## Debian Teams exchange

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- Originally packages were literally owned by their maintainer
- At DebConf3 Teams were suggested, since DebConf5 Uploaders
- Both quickly adopted in Debian Med and other Blends
- At DebConf8 I realised: Hard to specify who is in the team
- Solved for DebConf11 with GSoC Teammetrics

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## Content driven teams - frequently Blends

- Infrastructure teams (installer, dpkg, apt)
- Language teams

Types of teams

# Composition of teams

- Well staffed, more than one member can handle issues
- Multiple members but reaching limits
- Growing teams
- Shrinking teams
- (Basically) one member team
- Single maintainers

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## Culture in teams

- Every member can and should upload every team package
- Few members care for everything, others only for specific packages
- Uploader cares for specific packages, others will contribute randomly
- Team wide automatic packaging upgrades in Git (Janitor)

## Actively inviting and teaching

- Mentoring of the Month (teaching upstream and users)
- Sprints in common with upstream and users
- Participating in GSoC + Outreachy
- Sponsoring of Blends

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