

A Smart Way to Manage Packages in Yocto Project

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- Our Distribution includes LTSI Kernel and is built with Yocto Project
- Our Distribution is used for
 - IVI, Server System Controller, Storage System, Network Equipment, Printer, etc.





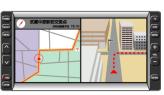












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- Package Manage Method in Yocto Project
- Next Step



Situation Analysis for Current Yocto Project

Current Situation of Yocto Project



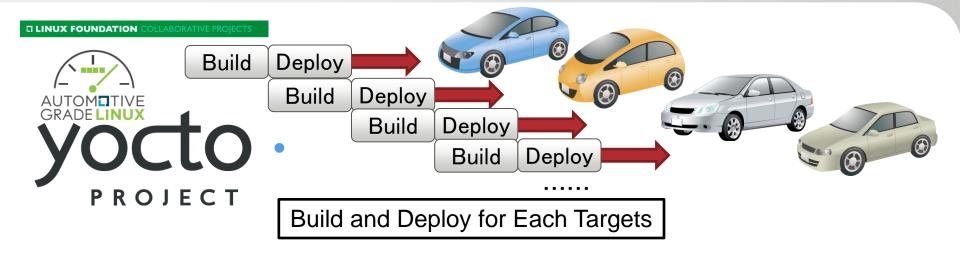


"Yocto creates a custom one for you"

The Yocto Project is an open source collaboration project that provides templates, tools and methods to help you create **custom** Linux-based systems for embedded products regardless of the hardware architecture.

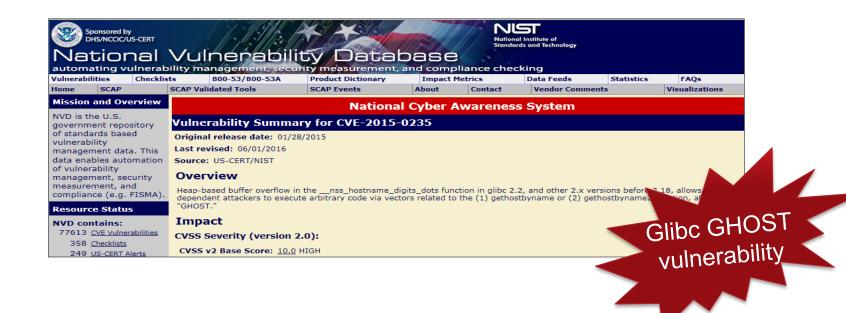
Advantage of Current Yocto Project





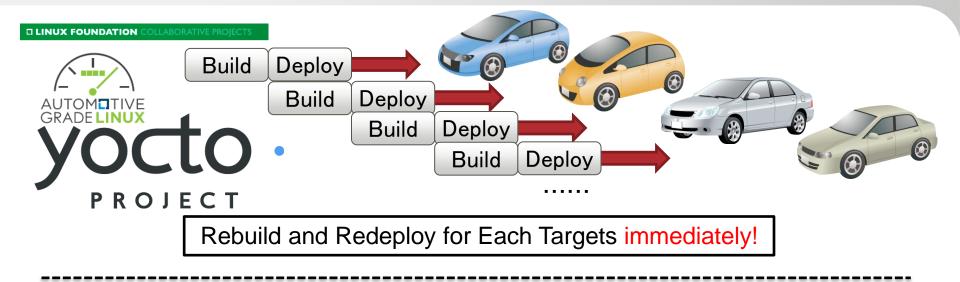
- Flexibility
 - Flexible to select package before building
- Efficiency
 - Create root file system by simple commands
- Optimization
 - Easy to optimize for each target





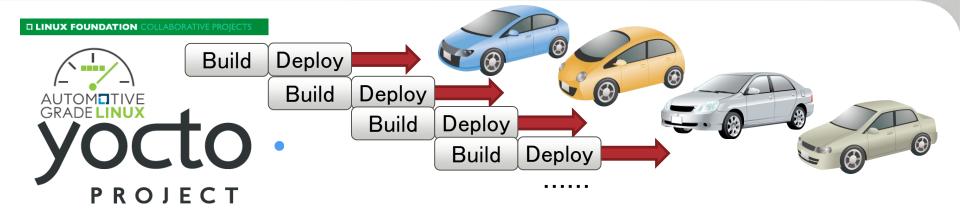
- glibc publics critical security flaw called "GHOST". This vulnerability should be fixed in all targets immediately.
- For each kind of target, the glibc package has to been rebuilded and deployed.





What should you do?

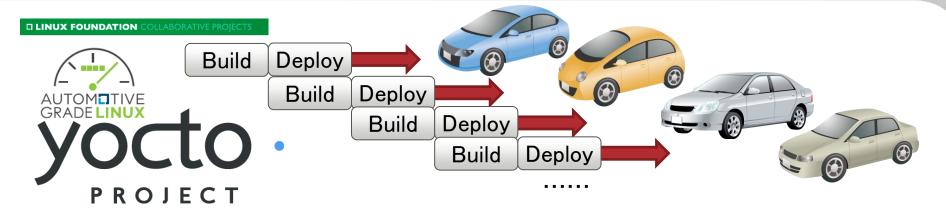




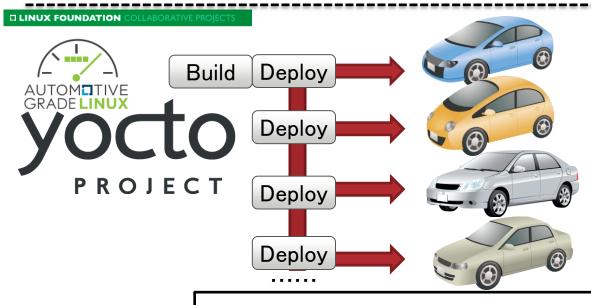
Rebuild and Redeploy for Each Targets immediately!







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Build Once, Deploy Anywhere

Our Solution



github.com/ubinux/smart2



Introduction of Smart2 Package Manager

Smart2 Overview



- Aim to create smart and portable algorithms for solving adequately the problem of managing software upgrading and installation.
- License: GPL-2.0
- Original Smart started on May 2004, and version 1.0 was released on Aug 2008. After released 1.5 on Sep 2014, the community became inactive.
- Add new features into Smart, Smart2 will release soon!

Smart2 Features



- Have Text-GUI make it easy to use
- Dependence relationship solved automatically
- Select include GPL-3.0 or exclude GPL-3.0 packages
- Select individual packages
- Select whether install the dev, dbg, locale, doc, ptest packages

Get smart2 from...



github.com/ubinux/smart2

Smart2 Usage



Install toolchain

\$./libc-x86-meta-toolchain-i586-toolchain.sh

Initial environment

\$. /opt/environment-setup-core2-64-linux

We use this script to finish the environment initialization, such as environment variable setting

- Install package into root file system
 - Command line interface

\$ smart --data-dir =\${rootfs-dir}/var/lib/smart install

Graphical interface

\$ smart --data-dir=\${rootfs-dir}/var/lib/smart --interface=tgui

Smart2 Usage



Smart2 package manager uses the following commands to manage packages.

Usage: smart command

- Install package commands
 - install, remove...
- Query package commands
 - search, query...
- Setup repository commands
 - config, priority, update ...

Run "smart command -help" for more information

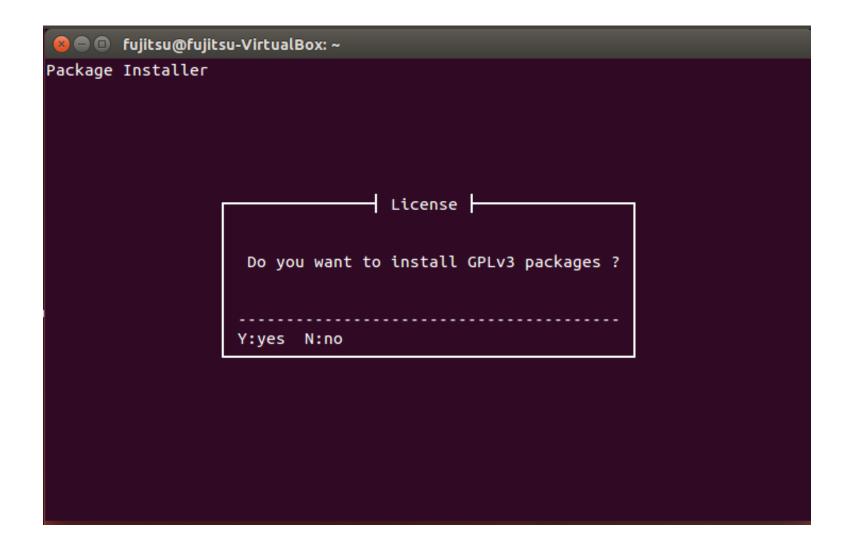
Select install type



🔞 🖯 🗊 root@fujitsu-VirtualBox: /home/fujitsu
Package Installer
Select install type
install all
Busybox base
customize
SPACE/ENTER:select I:Info X:eXit

Choice to select GPLv3 packages





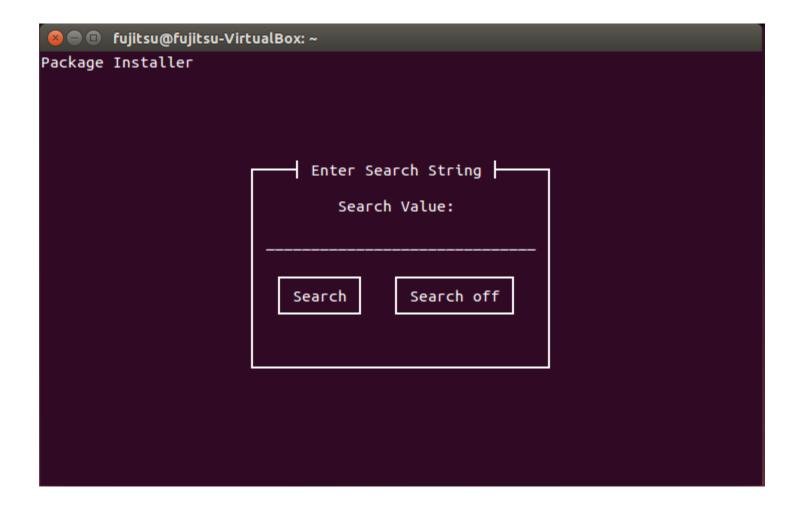
Select packages



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Package Installer
                               Select package
       bzip2-staticdev
        bzip2-ptest
        bzip2-dev
        bzip2
        byacc-dev
        bvacc
    [*] busybox-udhcpd
    [*] busybox-udhcpc
    [*] busybox-syslog
    [*] busybox-ptest
   [*] busybox-hwclock
   [*] busybox-httpd
    [*] busybox-dev
   All Package [6613] Installed Packages [0] Selected Packages [8]
   SPACE/ENTER:select/unselect R:seaRch N:Next B:Back I:Info X:eXit
```

Search package





Choice to select special type packages



```
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox: ~
Package Installer
                       customize special type packages
    locale [ ]
    doc
    dbg
   staticdev [ ]
    ptest [ ]
   SPACE/ENTER:select/unselect N:Next B:Back I:Info X:eXit
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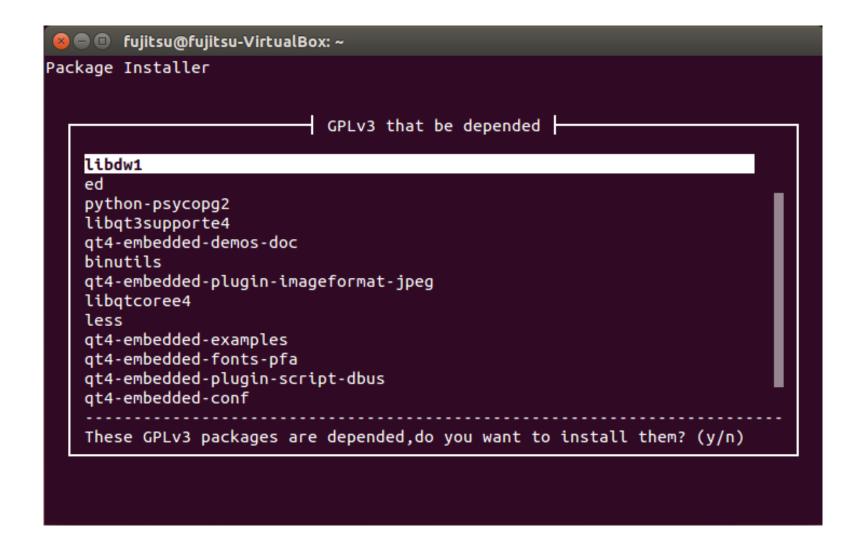
Select special type packages



```
🔞 🖃 📵 fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox: ~
Package Installer
                          Select debuginfo package
       zip-dbg
        zabbix-dbg
        xz-dbg
        xwud-dbg
        xwininfo-dbg
        xwd-dbg
        xvinfo-dbg
        xtrans-dbg
       xterm-dbg
       xstdcmap-dbg
       xsetroot-dbg
       xsetmode-dbg
       xset-dbg
   All Package [792] Installed Packages [1] Selected Packages [0]
   SPACE/ENTER:select/unselect N:Next B:Back I:Info X:eXit
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GPLv3 Dependence Relationship





Dependence Relationship (openssl)



```
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox: ~
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox:~$ smart --rootfs-dir=/home/fujitsu/work/smart-rootfs
-arm-0713 --interface=tqui
inter TquiInteractiveInterface
interfaces->tqui->interface.py init()
TquiInteractiveInterface -> run
Updating cache...
                            ########### [100%]
The install information was logged in smart.error and smart.log.
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox:~$ smart --rootfs-dir=/home/fujitsu/work/smart-rootfs
-arm-0713 --interface=tqui
inter TquiInteractiveInterface
interfaces->tgui->interface.py init()
TguiInteractiveInterface -> run
Updating cache...
                                                               [100%]
                            ******************
Committing transaction...
Preparing...
                                                                  0%]
                            1:Installing openssl-conf
                                                                 20%]
  2:Installing libc6
                                                                 40%1
  3:Installing libcrypto1.0.0
                                                                 60%]
  4:Installing libssl1.0.0
                                                                 80%]
  5:Installing openssl
                                                                [100%]
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Installing



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7%]
492:Installing glibc-charmap...
                                                                     7%]
493:Installing mc-locale-wa
                                                                     7%]
494:Installing binutils-loca...
                                                                     7%]
                            495:Installing glibc-charmap...
                                                                     7%]
496:Installing glibc-binaries
                                                                     7%]
497:Installing findutils-loc..
                                                                     7%]
498:Installing python-smartp...
                                                                     7%]
499:Installing flex-locale-tr
                                                                     7%]
500:Installing libpopt-local..
                                                                     7%]
501:Installing indent-locale..
                                                                     7%]
502:Installing binutils-loca..
                                                                     7%]
503:Installing sed-locale-ro
                                                                     7%]
504:Installing cracklib-loca..
                                                                     7%]
505:Installing psmisc-locale...
                                                                     7%]
506:Installing gtk+-locale-cs
                                                                     7%]
507:Installing networkmanage..
                                                                     7%]
508:Installing tar-locale-de
                                                                     7%]
509:Installing libglib-2.0-l..
                                                                     7%]
510:Installing tzdata-atlantic
                                                                     7%]
511:Installing libatk-1.0-lo..
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512:Installing imsettings-lo...
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513:Installing kbd-locale-el
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Created Root Filesystem



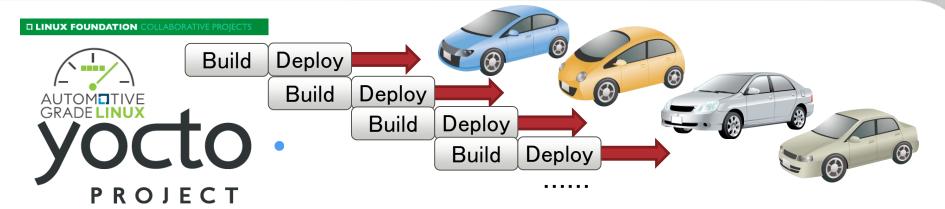
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fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox: ~/work/smart-rootfs-arm-071302
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox:~/work/smart-rootfs-arm-071302$ ls
bin etc lib linuxrc oe install sbin srv usr var
fujitsu@fujitsu-VirtualBox:~/work/smart-rootfs-arm-071302$ ls -R
bin etc lib linuxrc oe install sbin srv usr var
./bin:
busybox
busybox.nosuid
busybox.suid
./etc:
busybox.links.nosuid ld.so.conf
                                           syslog-startup.conf.busybox
busybox.links.suid
                      passwd
default
                                           syslog.conf.busybox
                      rpm-postinsts
init.d
                                           udhcpc.d
./etc/default:
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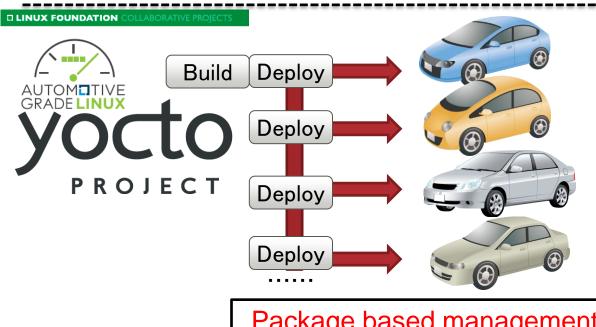
Package Manage Method in Yocto Project

Consider Method





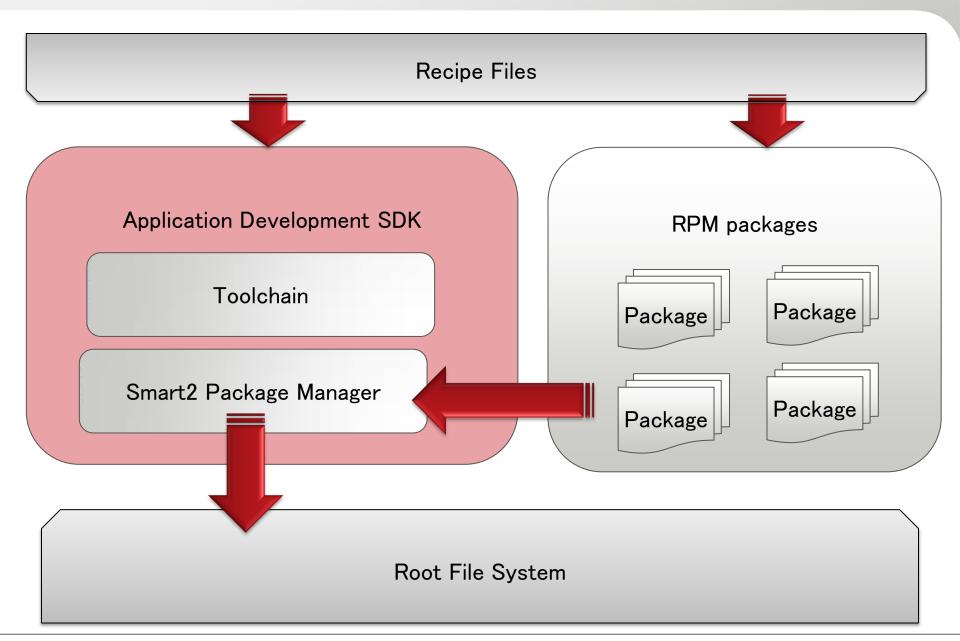
Recipe based management



Package based management

Workflow



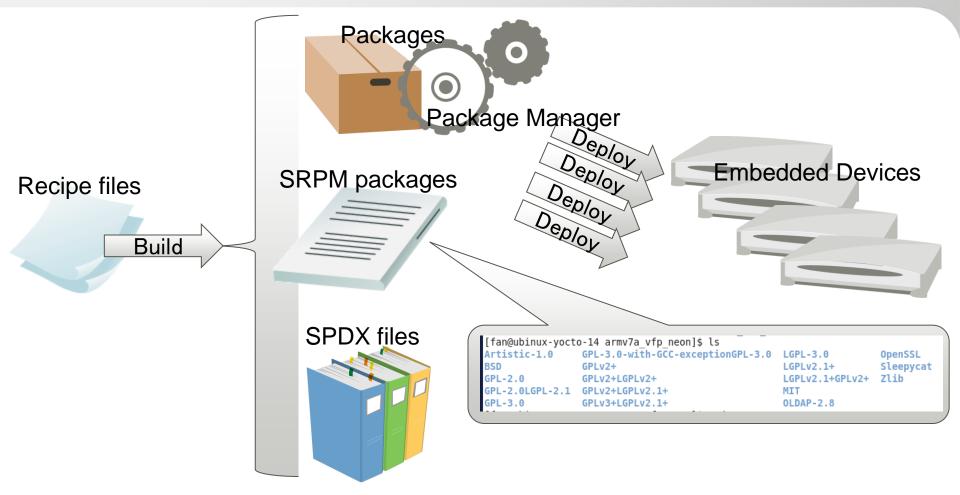




Next Step

License Management

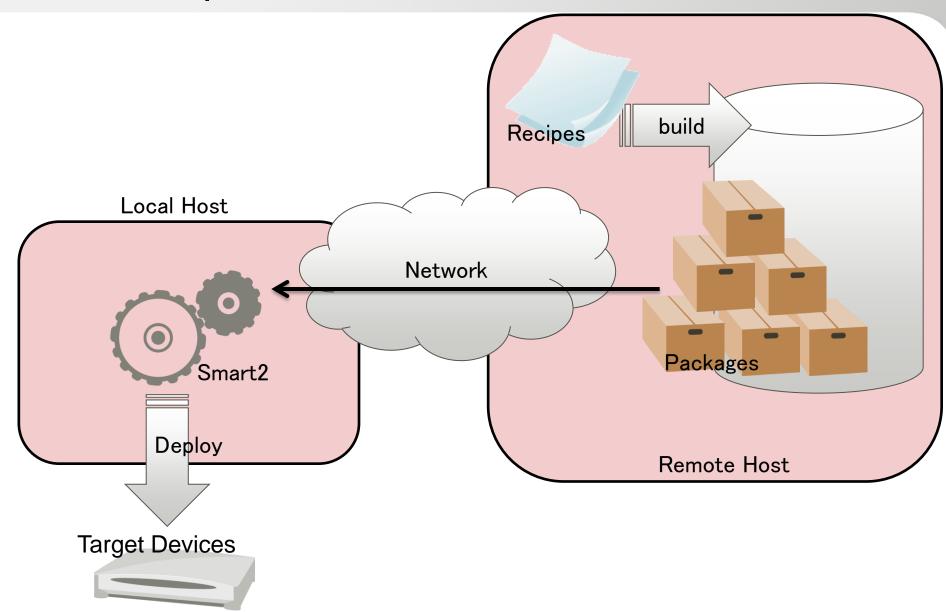




- Accompanied with the package files, SRPM packages and SPDX files are created to manage license information
- SRPM Packages are classified by license type

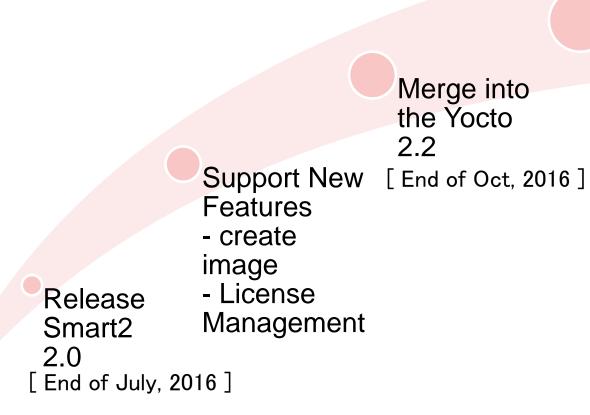
Remote Update





Next Step





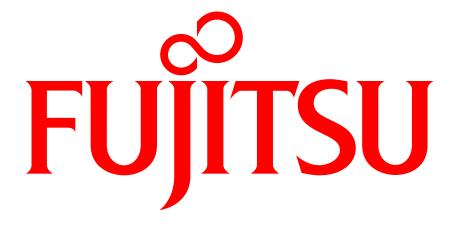
Support new Features - Manage remote packages - Support python3

Welcome patches and comments!



github.com/ubinux/smart2

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