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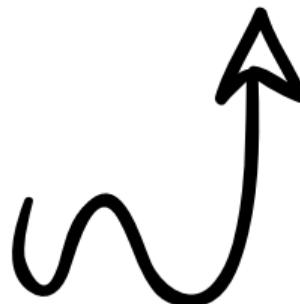


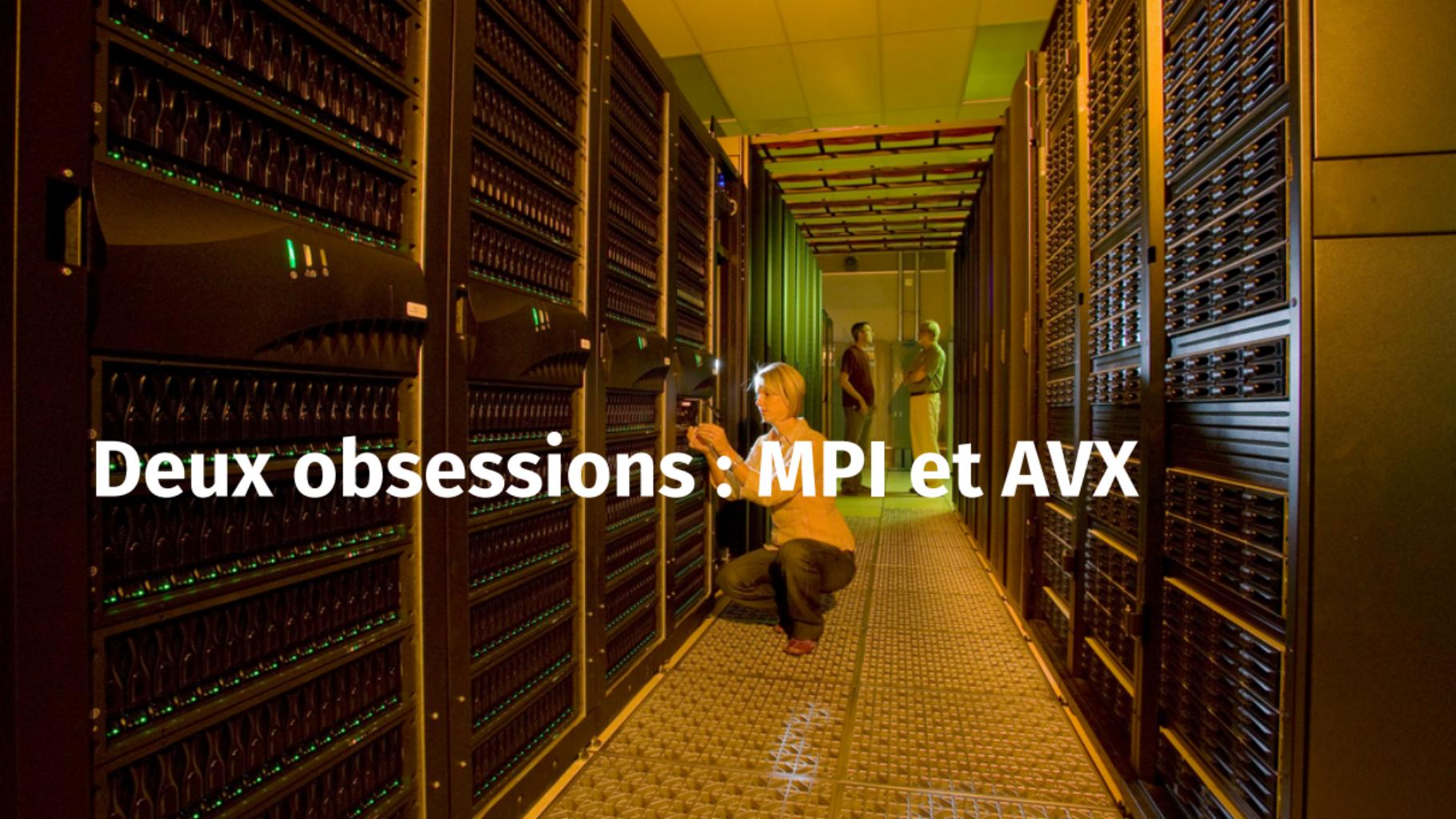
Software Heritage



Guix

The Re**Science** Journal



A photograph of a server room. In the foreground, a woman with blonde hair, wearing a light orange shirt and dark pants, is crouching down between two rows of server racks, looking at something in her hands. Behind her, two men are standing and talking near a doorway. The server racks are filled with numerous drives and components, many with green LED lights. The floor is made of metal grates. The lighting is dim, coming from the server units themselves.

Deux obsessions : MPI et AVX

Some fairly common (but questionable) assumptions made by package managers (conda, pip, apt, etc.)

- **1:1 relationship between source code and binary (per platform)**
 - Good for reproducibility (e.g., Debian)
 - Bad for performance optimization
- **Binaries should be as portable as possible**
 - What most distributions do
 - Again, bad for performance
- **Toolchain is the same across the ecosystem**
 - One compiler, one set of runtime libraries
 - Or, no compiler (for interpreted languages)

Todd Gamblin (Spack)

psm@3.3.20170428

psm2@11.2.185

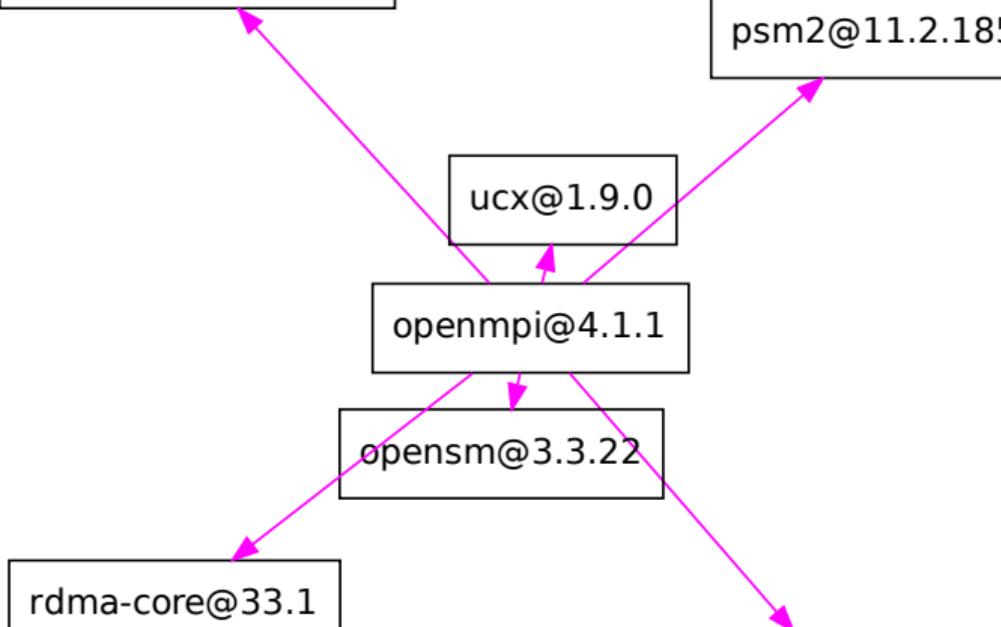
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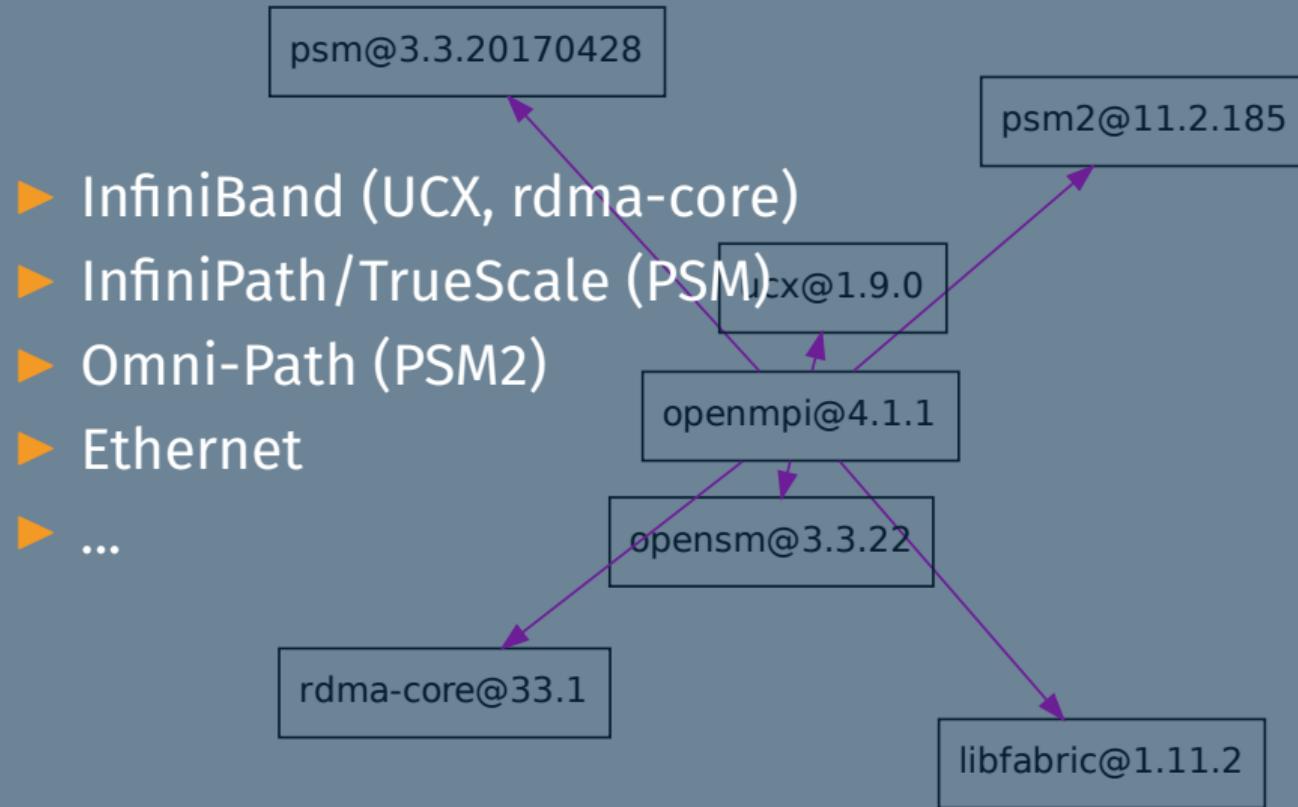
openmpi@4.1.1

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libfabric@1.11.2





La jungle des extensions vectorielles

SSE2 (ca. 2003)

AVX-512 (2013)

SSE3

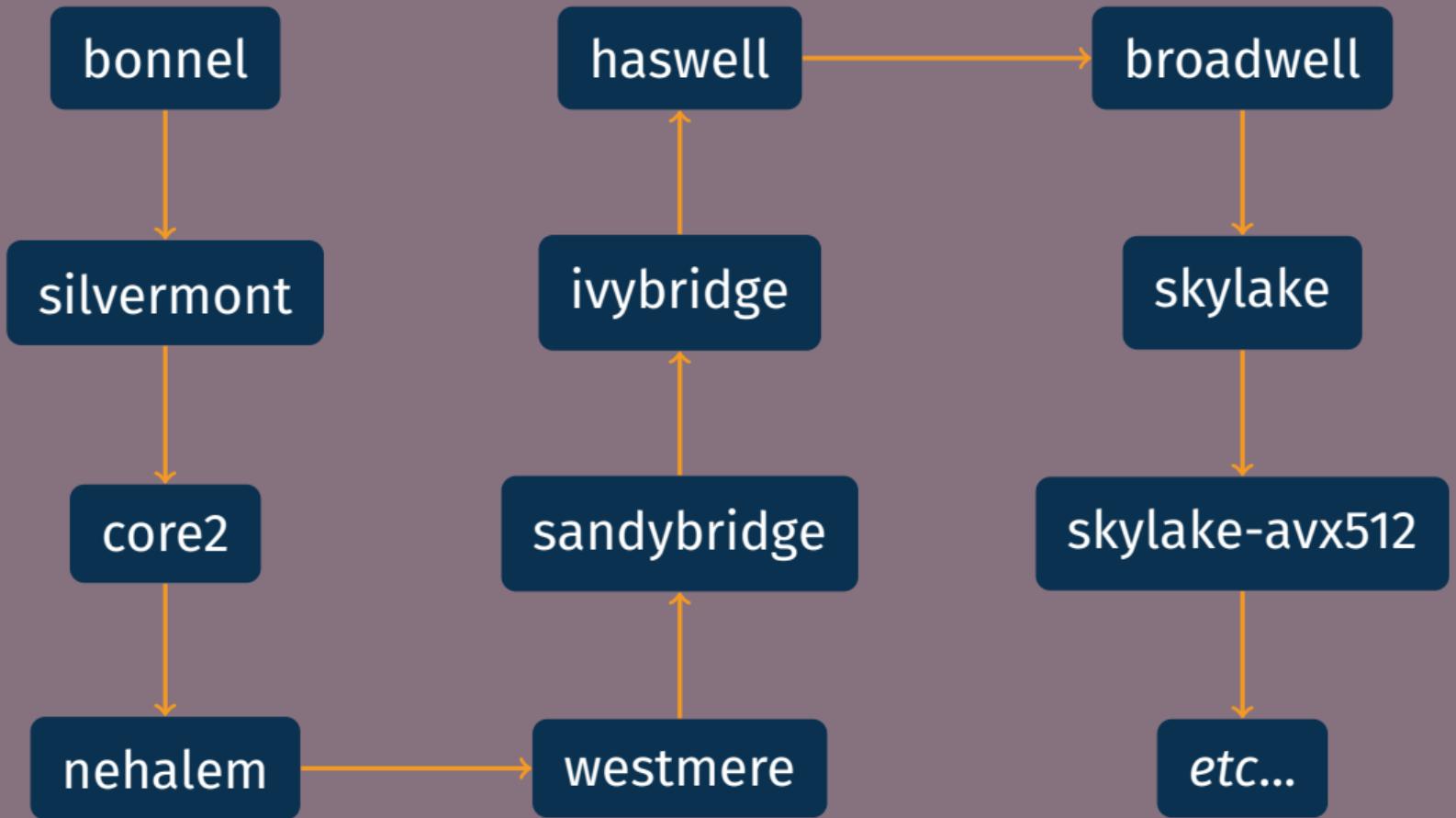
x86_64

AVX2

SSSE3

AVX





code

Eigen (x86_64 baseline)
Eigen -march=westmere
Eigen -march=sandybridge
Eigen -march=skylake
OpenBLAS

GEMM 240x240x240

11 Gflops/s
12 Gflops/s
20 Gflops/s
36 Gflops/s
16 Gflops/s



x3

```
guix shell eigen-benchmarks -- benchBlasGemm 240 240 240, Intel CORE i7
```

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$ ls /cm/shared/modules/intel/  
broadwell      haswell    ivybridge  
knightslanding knl        skylake  
  
$ ls /cm/shared/modules/intel/skylake/modulefiles/  
compiler  linalg  tools
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$ spack spec netcdf-c
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Concretized
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    ^diffutils@3.8... arch=linux-ubuntu18.04-skylake_avx512  
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https://spack.readthedocs.io/en/latest/getting\_started.html
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THE #1 PROGRAMMER EXCUSE FOR LEGITIMATELY SLACKING OFF:

"MY CODE'S COMPILING."

HEY! GET BACK
TO WORK!

COMPILING!

OH. CARRY ON.



Function multi-versioning!

GNU libc

Libgcrypt

Nettle

OpenBLAS

BLIS

FFTW

GMP

Julia

Rust

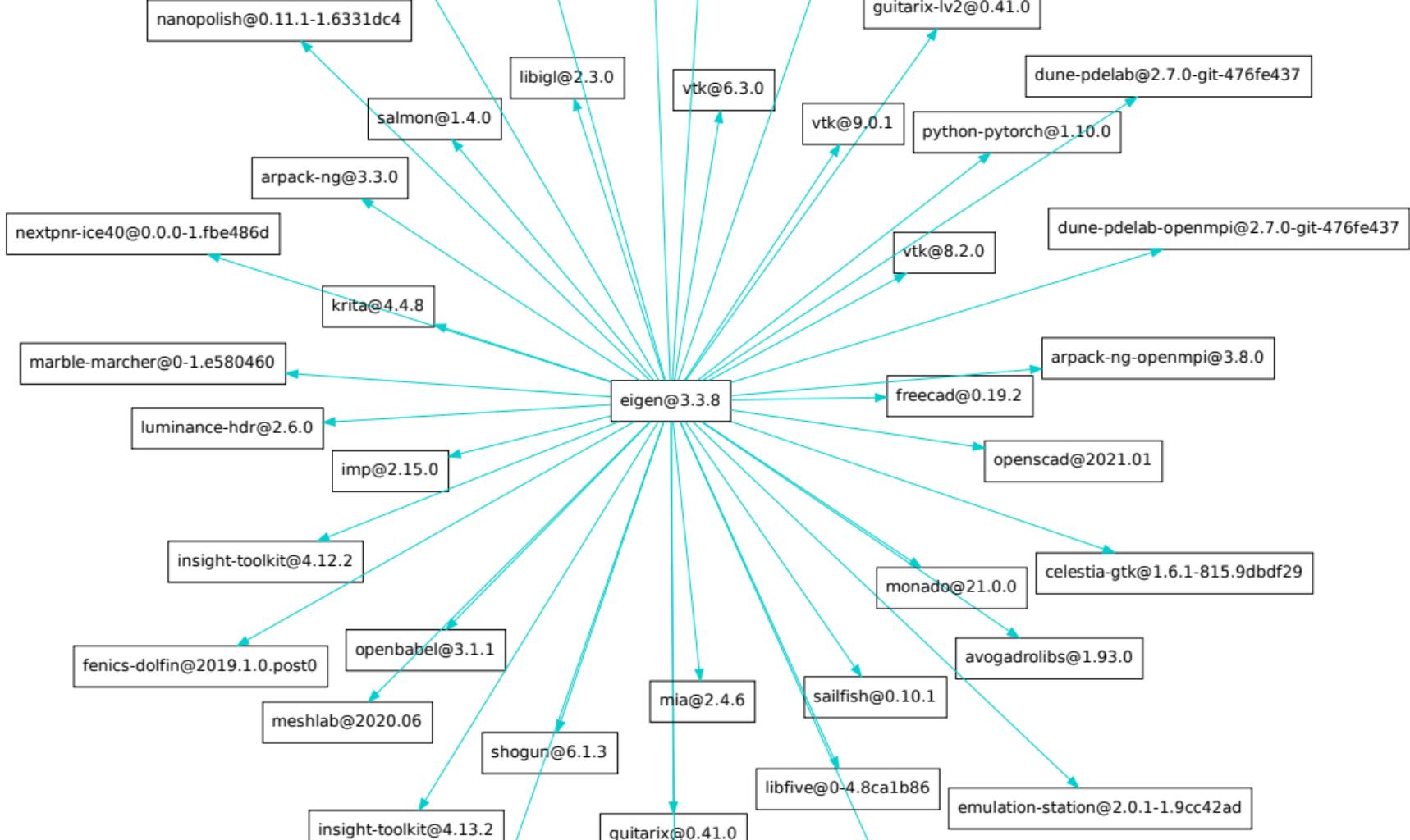
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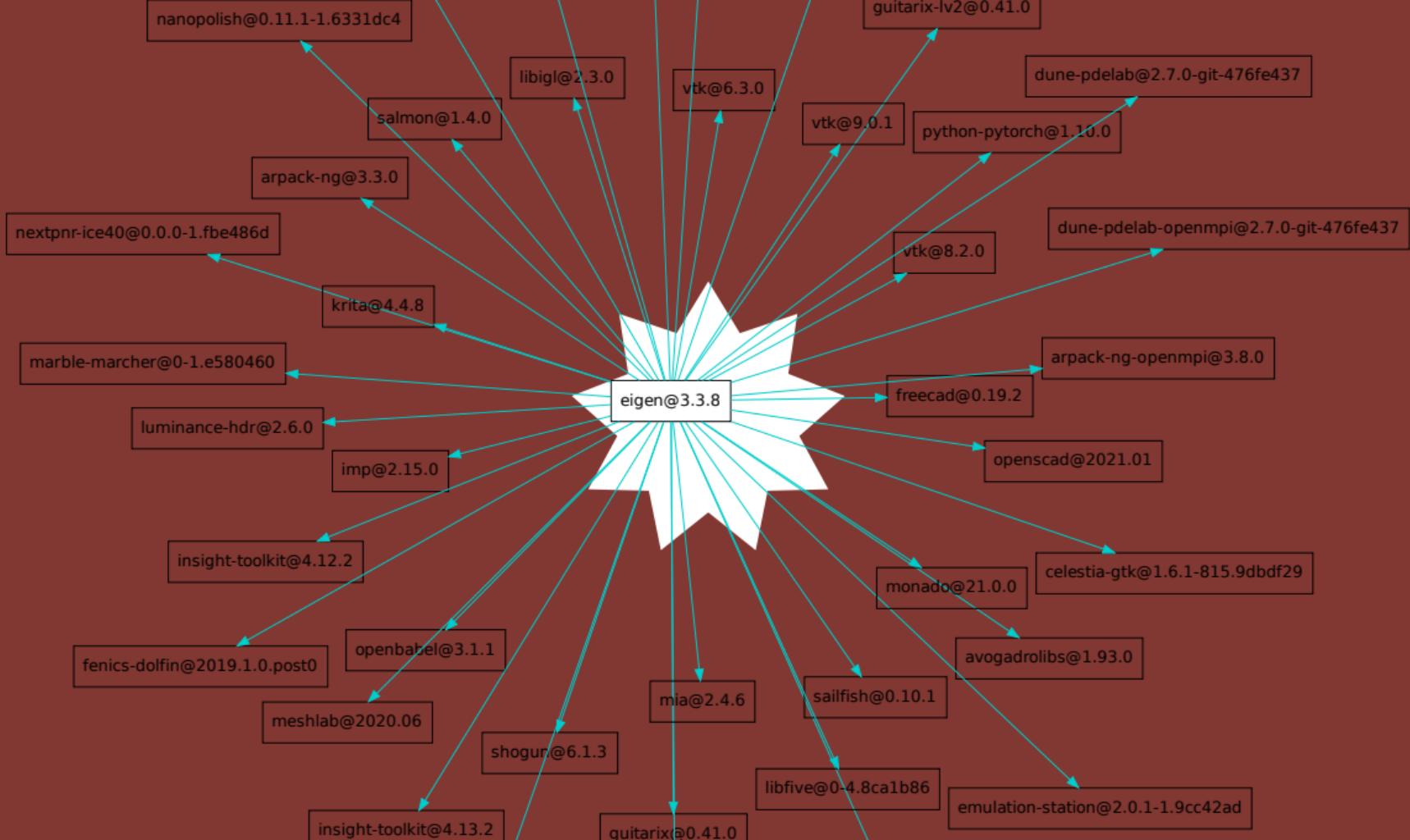
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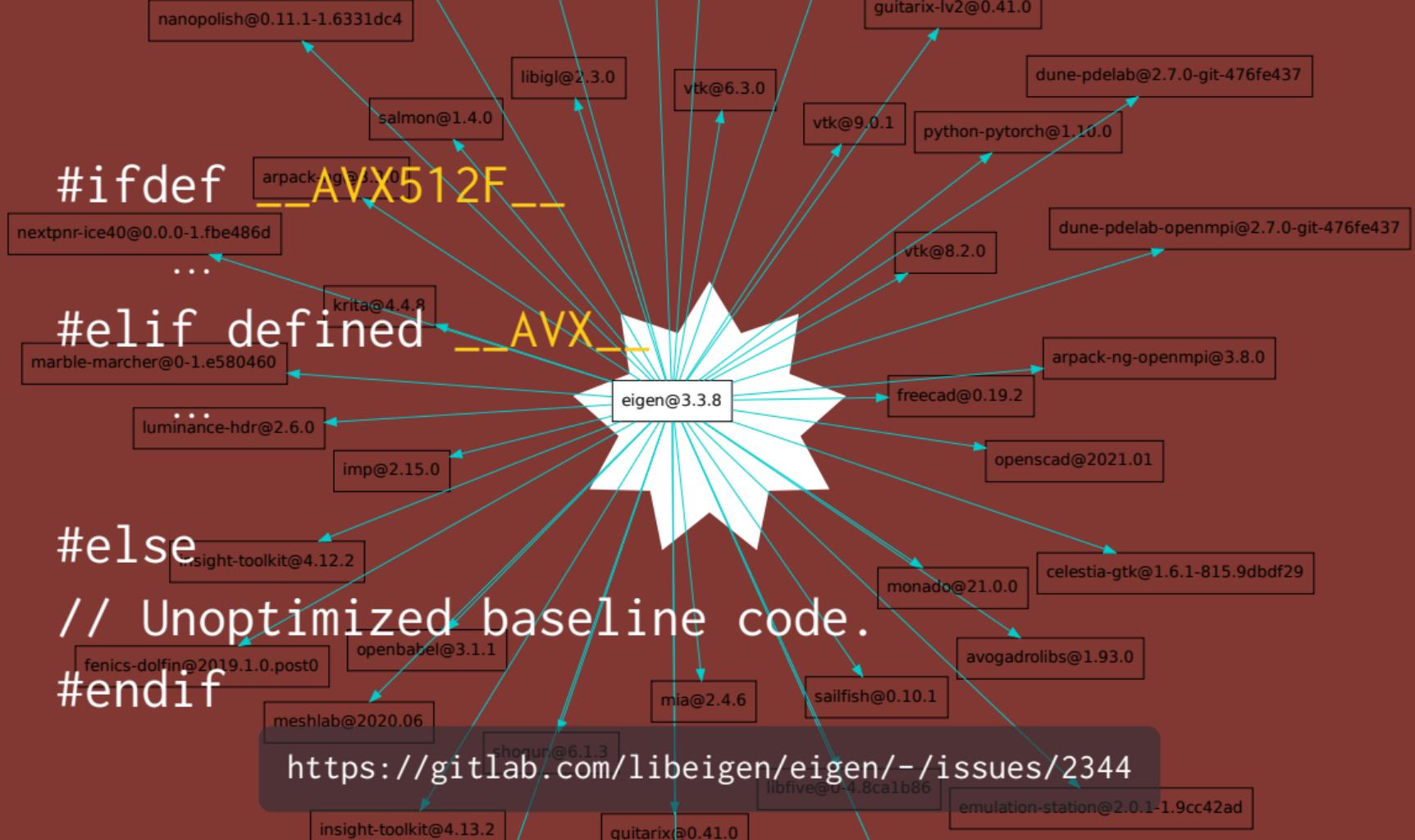
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<https://hpc.guix.info/blog/2018/01/pre-built-binaries-vs-performance/>









Package multi-versioning!

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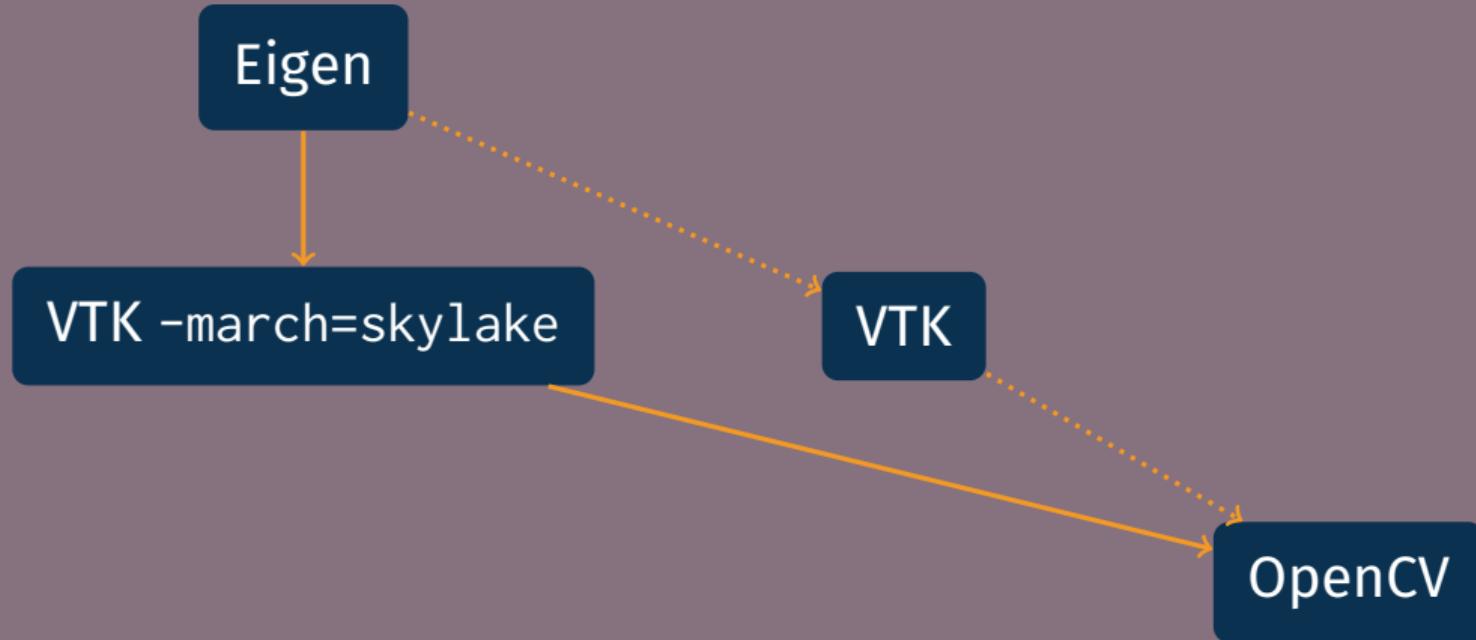


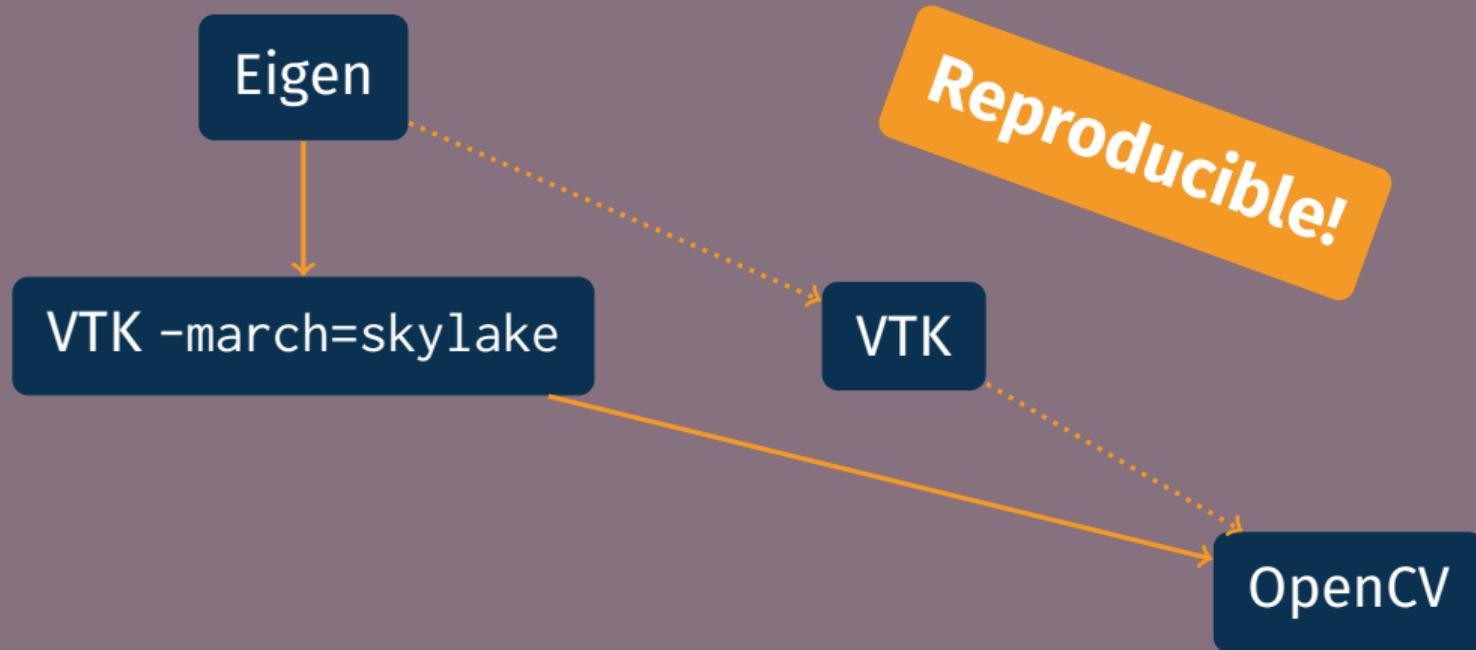
Eigen

VTK

OpenCV







MPI, OPA, UCX, SSE, AVX, NEON...

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Portabilité, performance
et reproductibilité.



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