

# Modern CLI tools

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# Today's goal

| Learn CLI tools you have not heard about. Increase your productivity

# Don't spew on UIs

- 🍏 UIs solve different issues 🍊
- ⏸ UIs help to reduce complexity
- ❓ UIs will help newcomers
- 🏆 UIs look nicer
- 🐐 GOAT: The web!

# Why CLI tools then?

-  Scripting
-  Speed
-  Flexibility
-  Automation

# Why CLI tools then?

-  Process safety
-  **Expert mode**
-  Issue: Outdated distribution packages
-  Do one thing and do it well!

# Modern CLI tools?

- 📠 Many tools still stem from the early UNIX times
- 💻 Rise of the developer
- ✅ UTF8
- 🎨 Colors
- 🏎️ Faster terminals
- 👁️ Debugging (ephemeral containers, no local logs, remote)

# New languages

- Rust
- Go
- Crystal
- JVM: GraalVM, Kotlin Native, Scala Native
- Zig
- V

# New languages

- Binary as a result, best startup time
- No C/memory management learning required
- Faster development

# Shell - zsh

- in combination with `oh-my-zsh`
- scripting syntax similar to `bash`
- lots of plugins for easier development

```
~ ➔ kubectl --namespace community delete pod --selector app=contributor-program
```

# Shell - alternatives

- bash
- fish
- nushell

```
/home/jonathan/Source/nushell(main)> █
```

# Shell Prompt - GBT

```
# GBT status prompt configuration
export GBT_CARS='Status, Dir, Git, Sign'
export GBT_CAR_DIR_DEPTH='3'
export GBT_CAR_SIGN_FORMAT=' '
export GBT_CAR_DIR_BG='55;55;55'
export GBT_CAR_DIR_FG='cyan'
export GBT_CAR_GIT_BG='80;80;80'
export GBT_CAR_GIT_FG='green'
export GBT_CAR_GIT_DIRTY_FG='light_red'
PROMPT='$(gbt $?)'
```

# Shell Prompt - GBT

```
presentations/marpit-presentations/modern-cli-tools > ? master x > dsads  
zsh: command not found: dsads  
x > presentations/marpit-presentations/modern-cli-tools > ? master x > pwd  
/Users/alr/elastic/presentations/2020/presentations/marpit-presentations/modern-cli-tools  
presentations/marpit-presentations/modern-cli-tools > ? master x > █
```

# Shell Prompt - Starship

```
> ls
└─ benchmarks      └─ client          └─ elasticsearch.iws  └─ libs            └─ plugins          └─ settings.gradle
└─ build           └─ CONTRIBUTING.md └─ gradle            └─ LICENSE.txt     └─ qa               └─ test
└─ build.gradle    └─ dev-tools      └─ gradle.properties └─ licenses        └─ README.asciidoc └─ TESTING.asciidoc
└─ buildSrc        └─ distribution   └─ gradlew           └─ modules         └─ rest-api-spec   └─ Vagrantfile
└─ checkstyle_ide.xml └─ docs           └─ gradlew.bat       └─ NOTICE.txt     └─ server          └─ x-pack

elasticsearch on  master [$] via v15.0.2 via v2.2.14 on alexander.reelsen@elastic.co
> █
```

# Shell aliases

Make sure you alias what you type often!



wd



# Shell history search

- Ctrl+R triggers history search
- **Extremely powerful**
- Ensure your history gets written after command execution instead of logout

```
~ ➤ kubectl --namespace community logs --selector app=cloud-challenge -f  
bck-i-search: kube_
```

# Lsd

```
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations master x ls -l
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 512 B 6 months ago app-search-introduction
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 5.2 KB 6 months ago app-search-introduction.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 1.0 KB 6 months ago elastic-stack-improve-ci
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 13 KB 6 months ago elastic-stack-improve-ci.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 352 B 3 months ago elasticsearch-backwards-compatibility
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 14 KB 3 months ago elasticsearch-backwards-compatibility.md
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 24 KB 7 months ago elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 448 B 3 months ago elasticsearch-finding-relevancy-improving-your-application-search-bar
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 6.5 KB 3 months ago elasticsearch-finding-relevancy-improving-your-application-search-bar.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 512 B 8 months ago elasticsearch-introduction
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 8.4 KB 8 months ago elasticsearch-introduction.kibana
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 6.8 KB 8 months ago elasticsearch-introduction.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 96 B a year ago elasticsearch-java-client
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 11 KB 9 months ago elasticsearch-java-client.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 192 B 7 months ago elasticsearch-spring-boot
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 10 KB 4 months ago elasticsearch-spring-boot.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 512 B 4 months ago images
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 687 B 4 months ago Makefile
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 256 B 37 minutes ago modern-cli-tools
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 2.7 KB 30 seconds ago modern-cli-tools.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 14 KB 2 days ago node_modules
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 183 KB 2 days ago package-lock.json
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 131 B 2 days ago package.json
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 1.2 KB 6 months ago README.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 192 B 7 months ago seccomp
.rw-r--r-- alr staff 16 KB 4 months ago seccomp.md
drwxr-xr-x alr staff 128 B now themes
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations master x
```

# lsd

- a better `ls`
- colored output
- relative/absolute timestamps
- file type icons (nerdfonts)
- tree view
- total directory size view

# bat

```
33  ```
34  marp -s . -I . -w --allow-local-files
35  ```
36
37  Then open http://localhost:8080/ and click on the presentation. Live reloading
38  should work as usual.
39
40  # TODO
41
42  * Do more CSS styling to make this nicer
43  * Add comments for better explanations
44
```

```
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations master x cat package.json
```

File: package.json

```
1  {
2    "name": "marp-demos",
3    "devDependencies": {
4      "@marp-team/marp-cli": "0.23.0",
5      "@mermaid-js/mermaid-cli": "8.8.1"
6    }
7  }
```

```
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations master x cat Makefile
```

File: Makefile

```
1  all: pdf html
2
3  pdf:
4    ./node_modules/.bin/marp --theme-set . --pdf elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.md -o elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.pdf --allow-local-files
5    ./node_modules/.bin/marp --theme-set . --pdf elasticsearch-java-client.md -o elasticsearch-java-client.pdf --allow-local-files
6
7  html:
8    ./node_modules/.bin/marp --theme-set . --html elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.md -o elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.html --allow-local-files
9    ./node_modules/.bin/marp --theme-set . --html elasticsearch-java-client.md -o elasticsearch-java-client.html --allow-local-files
10
11  server:
12    marp -s . -I . -w --allow-local-files
```

# bat

- cat with wings
- Syntax highlighting & themes
- Line highlighting
- Range snippets (no more `cat | head | tail` parties)
- git integration
- builtin pagination

# fd

```
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations > master x fd md
README.md
app-search-introduction/demo-communication.mmd
app-search-introduction.md
elastic-stack-improve-ci.md
elasticsearch-backwards-compatibility.md
elasticsearch-digging-deeper-into-fulltext-search.md
elasticsearch-finding-relevancy-improving-your-application-search-bar.md
elasticsearch-introduction.md
elasticsearch-java-client.md
elasticsearch-spring-boot.md
modern-cli-tools.md
seccomp.md
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations > master x
```

# fd

- a better find, very similar syntax
- colors!
- takes `.gitignore` into account
- case-insensitive by default
- regexes
- parallel command execution (when used with `-x`)

# ripgrep

```
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations > master x rg Crystal
modern-cli-tools.md
57:* Crystal

seccomp.md
20:- Using Seccomp in high level languages (Java, Crystal, Python)
454:# Using seccomp in Crystal
459:# Using seccomp in Crystal
628:- Libraries: [libseccomp](https://github.com/seccomp/libseccomp) including python integration, [go-seccomp-bpf](https://github.com/elastic/go-seccomp-bpf), [seccomp.cr](https://github.com/S-YOU/seccomp.cr) for [Crystal](https://crystal-lang.org/)

elastic-stack-improve-ci.md
409:# Crystal Output (single XML file)
2020/presentations/marpit-presentations > master x
```

# ripgrep

- It's **fast!**
- match patterns across newlines
- takes `.gitignore` into account
- skips dot files and binary files
- recursive && regexing by default
- replacement of matched text
- `ripgrep-all` to search in binary files

# htop

```
1[|||||] 9.3%] 5[|||||] 6.0%]
2[|] 0.7%] 6[|] 0.7%]
3[|||||] 10.6%] 7[|||||] 4.0%]
4[|] 0.0%] 8[|] 0.0%]
Mem[|||||] 8.07G/16.0G] Tasks: 442, 1256 thr; 1 running
Swp[|||||] 9.83G/11.0G] Load average: 1.70 1.71 1.79
Uptime: 11 days, 07:38:17
```

PID	USER	PRI	NI	VIRT	RES	S	CPU%	MEM%	TIME+	Command
21248	alr	32	0	8632M	835M	?	0.2	5.1	1h34:45	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/MacOS/Vivaldi
21279	alr	17	0	9872M	715M	?	0.1	4.4	1h10:32	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
21271	alr	17	0	9359M	643M	?	0.0	3.9	1h29:09	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
60359	alr	17	0	10.5G	469M	?	0.0	2.9	4:37.30	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
84795	alr	17	0	28.6G	465M	?	0.0	2.8	26:02.74	/Applications/Slack.app/Contents/Frameworks/Slack Helper (Renderer).
22145	alr	17	0	9496M	338M	?	0.0	2.1	1h17:45	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
21463	alr	17	0	9392M	236M	?	0.1	1.4	16:28.52	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
4588	alr	24	0	4959M	186M	?	0.3	1.1	25:02.32	./kibana-7.10.2-darwin-x86_64/bin/./node/bin/node ./kibana-7.10.2-d
17462	alr	17	0	9005M	175M	?	5.3	1.1	1:28.83	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
19262	alr	17	0	8980M	152M	?	0.0	0.9	0:16.27	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
9486	alr	17	0	5764M	150M	?	0.1	0.9	1:15.81	/Users/alr/.sdkman/candidates/java/15.0.2-open/bin/java --add-opens
21263	alr	17	0	5284M	150M	?	1.3	0.9	3h11:25	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
21909	alr	17	0	9362M	146M	?	0.0	0.9	14:23.89	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
17023	alr	24	0	5261M	141M	?	4.1	0.9	1:51.37	/Applications/iTerm.app/Contents/MacOS/iTerm2
70869	alr	17	0	13.1G	139M	?	0.0	0.9	4:10.32	/Applications/Spotify.app/Contents/Frameworks/Spotify Helper (Render
19460	alr	17	0	8966M	138M	?	0.0	0.8	0:01.64	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
2631	alr	24	0	5950M	120M	?	0.0	0.7	49:35.84	/Applications/Slack.app/Contents/MacOS/Slack
8659	alr	17	0	4884M	115M	?	0.0	0.7	6:33.97	/System/Library/Services/AppleSpell.service/Contents/MacOS/AppleSpel
70858	alr	24	0	5522M	107M	?	0.4	0.7	23:40.75	/Applications/Spotify.app/Contents/MacOS/Spotify
17461	alr	17	0	5108M	103M	?	0.0	0.6	0:21.06	node /Users/alr/elastic/presentations/2020/presentations/marpit-pres
22460	alr	17	0	9106M	99M	?	0.0	0.6	3:04.65	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
21274	alr	17	0	8835M	98M	?	0.0	0.6	4:05.04	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
19263	alr	17	0	8725M	99832	?	0.0	0.6	0:00.90	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
68559	alr	17	0	5146M	95160	?	1.7	0.6	1h52:17	/System/Applications/Utilities/Activity Monitor.app/Contents/MacOS/A
21269	alr	17	0	9116M	81668	?	0.0	0.5	1:01.61	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
51959	alr	17	0	9302M	76524	?	0.2	0.5	10:07.76	/Applications/Vivaldi.app/Contents/Frameworks/Vivaldi Framework.fram
865	alr	17	0	5140M	74176	?	0.0	0.4	5:54.54	/System/Library/CoreServices/Finder.app/Contents/MacOS/Finder

# pretyping

```
~ prettyping 1.1.1.1
0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 110 120 130 140 150 160 170 180 190 200 210
220 230 ∞
PING 1.1.1.1 (1.1.1.1): 56 data bytes
-----
1/155 ( 0%) lost; 13/ 15/ 63ms; last: 15ms
0/ 60 ( 0%) lost; 13/ 15/ 36/ 1ms (last 60)
```

# hyperfine

```
/tmp hyperfine --warmup 5 'cat test1 > /dev/null' --prepare 'sudo purge'
```

```
Benchmark #1: cat test1 > /dev/null
```

```
Time (mean ± σ):      36.5 ms ±  3.1 ms    [User: 1.2 ms, System: 17.8 ms]
```

```
Range (min ... max):  33.5 ms ... 43.3 ms    10 runs
```

```
/tmp hyperfine --warmup 5 'cat test1 > /dev/null'
```

```
Benchmark #1: cat test1 > /dev/null
```

```
Time (mean ± σ):      3.8 ms ±  0.6 ms    [User: 0.8 ms, System: 2.9 ms]
```

```
Range (min ... max):  2.8 ms ...  7.0 ms    363 runs
```

```
Warning: Command took less than 5 ms to complete. Results might be inaccurate.
```

```
/tmp █
```

# JSON coloring

```
~> curl -s localhost:9200 | jq -C .
{
  "name": "rhincodon",
  "cluster_name": "elasticsearch",
  "cluster_uuid": "qp5uSkQWTPCkdieecxYM3A",
  "version": {
    "number": "7.11.1",
    "build_flavor": "default",
    "build_type": "tar",
    "build_hash": "ff17057114c2199c9c1bbecc727003a907c0db7a",
    "build_date": "2021-02-15T13:44:09.394032Z",
    "build_snapshot": false,
    "lucene_version": "8.7.0",
    "minimum_wire_compatibility_version": "6.8.0",
    "minimum_index_compatibility_version": "6.0.0-beta1"
  },
  "tagline": "You Know, for Search"
}
```

# JSON selection

```
~> curl -s localhost:9200 | jq -C '.version.number'  
"7.11.1"  
~> █
```

# JSON selection

```
~> echo '{ "array" : [ {"name" : "Alex", "age" : 37} , {"name":"Paul", "age":43}] }' | jq -C
{
  "array": [
    {
      "name": "Alex",
      "age": 37
    },
    {
      "name": "Paul",
      "age": 43
    }
  ]
}
~> echo '{ "array" : [ {"name" : "Alex", "age" : 37} , {"name":"Paul", "age":43}] }' | jq -C '.array | min_by(.name)'
{
  "name": "Alex",
  "age": 37
}
~> echo '{ "array" : [ {"name" : "Alex", "age" : 37} , {"name":"Paul", "age":43}] }' | jq -C ' [.array[].age] | add'
80
~> █
```

# fzf

```
curl -s 'localhost:9200/_cat/indices?format=json' \  
  | jq -C -r \ '[ .[] | select ( .index | startswith(".") | not) ] | sort_by(.index) | .[].index' \  
  | fzf
```

```
curl -s 'localhost:9200/_cat/indices?format=json' \  
| jq -C -r \ '[ .[] | select ( .index | startswith(".") | not) ] | sort_by(.index) | .[].index' \  
| fzf
```

```
alr@rhincodon:~  
~ curl -s 'localhost:9200/_cat/indices?format=json' | jq -C -r '[ .[] | select ( .index | startswith(".") | not) ] | sort_  
by(.index) | .[].index' | fzf
```

# bandwhich

```
Total Up / Down: 498Bps / 1.39KiBps
Utilization by process name
Process           Connections      Up / Down
Spotify           7                152Bps / 492Bps
Slack Helper      2                0Bps / 461Bps
<UNKNOWN>        41               256Bps / 24Bps
Viv[...].per     10               0Bps / 220Bps
Vivaldi           2                70Bps / 130Bps
mDN[...].der     2                0Bps / 95Bps
postgres         1                19Bps / 0Bps

Utilization by remote address
Remote Address    Up / Down
ec2-[...].com.    0Bps / 461Bps
192.168.178.36    0Bps / 390Bps
rhin[...].box.    0Bps / 223Bps
239.255.255.250   213Bps / 0Bps
muc1[...].net.    0Bps / 151Bps
localhost.        147Bps / 0Bps
localhost.        128Bps / 0Bps
fe80[...].baa6    0Bps / 63Bps
fritz.box.        0Bps / 55Bps
ec2-[...].com.    0Bps / 17Bps
199.232.192.64    0Bps / 12Bps
199.232.192.134   0Bps / 12Bps

Utilization by connection
Connection        Process           Up / Down
<en8>:52260 => ec2-3-123-21[...].te.amazonaws.com.:443 (tcp) Slack Helper      0Bps / 437Bps
<en8>:50024 => 192.168.178.36:1900 (udp) Spotify           0Bps / 260Bps
<en8>:64007 => muc11s04-in-f14.1e100.net.:443 (udp) Viv[...].per     0Bps / 151Bps
<en8>:50024 => 239.255.255.250:1900 (udp) Spotify           142Bps / 0Bps
<lo0>:1900 => rhincodon.fritz.box.:50024 (udp) Spotify           0Bps / 142Bps
<en8>:62503 => 192.168.178.36:1900 (udp) Vivaldi           0Bps / 130Bps
<lo0>:1900 => rhincodon.fritz.box.:62503 (udp) Spotify           0Bps / 70Bps
<en8>:62503 => 239.255.255.250:1900 (udp) Vivaldi           70Bps / 0Bps
<en8>:5353 => fe80::464e:6dff:fe25:baa6:5353 (udp) mDN[...].der     0Bps / 63Bps
<en8>:5353 => fritz.box.:5353 (udp) mDN[...].der     0Bps / 31Bps
<en8>:80 => fritz.box.:37113 (tcp) <UNKNOWN>         0Bps / 24Bps
<en8>:52259 => ec2-3-123-21[...].te.amazonaws.com.:443 (tcp) Slack Helper      0Bps / 24Bps
<lo0>:50894 => localhost.:50894 (udp) postgres         19Bps / 0Bps

Press <SPACE> to pause. Use <TAB> to rearrange tables. (DNS queries hidden).
```

# ytop

**CPU Usage**

CPU0	19%
CPU1	1%
CPU2	15%
CPU3	1%
CPU4	10%
CPU5	0%
CPU6	4%
CPU7	1%



**Disk Usage**

Partiti	Mount	Used	Free	R/s
disk1s1	/System	63%	165 GiB	0 bytes
disk1s3	/Volume	0%	165 GiB	0 bytes

**Memory Usage**

Main	60%	7.98 GiB/16.0 GiB
Swap	92%	9.25 GiB/10.0 GiB

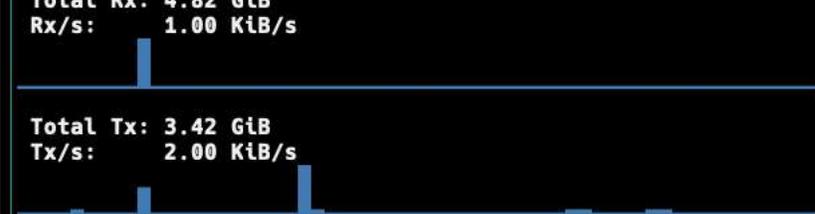


**Temperatures**

CPU	61°C
GPU	61°C
Battery	34°C

**Network Usage**

Total Rx:	4.82 GiB
Rx/s:	1.00 KiB/s
Total Tx:	3.42 GiB
Tx/s:	2.00 KiB/s



**Processes (89-97 of 208)**

Count	Command	CPU%	Mem%
1	backgroundtaskma	0.0	0.0
1	ctkaph	0.0	0.0
1	mdworker	0.0	0.0
1	ProtectedCloudKe	0.0	0.0
1	CallHistoryPlugi	0.0	0.0
1	bird	0.0	0.0
1	distnoted	0.0	0.0
1	node	0.0	0.4
1	suggestd	0.0	0.1

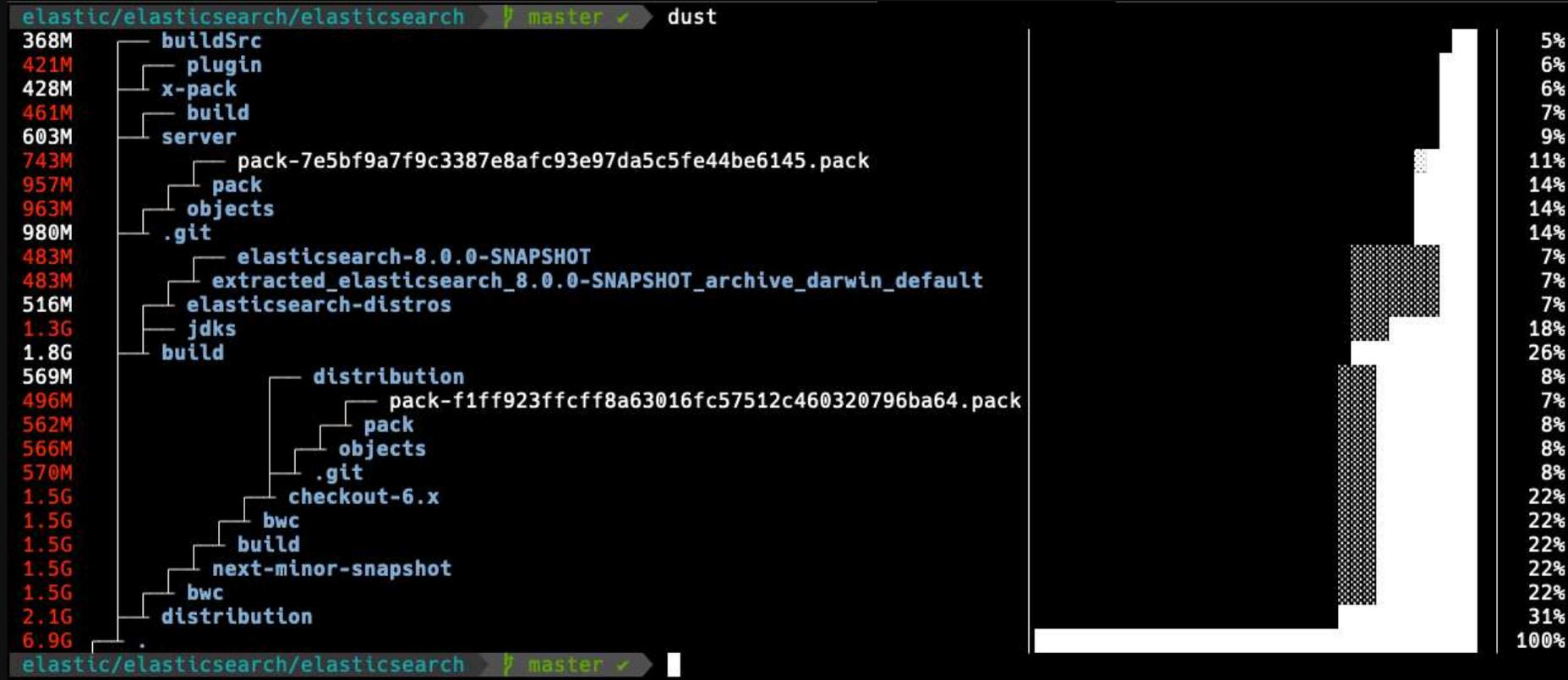
# procs

```
~ > procs -p disable java -t
```

PID	User	TTY	CPU [%]	MEM [%]	CPU Time	Command
67348	alr		0.0	4.5	01:33:44	/Applications/IntelliJ IDEA CE.app/Contents/MacOS/idea
98102	alr		0.0	0.1	00:01:01	/Users/alr/.sdkman/candidates/java/15.0.1-open/bin/java --enable-preview -Dfile
28709	alr	s000	0.0	0.0	00:00:00	-zsh
28804	alr	s000	0.0	25.2	00:00:37	/Users/alr/.sdkman/candidates/java/current/bin/java -Xshare:auto -Des.networkad

```
~ >
```

# dust



# version managers

- JVM: sdkman
- nodejs: nvm
- ruby: rvm
- Problem: per project requirements

# direnv - unclutter your profile

`.envrc`

```
layout node
export NODE_VERSIONS=~/.nvm/versions/node
export NODE_VERSION_PREFIX='v'
use node 15.11.0
dotenv
```

# direnv - unclutter your profile

.env

```
DB_USERNAME="sa"  
DB_PASSWORD=""  
DB_URL="jdbc:h2:mem:foo_in_memory;MODE=PostgreSQL;DB_CLOSE_DELAY=-1;DATABASE_TO_UPPER=false"
```

Run `direnv allow` after a change

# envchain - store secrets securely

```
envchain --set my_app DB_PASSWORD
```

```
envchain ./gradlew run
```

# Better diffs

```
/tmp /usr/bin/diff elasticsearch-old.yml elasticsearch.yml
23c23
< #node.name: node-1
---
> node.name: my-node-1
55c55
< #network.host: 192.168.0.1
---
> network.host: 192.168.0.1
x /tmp /usr/bin/diff -u elasticsearch-old.yml elasticsearch.yml
--- elasticsearch-old.yml      2021-03-08 16:39:06.000000000 +0100
+++ elasticsearch.yml         2021-03-08 16:42:43.000000000 +0100
@@ -20,7 +20,7 @@
#
# Use a descriptive name for the node:
#
-#node.name: node-1
+node.name: my-node-1
#
# Add custom attributes to the node:
#
@@ -52,7 +52,7 @@
#
# Set the bind address to a specific IP (IPv4 or IPv6):
#
-#network.host: 192.168.0.1
+network.host: 192.168.0.1
#
# Set a custom port for HTTP:
#
x /tmp
```

# colordiff

```
x /tmp colordiff -u elasticsearch-old.yml elasticsearch.yml
--- elasticsearch-old.yml      2021-03-08 16:39:06.000000000 +0100
+++ elasticsearch.yml         2021-03-08 16:42:43.000000000 +0100
@@ -20,7 +20,7 @@
#
# Use a descriptive name for the node:
#
-#node.name: node-1
+node.name: my-node-1
#
# Add custom attributes to the node:
#
@@ -52,7 +52,7 @@
#
# Set the bind address to a specific IP (IPv4 or IPv6):
#
-#network.host: 192.168.0.1
+network.host: 192.168.0.1
#
# Set a custom port for HTTP:
#
```

# icdiff

```
x /tmp icdiff elasticsearch-old.yml elasticsearch.yml
```

```
elasticsearch-old.yml
```

```
#
# ----- Node -----
#
# Use a descriptive name for the node:
#
#node.name: node-1
#
# Add custom attributes to the node:
#
#node.attr.rack: r1
#
#
# ----- Network -----
#
# Set the bind address to a specific IP (IPv4 or IPv6):
#
#network.host: 192.168.0.1
#
# Set a custom port for HTTP:
#
#http.port: 9200
#
```

```
/tmp
```

```
elasticsearch.yml
```

```
#
# ----- Node -----
#
# Use a descriptive name for the node:
#
#node.name: my-node-1
#
# Add custom attributes to the node:
#
#node.attr.rack: r1
#
#
# ----- Network -----
#
# Set the bind address to a specific IP (IPv4 or IPv6):
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#
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#
```

Language	Files	Lines	Blanks	Comments	Code	Complexity
Java	15002	2544041	328818	292218	1923005	174961
YAML	1007	134857	14667	3163	117027	0
JSON	619	43138	18	0	43120	0
Plain Text	512	55353	9539	0	45814	0
Gradle	392	21555	2368	827	18360	0
Properties File	84	9803	228	637	8938	0
XML	60	4072	472	1133	2467	0
Groovy	31	4788	465	561	3762	334
BASH	25	814	143	214	457	74
SVG	23	1137	0	18	1119	0
Batch	21	849	154	2	693	169
Markdown	17	1675	397	0	1278	0
Shell	17	1070	129	164	777	72
SQL	12	859	4	561	294	0
XML Schema	12	3302	224	0	3078	0
TOML	10	5333	269	60	5004	137
Dockerfile	9	501	27	5	469	2
CSV	8	803	0	0	803	0
gitignore	6	72	16	17	39	0
HTML	5	81	0	16	65	0
CSS	3	327	30	3	294	0
Freemarker Template	3	7	0	0	7	0
License	3	285	44	0	241	0
Python	3	579	30	60	489	28
Emacs Lisp	1	88	10	0	78	4
JavaScript	1	40	8	2	30	9
Mustache	1	5	0	0	5	0
Powershell	1	32	3	1	28	0
Systemd	1	66	17	0	49	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>17889</b>	<b>2835532</b>	<b>358080</b>	<b>299662</b>	<b>2177790</b>	<b>175790</b>

Estimated Cost to Develop (organic) \$153,511,411  
 Estimated Schedule Effort (organic) 74.866695 months  
 Estimated People Required (organic) 102.527266

Processed 129081316 bytes, 129.081 megabytes (SI)

scc - source code analyzer

# Honorable mentions

- GPU based terminal emulators: `alacritty` & `kitty`
- `exiftool`, remove exif data `exiftool -all= my.png`
- `tmux` - next session will be all about `tmux`!
- `sd`, a faster `sed` alternative
- `zoxide`, a new `cd` that remembers your most common paths

# Honorable mentions

- rlwrap, a `readline` wrapper
- cli, the github cli tool
- taskwarrior, **the** CLI todo management tool

# Missing

- Note taking tool, that automatically syncs in the cloud/via git
- Time tracking?
- What are your favourite tools? Feel free to ping (twitter, email, linkedin, whatever)

# Write CLI tools

## Command Line Interface Guidelines

Foreword

Introduction

Philosophy

- Human-first design
- Simple parts that work together
- Consistency across programs
- Saying (just) enough
- Ease of discovery
- Conversation as the norm
- Robustness
- Empathy
- Chaos

Guidelines

- The Basics
- Help
- Output
- Errors
- Arguments and flags
- Interactivity
- Subcommands
- Robustness
- Future-proofing
- Signals and control characters
- Configuration
- Environment variables
- Naming
- Distribution
- Analytics

Further reading

# Resources

- direnv
- envchain
- fish shell
- Starship
- fd
- bat
- hyperfine

# Resources

- [ripgrep](#)
- [ripgrep-all](#)
- [Grep tools feature comparison](#)
- [Rewritten in Rust: Modern Alternatives of Command-Line Tools](#)
- [Command Line Interface Guidelines](#)
- [A better zsh history](#)

**Thanks for listening**

**Q & A**

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