Brave new Multimedia World
The Team

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- actually merge of two teams
The multimedia world

- New Media
  - Digital TV
  - Smartphones, iPad, etc

- New codecs
  - h264 / AVC
  - WebM / VP8
  - DRM
Are stable users happy with this?

- Extremely fast evolving technology
- We hardly catch up with updated packages in unstable
  
  stable users basically lose

- Backports to the rescue?
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The Linux Audio Stack: Squeeze + 1

CONSUMER
PULSE
PRO
JACKD
ALSA
FFADO
HW
Possible solutions?

· Add-on repositories?
  · Debian Backports?
  · Debian Volatile?
  · New archive?

· Doing transitions post release?

· QA / Bugreporting, etc.
Support for Firewire audio cards
JACK transition

JACKD1

JACKD2
Hydrogen Drum Sampler
calf, invada-studio, lv2fil...
LV2 enabled DAWs: Ardour and Qtractor