Welcome on the Debian Perl Group homepage!

Here you will find all the information you need for participating to the live of our group.

Note: You may also find information on our team page on wiki.debian.org.

Who We Are

We are a collection of Debian Developers and other contributors to Debian. We create Debian packages for various distributions typically found on the Comprehensive Perl Archive Network to make them easier to install and upgrade.

We are concerned primarily with packaging of Perl modules, rather than the interpreter itself. For information pertaining to the perl package in Debian, see the perl tracker page.

(Archive of the message sent in Jan 2004 announcing the creation of the Debian Perl Group.)

Task description

These are our goals:

We want to constantly improve the coverage of available perl modules in debian. Specifically, we aim to:

- Adopt orphaned Perl module packages.
- Handle the RFP (Request For Package) of Perl modules.
- Document and improve the usage of tools like dh-make-perl.
- Help with bugs in Perl packages.
- Keeping Perl packages in the Debian archive as up-to-date as possible.

(Source: https://perl-team.pages.debian.net/goals.html - June 2004)

How to get involved?

You are considering to join the Debian Perl Group or were just added to the group on Salsa? Then our Welcome page (english, español) should help you with your decision and your first steps.

Policies and guidelines

The following documents explain how people are expected to work within the group. Please consider reading them and referring to them in case of doubt:

- policy.html
- git.html
- tips.html
- checklist.html
- forward.html
- changelog.html
- copyright.html
- howto/

Infrastructure and tools

Here's a list of the most important infrastructure and tools that we use for our work:

- https://salsa.debian.org/perl-team/modules: We manage all our packages 'sources using git repositories hosted on Salsa.
- https://bugs.debian.org/: This link points to a page listing all the bugs related to packages maintained by the Debian Perl Group.
- autopkgtest.html
- debhelper.html
- pkg-perl/DMD page
- pkg-perl DDPO page :All packages maintained by Debian Perl Group.

Communication with the team

The following tools can be used to communicate with the team:
debian-perl@lists.debian.org
    for internal communication as well as the contact place for others;
    mailing list subscription and archives are on lists.debian.org
#debian-perl channel on irc.debian.org
    for real-time communication
pkg-perl-maintainers@lists.alioth.debian.org
    for the Maintainer field and the automatic mails related to that;
    mailing list subscription and archives are on alioth-lists.debian.net

Archives

Please find archives (talks, reports,...) of the group here

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