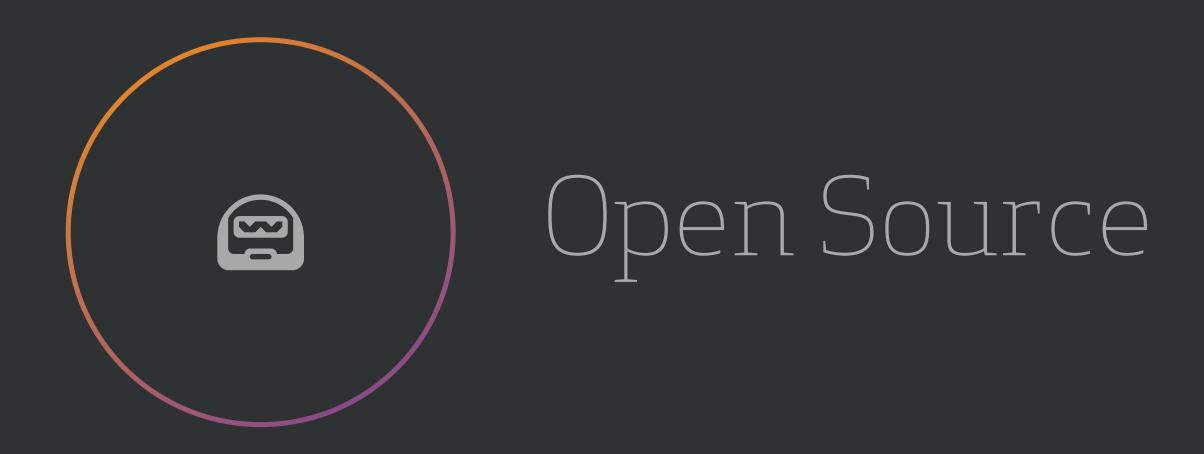


GITHUB, INC., WROTE THE FIRST VERSION OF HUBOT TO AUTOMATE OUR COMPANY CHAT ROOM. HUBOT KNEW HOW TO DEPLOY THE SITE, AUTOMATE A LOT OF TASKS, AND BE A SOURCE OF FUN IN THE COMPANY. EVENTUALLY HE GREW TO BECOME A FORMIDABLE FORCE IN GITHUB. BUT HE LED A PRIVATE, MESSY LIFE. SO WE REWROTE HIM.



















github.com/hubot-scripts



Super easy to set up

Deploy to Heroku



B README.md

Hubot, on Heroku, with the Slack adaptor

This is a version of GitHub's Campfire bot, Hubot, which is designed to be deployed on Heroku with the Slack adaptor. To deploy your own Hubot, just click the button below:



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github.com/cobyism/hubot-heroku-slack



What can hubot do?







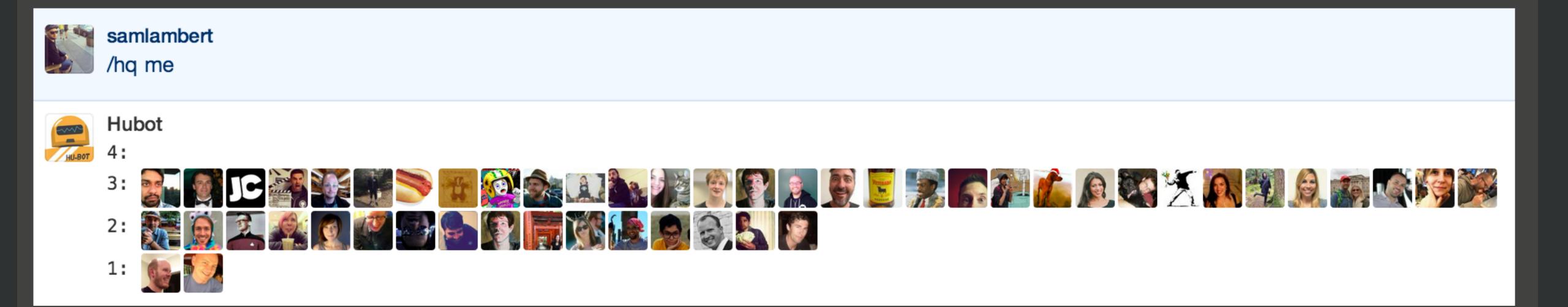
Nearly everything



Part of shipping is adding ChatOps

/hq me







ChatOps is core to our culture

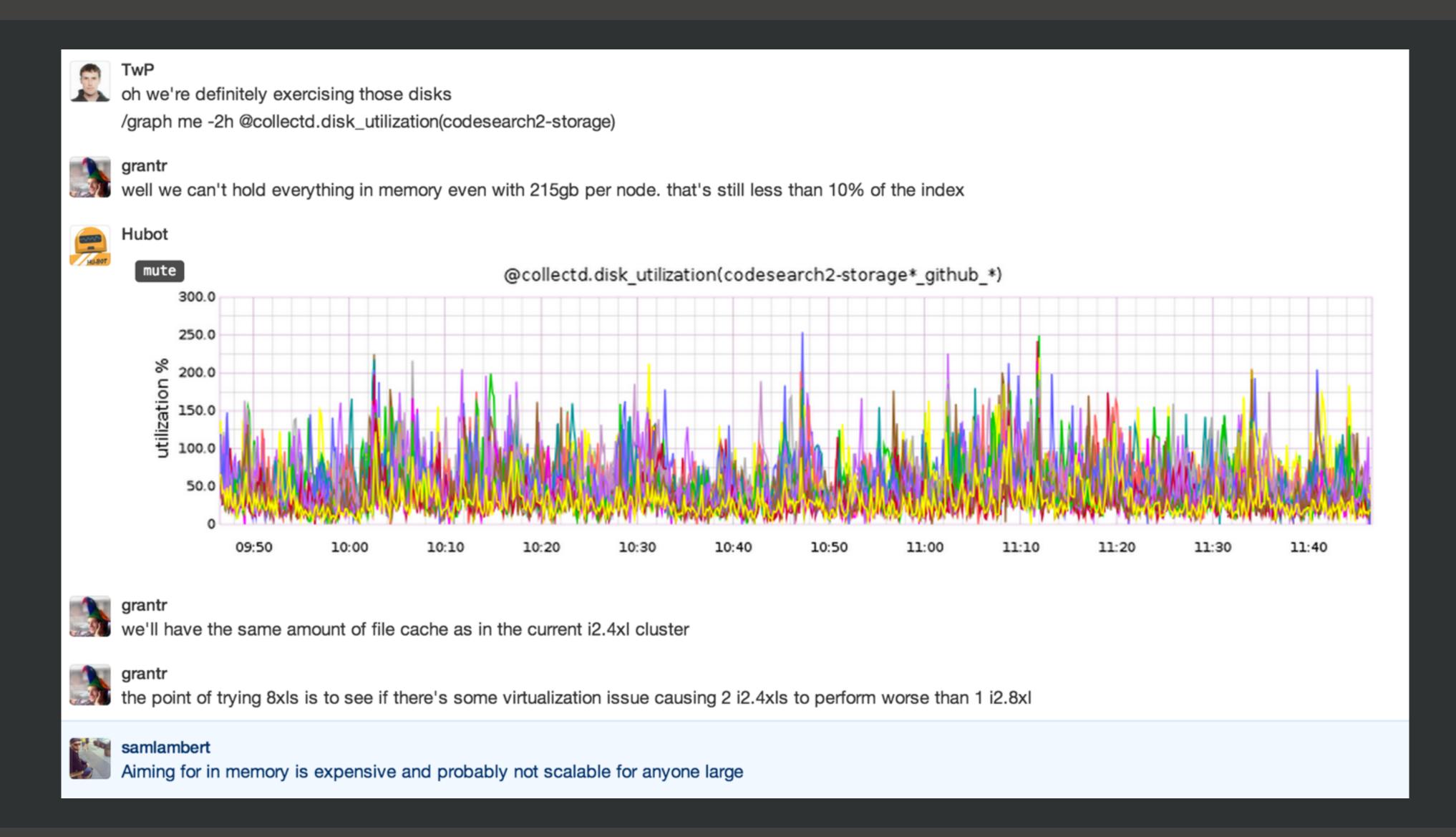
You are on your own



```
000
     → ~ mysql
     Welcome to the MySQL monitor. Commands end with; or \g.
     Your MySQL connection id is 1
     Server version: 5.6.23 Homebrew
     Copyright (c) 2000, 2015, Oracle and/or its affiliates. All rights reserved.
     Oracle is a registered trademark of Oracle Corporation and/or its
     affiliates. Other names may be trademarks of their respective
     owners.
     Type 'help;' or '\h' for help. Type '\c' to clear the current input statement.
     mysql>
```

Invite your friends







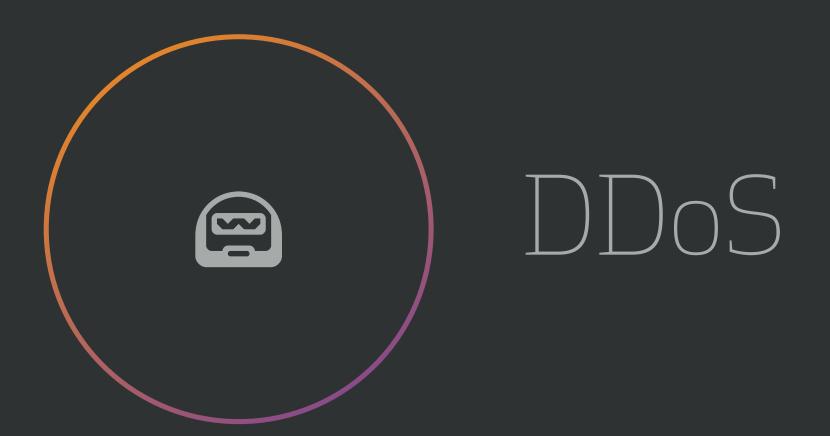
It's all about context



Context is implicit



Incident responce













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	/mysql analyze	analyze a table
	/mysql archive	start or stop archiving on a MySQL cluster
	/mysql backup	backup a table
	/mysql backup-list	list backups for a table
	/mysql clone	clone a table to the MySQL staging environment
	/mysql cluster	show cluster topology
	/mysql drop	safely drops a mysql table
54	/mysql drop-all	drops all eligible tables
	/mysql drop-check	checks if a table is safe to drop
	/mysql drop-list	lists the tables that are ready to be dropped
	/mysql drop-pending	lists the tables that are pending dropping
	/mysql dummy-drop	drops a table from production by renaming it
58	/mysql engine	shows output of show engine innodb status on a given host
59	/mysql explain	explain a query
60	/mysql gather	gathers MySQL diagnostic information
	<pre>/mysql log-migration-version</pre>	insert the version of a migration into production
	/mysql inno	list queries
	/mysql index-stats	Prints out index stats for the specified table
	/mysql kill	kills queries matching supplied criteria
	/mysql kills	shows victims of pt-kill on given date
64	/mysql maintenance	begin and end the maintenance of a mysql node
	/mysql master-swap	returns the binlog position to start replication from on a new master
66	/mysql mutexes	prints a list of mutex events for a MySQL host
	/mysql nibble	deletes all rows in a table
	/mysql nibble-all	nibble all non nibbled migration tables
	/mysql panic	stops the delayed replica to prevent propagation of data loss
	/mysql pk-pct	shows the % of the primary key range that is used
	/mysql pool	saves or restores the innodb buffer pool of a host



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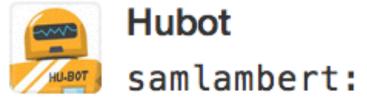
/mysql explain





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/explain SELECT * FROM users LIMIT 1



Hubot

Select Type	Table	Туре	Possibl	Key	Key Len	Ref	Rows	Ext
SIMPLE	users	ALL	null	null	null	null		





github.com/samlambert/hubot-mysql-chatops





Collaborative workspace

/mysql backup





samlambert

/mysql backup yubicats



Hubot

Hubot

A backup job has been created for the yubicats table. You will be notified in +The Database Infrastructure Room when the backup is complete.



Hubot



/mysql clone





samlambert

/mysql clone yubicats



Hubot

[2015-04-13T14:31:54-0700] ________.github.net - @samlambert: yubicats has been transferred into the samlambert database on

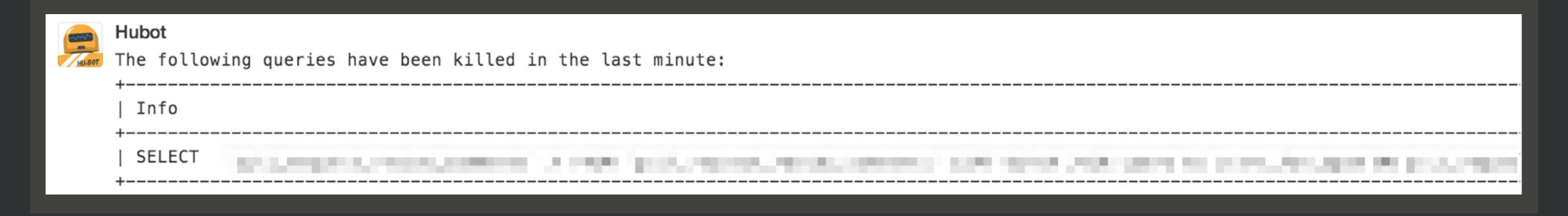






Killed queries









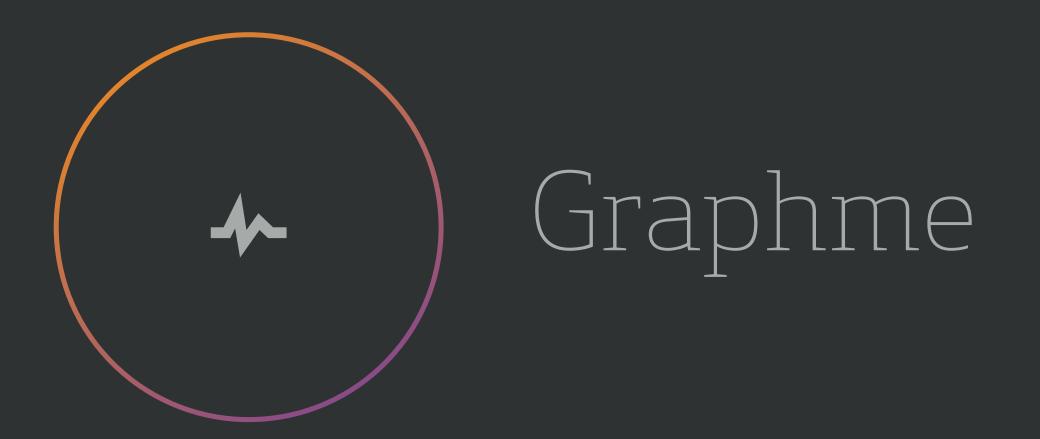


Useraccess



Hubot
probablycorey connected to g_______("analytics") as console_rw via gh-dbconsole on c______ Hubot

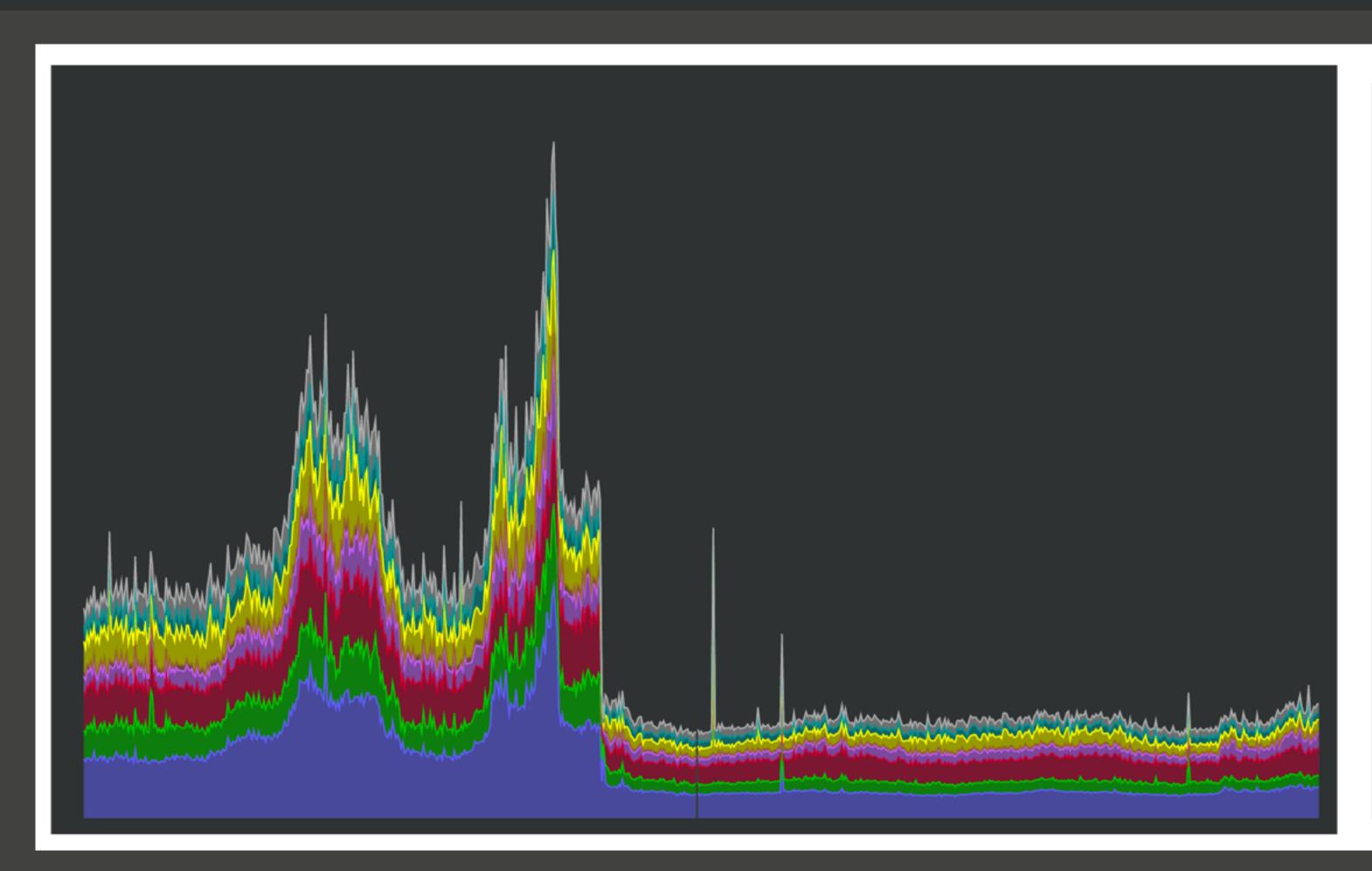


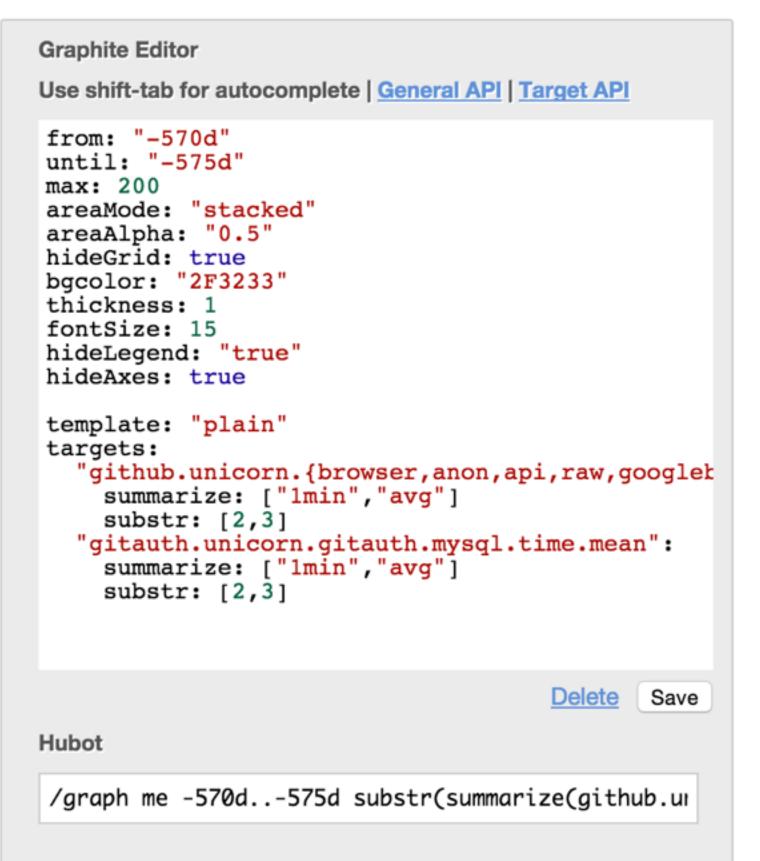




Graphme

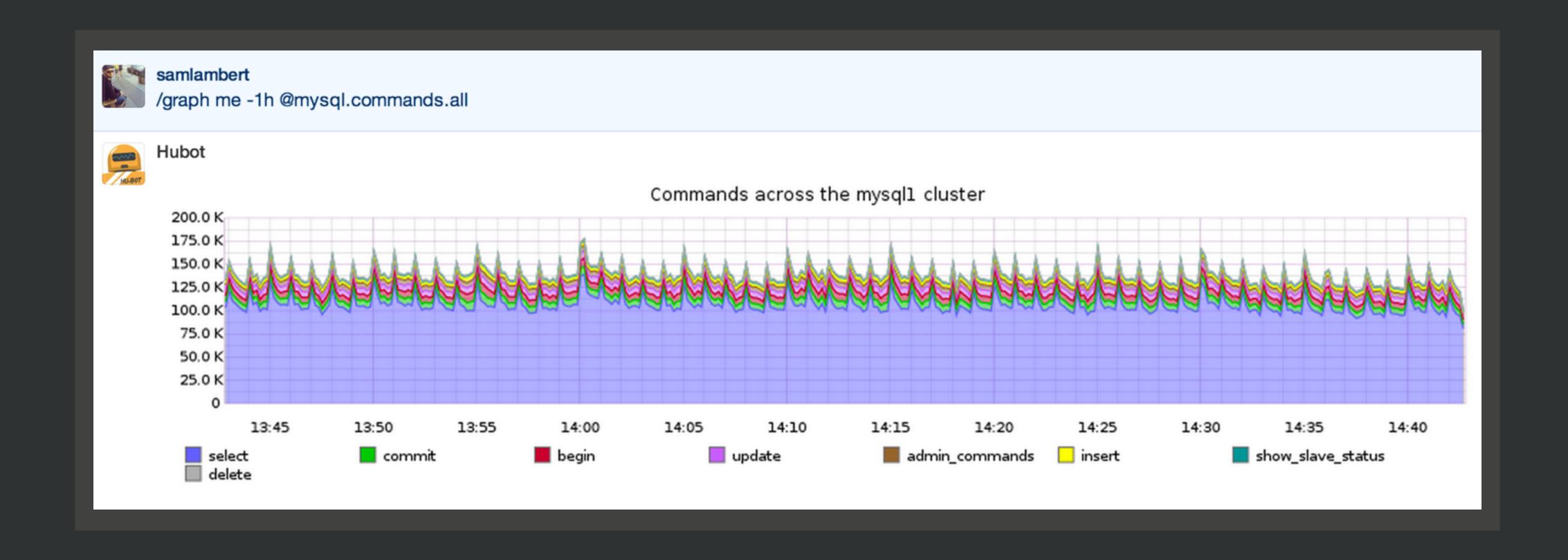






/graph me









Amen





- Monitoring app
- Set up backends
- Easily gather metrics
- Pushed to Graphme



We have these tools. Let's use them



It's about the app





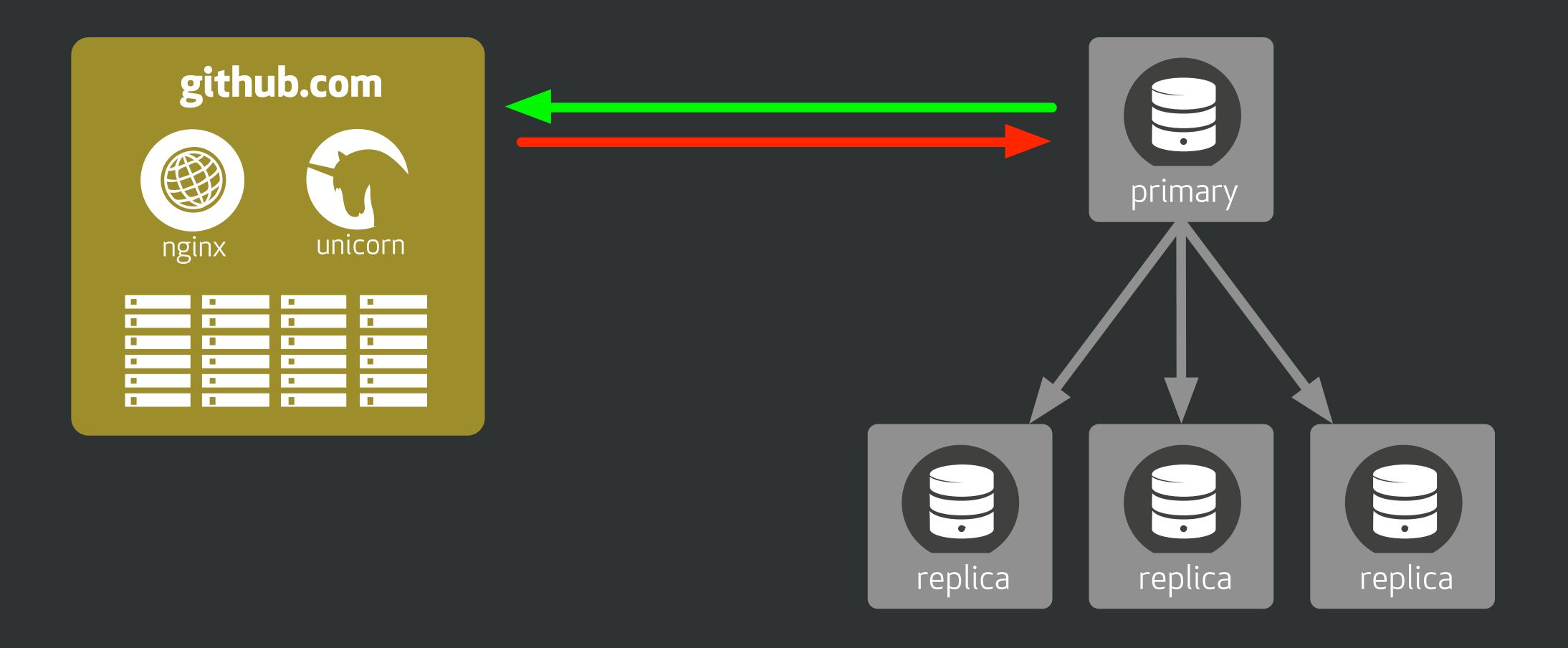
All the hardware

Single host



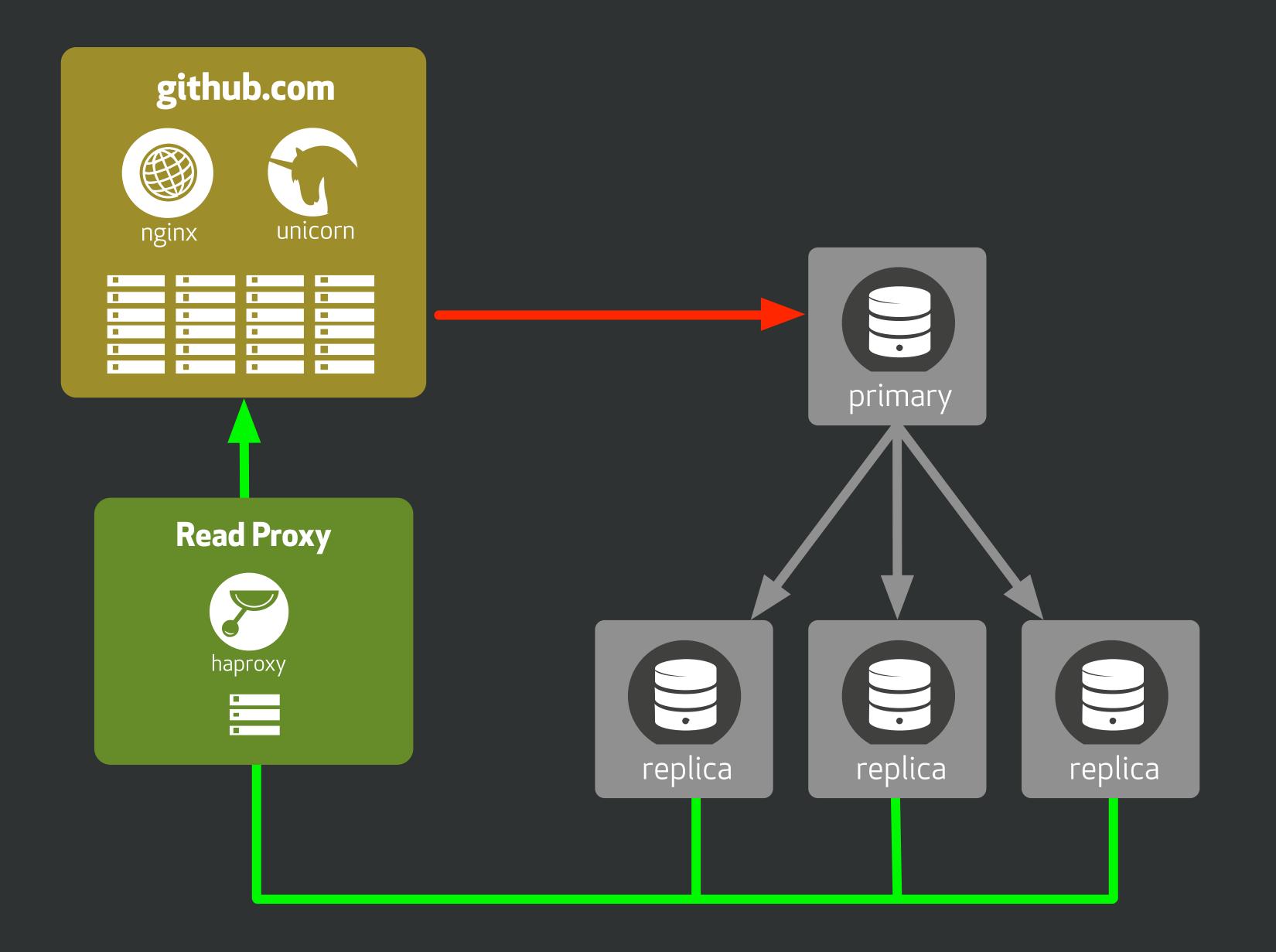








Doesn't scale





Use existing patterns



Tuning Haproxy

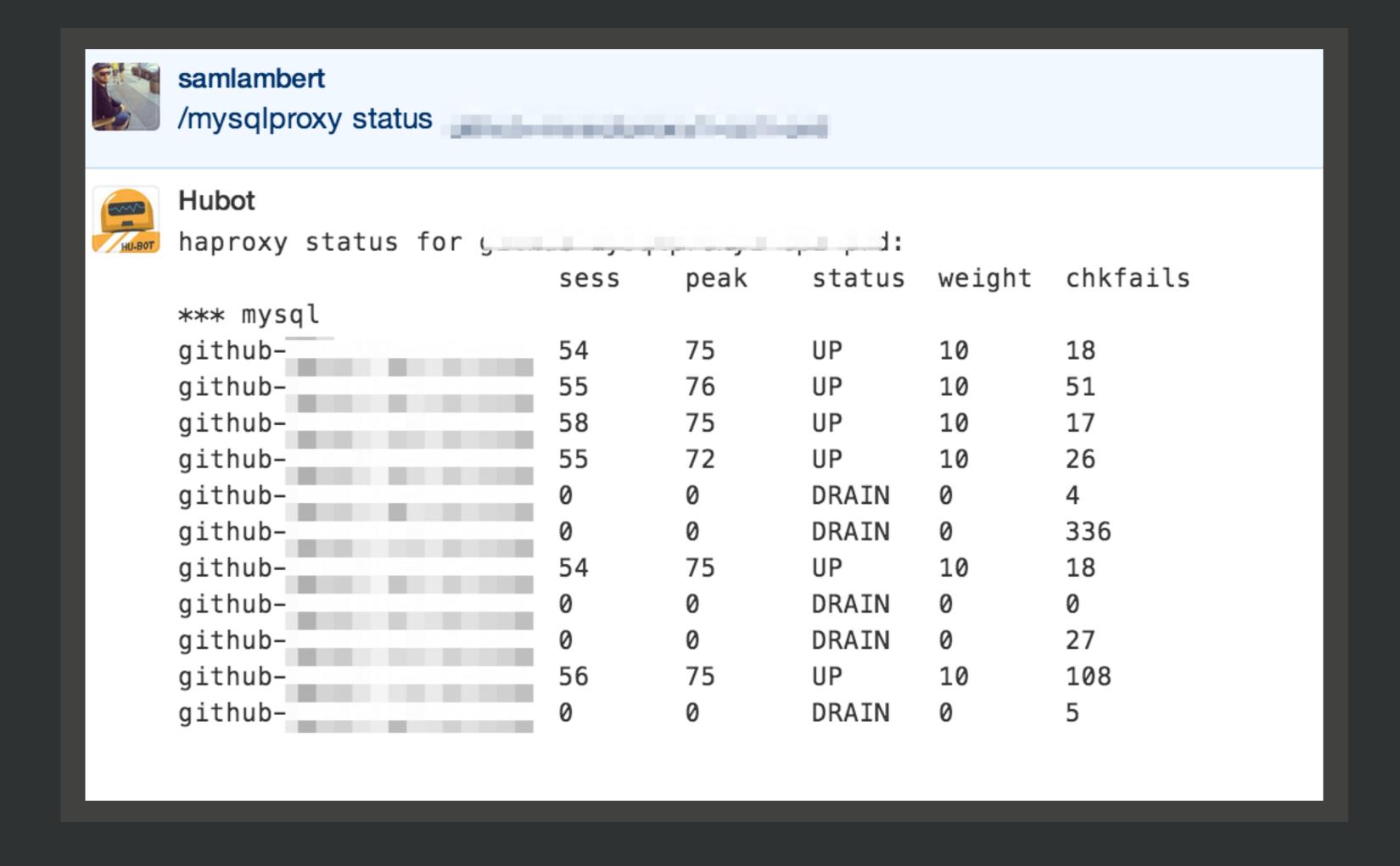


App failover logic



/mysqlproxy status























Send all GET requests to a replica



Stick to master for a second after POST



How do you refactor these changes?



Some GETs make writes



Set up write alert connection





Write alerts go to Haystack



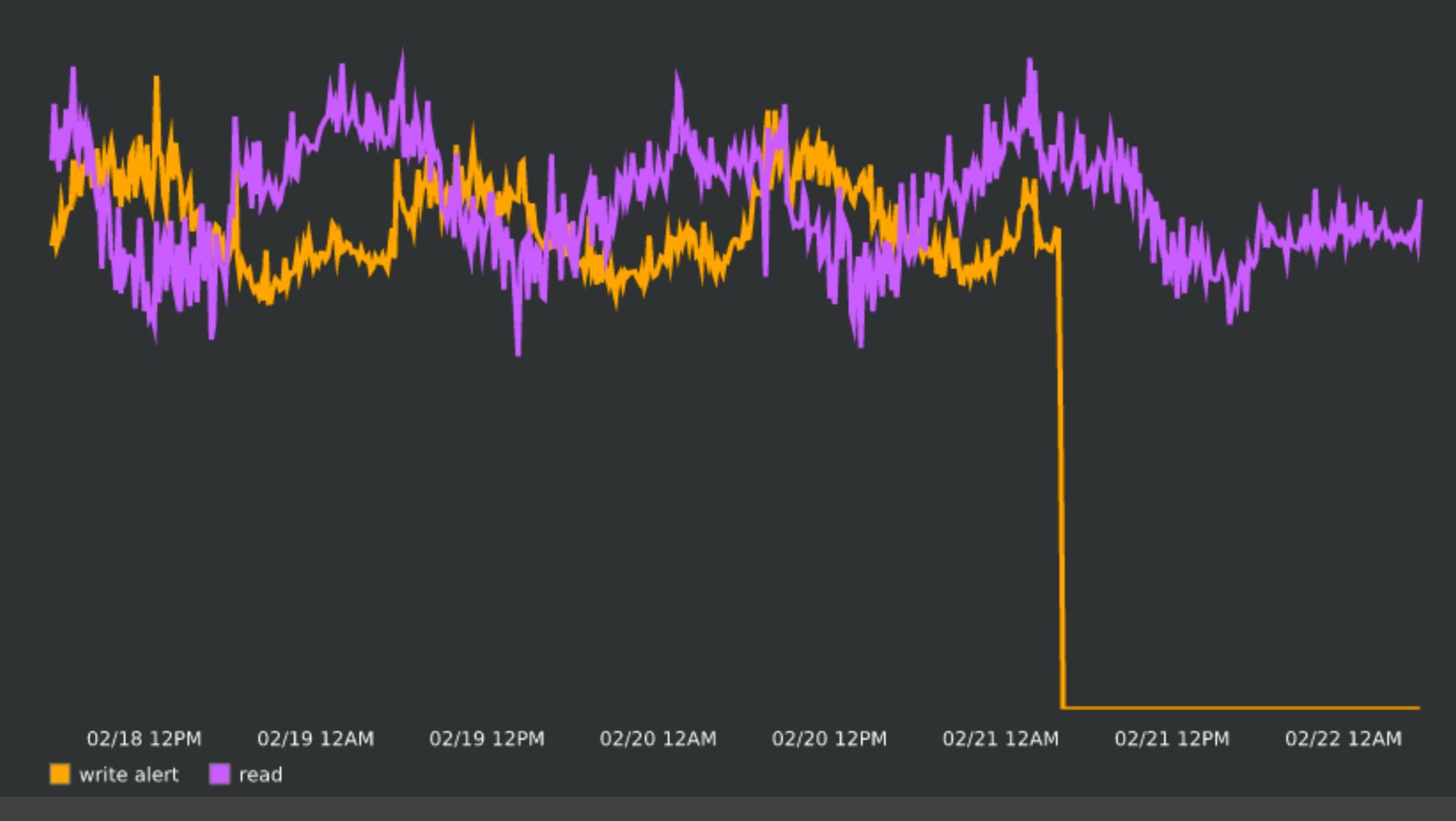
Get the stack trace



Gradual iteration over the codebase

Change







the best way to build and ship software





Single host

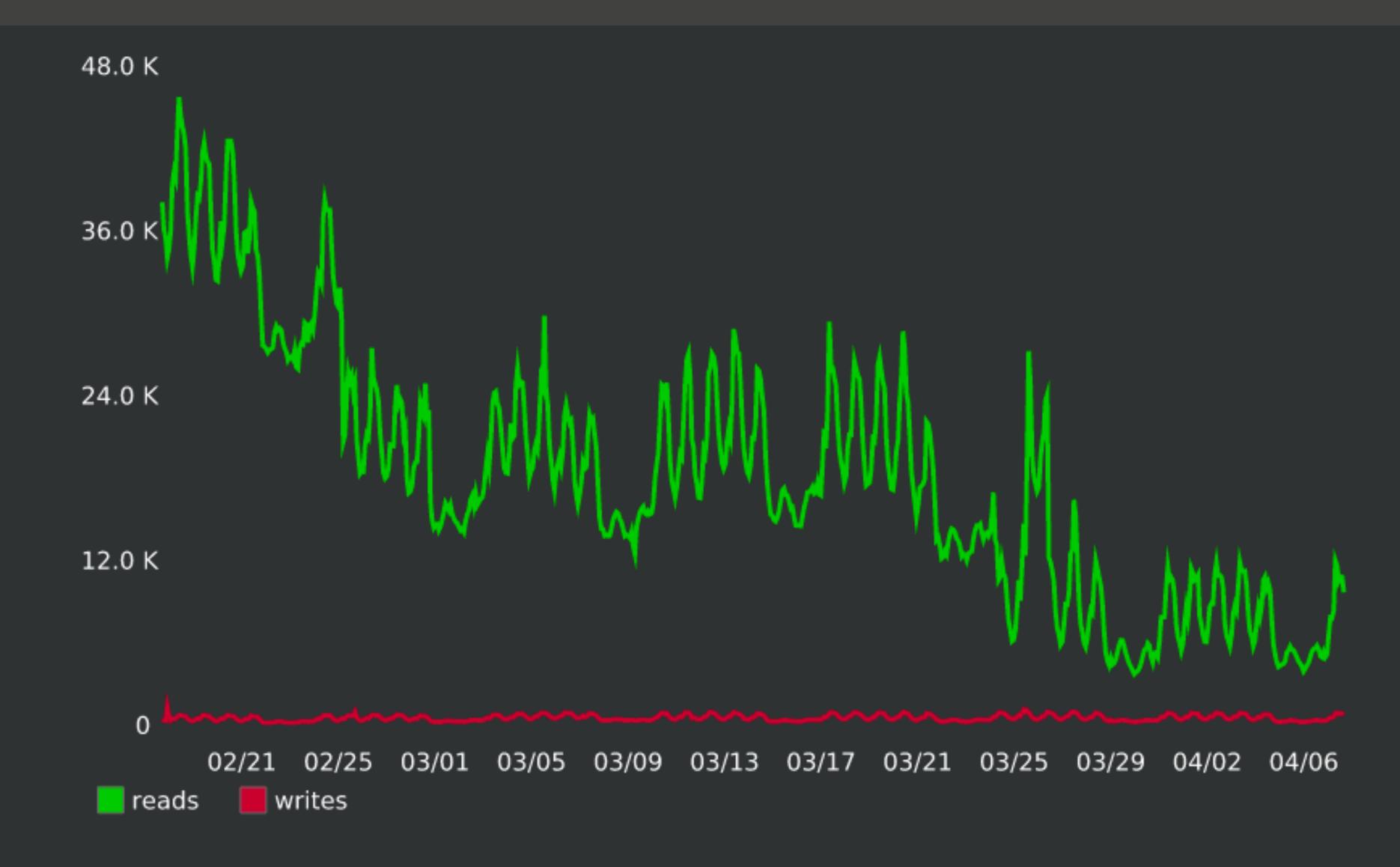






Master









Now we are sensitive to delay

Delay!!







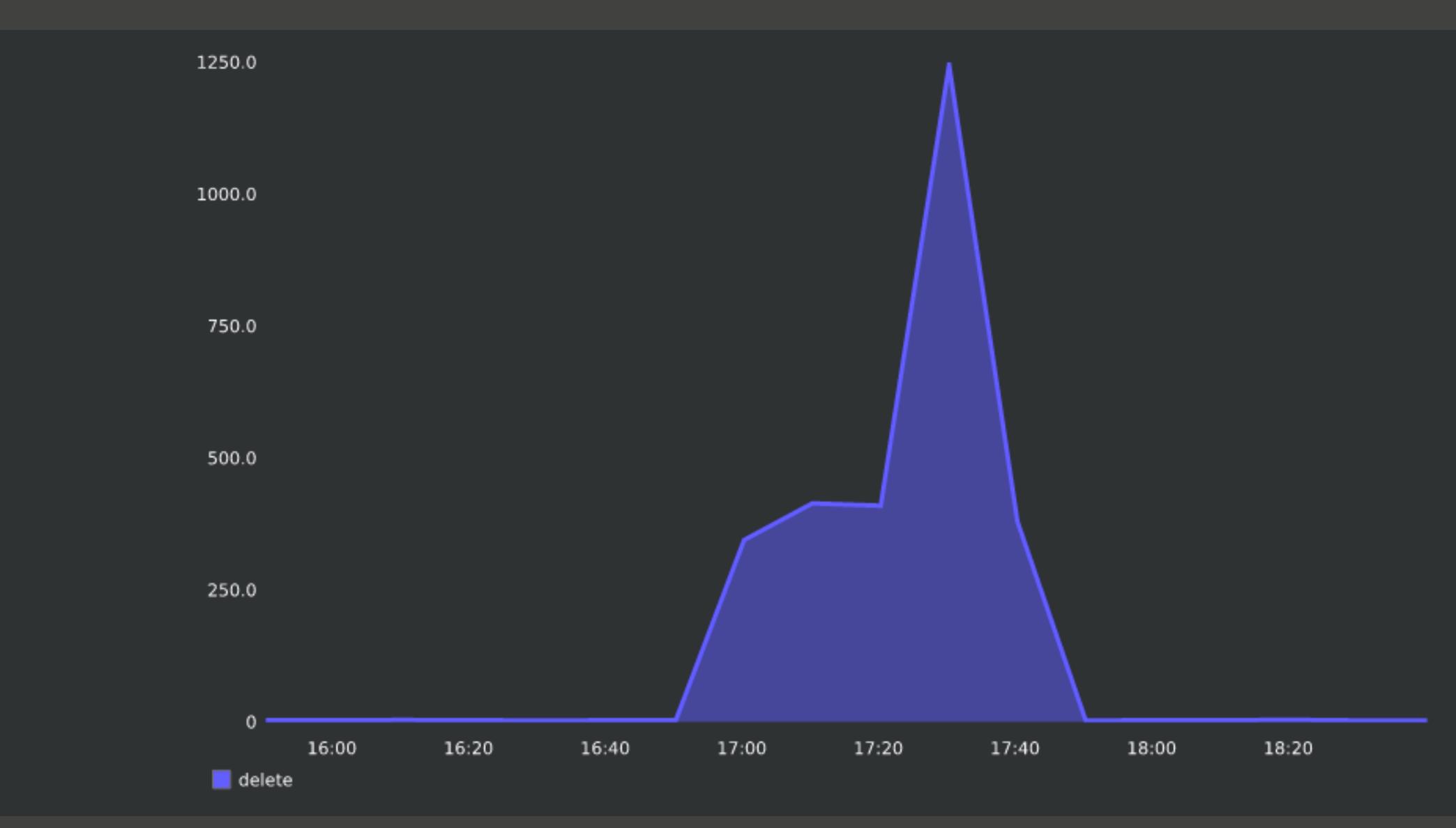
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Delay!!









Ok, so deletes are happening



Attack on two fronts



Performance schema



Amen - IO waits by index

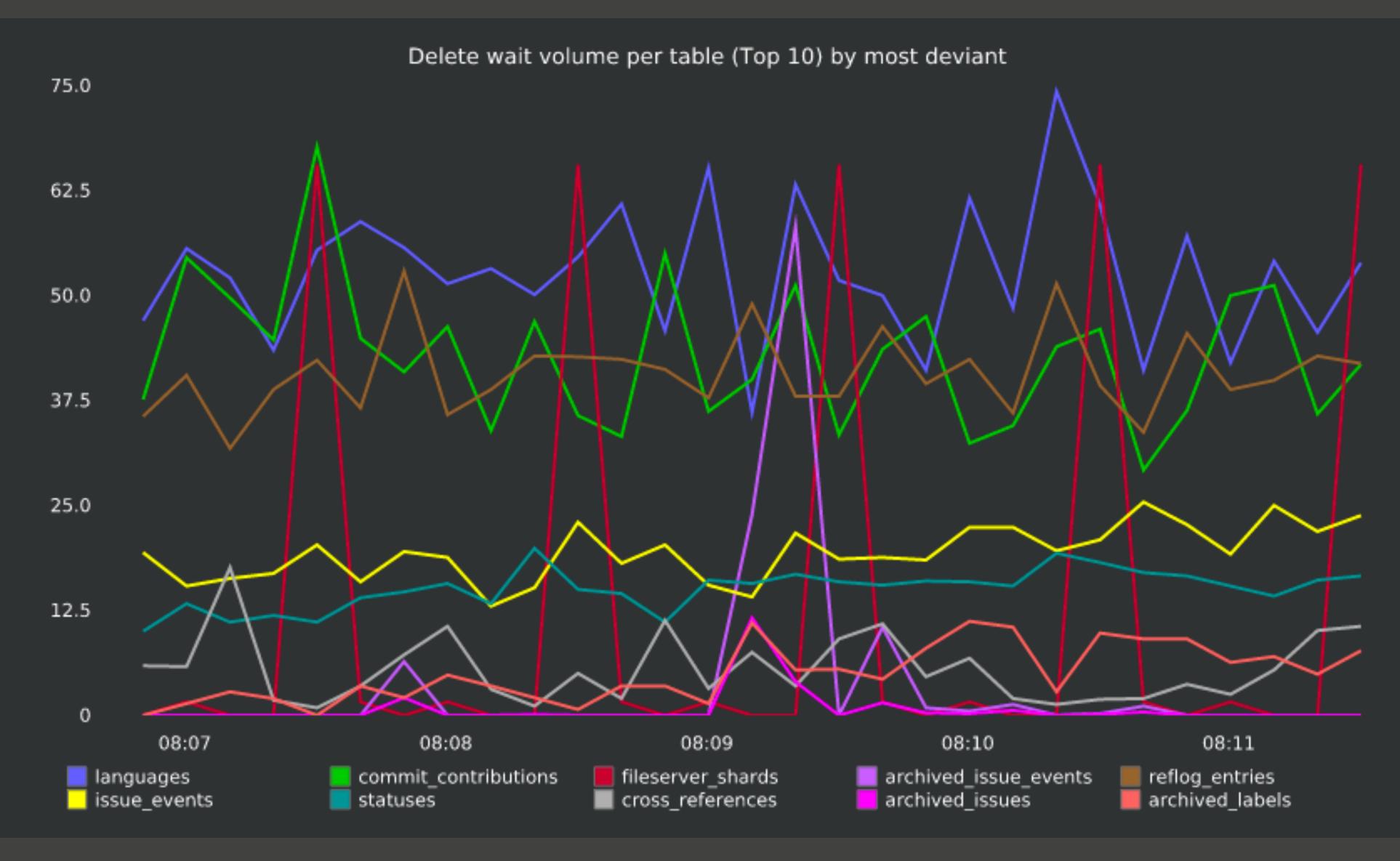


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       @client.query "SELECT object_name AS table_name,\
       LOWER(index_name) as index_name,\
        count_fetch AS select_count,\
        count_insert AS insert_count,\
        count_update AS update_count,\
        count_delete AS delete_count\
        FROM performance_schema.table_io_waits_summary_by_index_usage\
        WHERE object_schema = 'github_production'\
        AND object_name NOT REGEXP '^_.'", (err, results) =>
         if err
           log 'error', err
         else
           prefix = "#{metric}.table_stats.waits"
           for row in results
             @gauge "#{prefix}.#{row.table_name}.#{row.index_name}.select.count", parseInt(row.select_count)
             @gauge "#{prefix}.#{row.table_name}.#{row.index_name}.insert.count", parseInt(row.insert_count)
             @gauge "#{prefix}.#{row.table_name}.#{row.index_name}.update.count", parseInt(row.update_count)
             @gauge "#{prefix}.#{row.table_name}.#{row.index_name}.delete.count", parseInt(row.delete_count)
```



Graphme





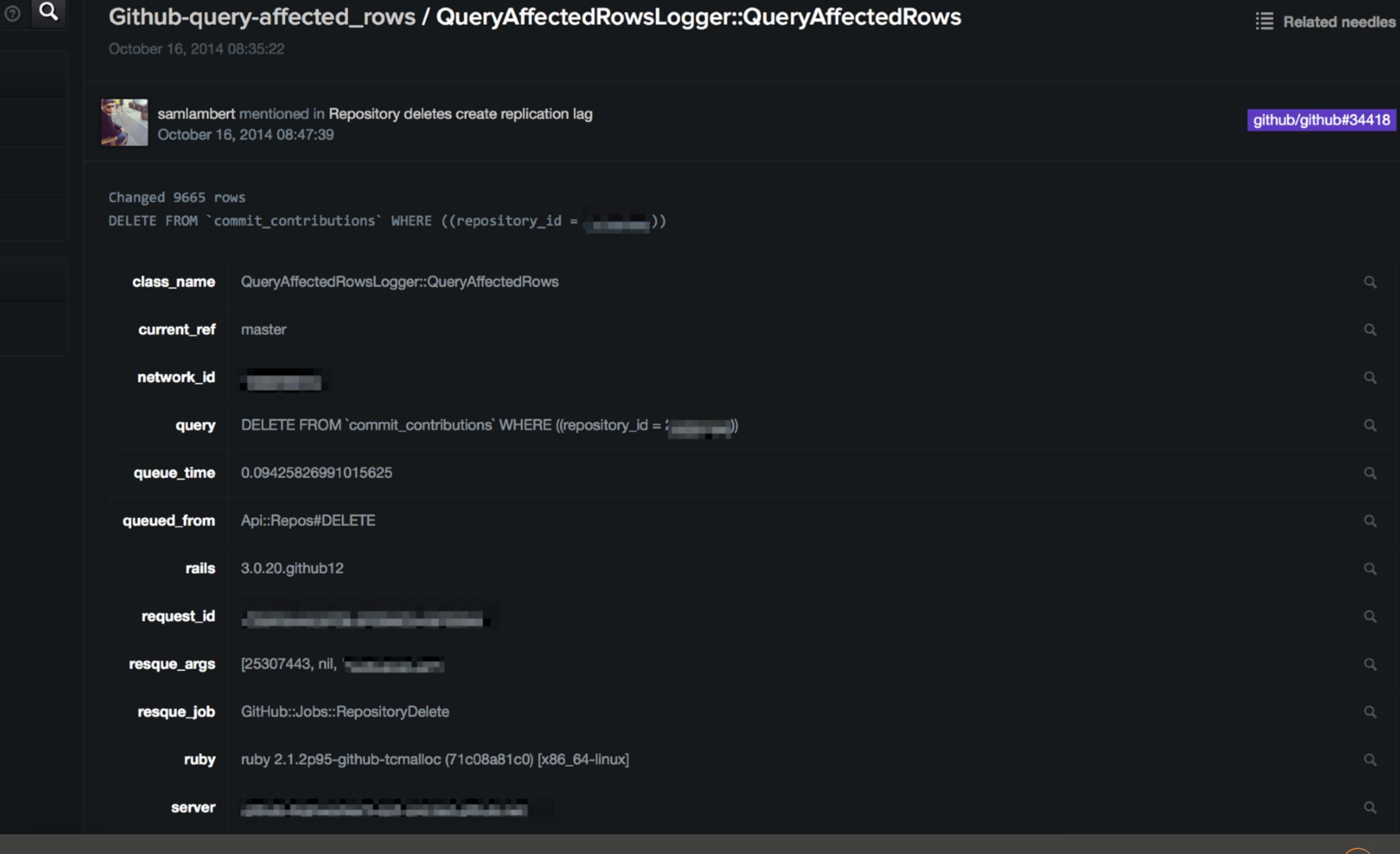








Affected rows bucket



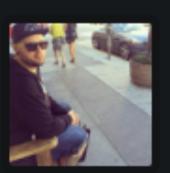


ck access to it.

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Haystack

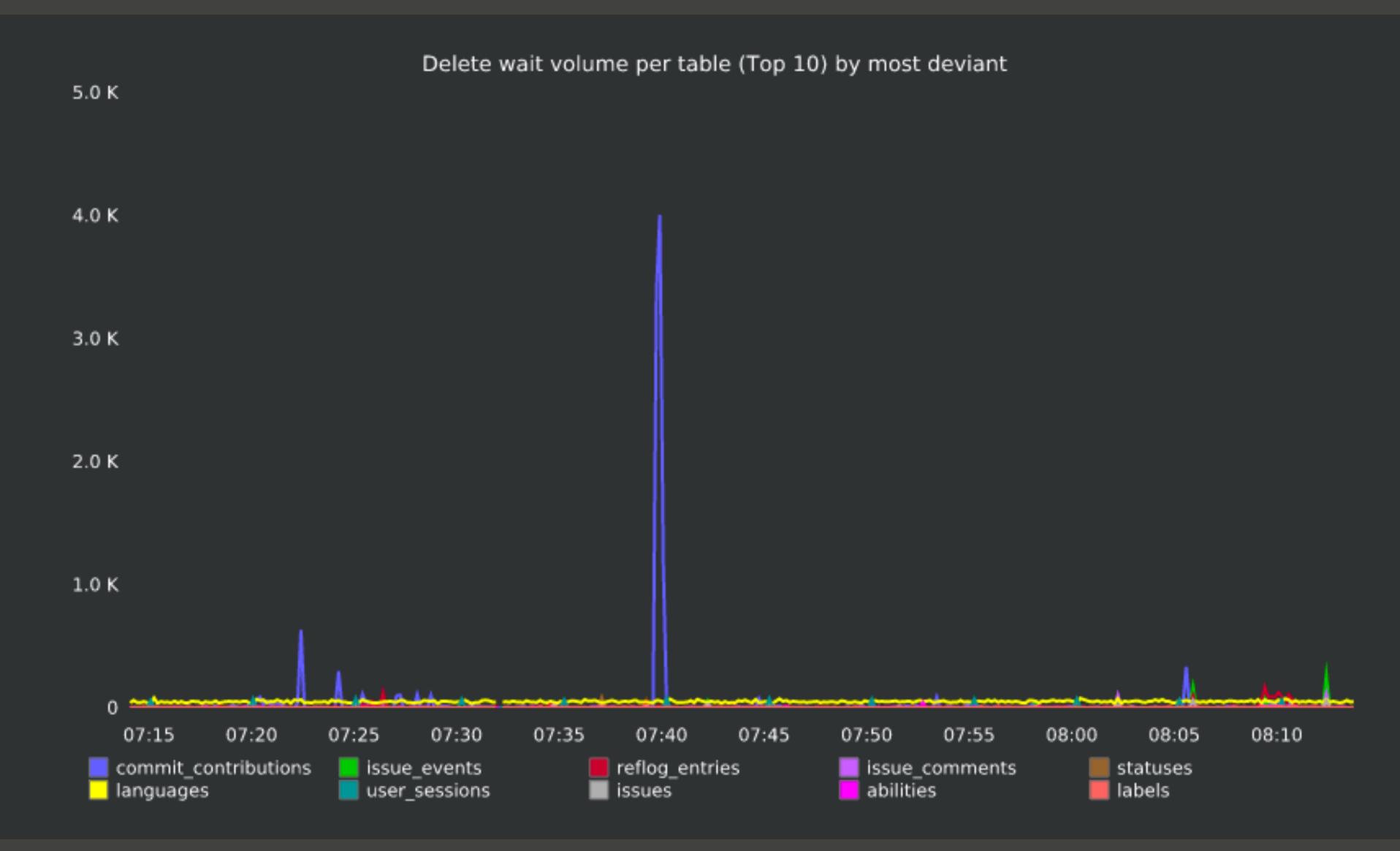




samlambert mentioned in Repository deletes create replication lag October 16, 2014 08:47:39

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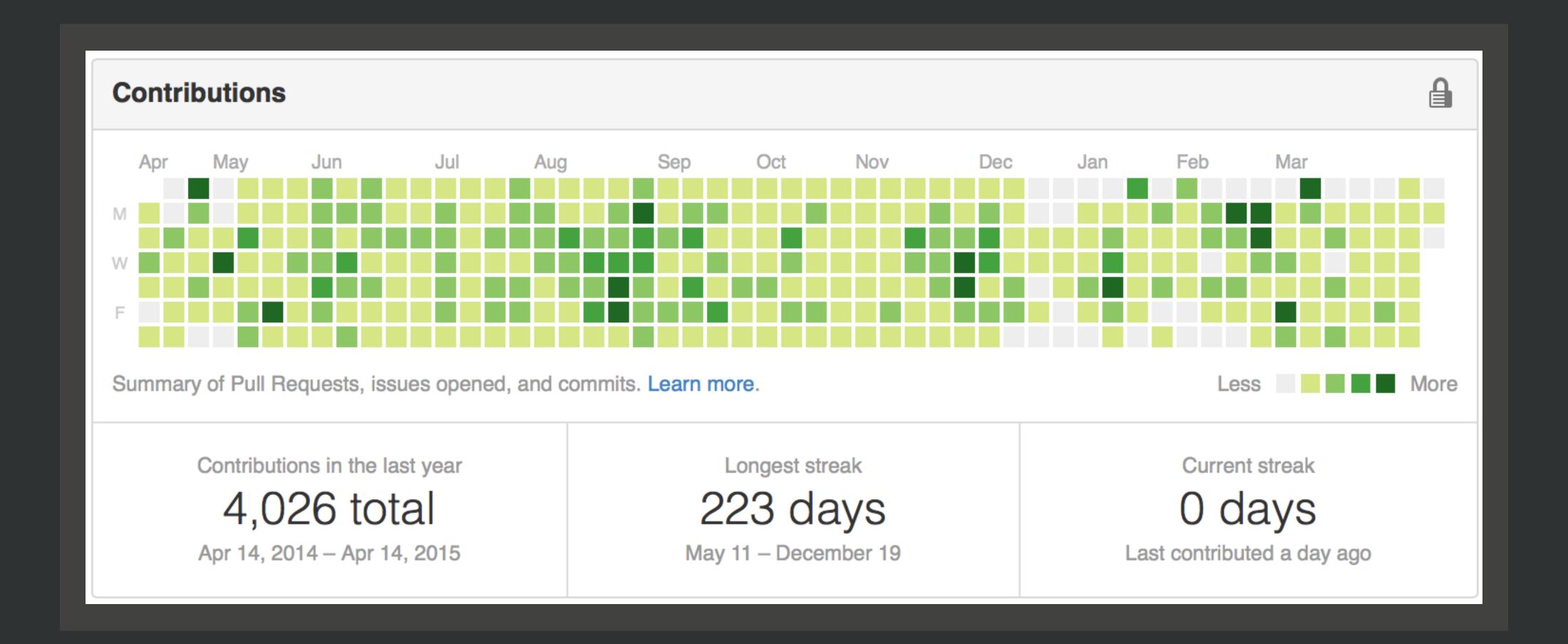




Too many affected rows

Contributions







Dependent destroy



Problem found



Github::Throttler



```
000
             # Public: throttle based on replication delay
             # Waits until replication delay is at or below ALLOWABLE_DELAY, then yields.
             def throttle
               GitHub.stats.increment "replication-delay.called"
               slept = 0
               total_slept = 0
                loop do
                 begin
                   hostname, delay = maximum_replication_delay
                   if delay <= ALLOWABLE_DELAY</pre>
                     return yield
                   end
                   log "#{hostname} delay #{delay} > #{ALLOWABLE_DELAY}, sleeping"
                   sleep ALLOWABLE_DELAY
                   slept += ALLOWABLE_DELAY
                   total_slept += ALLOWABLE_DELAY
                   GitHub.stats.increment "replication-delay.slept"
                   if slept >= REPLICA_RESET_TIME
                     GitHub.stats.increment "replication-delay.reload-replicas"
                     reset_replicas
                     slept = 0
                   end
```

Github::Throttler



```
000
      def self.clear_contributions(repo)
        repo.commit_contribution_ids.each_slice(DELETE_BATCH_SIZE) do |slice|
          throttle do
            GitHub::SQL.run <<-SQL, :ids => slice
              DELETE FROM commit_contributions WHERE id IN :ids
            SQL
          end
        end
      end
```



Problem solved





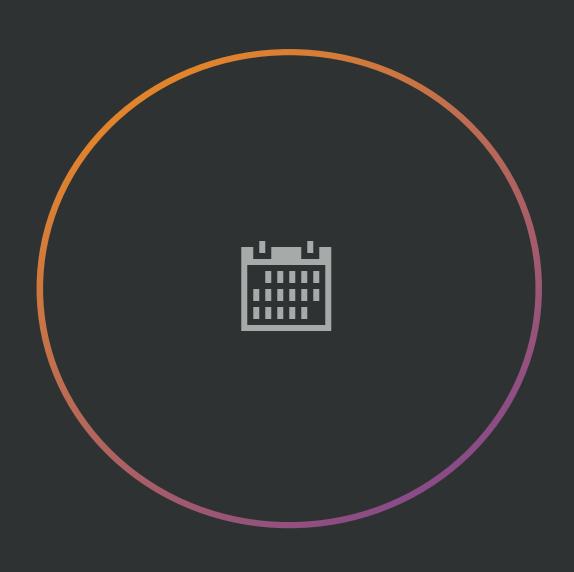






Roadmap





- GTIDs
- MySQL 5.7
- Cluster aware monitoring
- Failover improvements
- So much more





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