Anuket Weekly Technical Discussions - 2023.10.25

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Participants

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Antitrust policies

- Linux Foundation Anti-Trust Policy
- GSMA Anti-Trust Policy Notice
- Recorded Policies:
 - https://zoom.us/rec/play/uMAuluyoqG43EtWS4QSDAf4oW9XsKP2s1CQW-fYNzxu3VSIGN1L3Z7YSNOX-H7MYUyogBulNABoVavXq? autoplay=true&startTime=1589371628000

Anuket Specifications in RTD and repo split

Anuket aims to produce GSMA documents per stream also rendered by Readthedocs (RTD).

- all stream documentations should be standalone and published both in HTML to RTD and in DOCX/PDF for GSMA
- ideally the main doc is just an umbrella listing the document per stream (note: it also contains specific documentation per stream) only needed for RTD and has no meaning in GSMA
- all RST could be on the same git tree as every RTD project settings redefined setup.py and conf.py which were in their specific dirs but RTD dropped this capabilities
- · we now have to use the .readthedocs.yaml which must be unique and under root

Splitting the git tree is the only solution which doesn't diverge to our RTD+GSMA targets

- · only managing local builds via tox wouldn't help having the documentation on RTD
- having a single documentation project would diverge from our GSMA target and would ask for many many manual editing of the GSMA documents. it would be such a regression compared for GSMA NG133

Pros/Cons splitting the git repo as it was discussed mostly from the beginning

- Pros: it has been done in minutes by Cedric Ollivier by keeping the full history of the projects
- Pros: it fixes our current doc issues! and without any change in our documentation
- · Pros: it will help fine tuning the git rights according to the contributions per stream (and not falsy globally as today)
- Cons: it will ask to publish the right change in the right repo and to create several PRs for overall changes (theme, tox version, etc.) Nothing compared to Anuket renaming, to the wiki and Jenkins issues after DNS changes and software updates

Here are some useful links which would have led the discussions:

- https://lists.anuket.io/g/anuket-tsc/message/1908
- https://readthedocs.org/dashboard/cntt-ra1
- https://github.com/collivier/cntt-ra1/tree/master

Conclusions

 We are good to split the repos if we can create a governance to keep the documentation look and feel consistent and share the burden of managing the repos

Anuket CI/CD

A few reminders:

- All Software projects represented at TSC clearly stated in favor of Gerrit+Jenkins 1 year ago
- · Jenkins has been down for several months multiple times a year
- · The community was unable to help because of missing Jenkins rights or credentials on the host
- Functest and Xtesting are in production. This project cannot wait CI/CD for many months
- Before Jenkins breakdown, Anuket Jobs were fully rewritten to improve the portability
- Cedric Ollivier as Anuket Gerrit stream rights as Releng committer and because of his contributions (byw +ODL Gerrit stream rights too)
- All Job history, crucial for GSMA NG.133, was lost when switching from build opnfv.org to jenkins.anuket.io HUGE impact to GSMA

A few technical details:

- Multiple Jenkins can vote on the same Gerrit patchset (see Zuul in OpenStack)
- Many Jobs can even duplicated such as Xtesting integration jobs which doesn't ask for a specific SUT or a single source (ex: docker image builds)
- OPNFV has been build in a community lab spirit in which Jenkins runners or even Jenkins can be distributed in the community
- Functest has his own servers to verify it and they have been used for all the OPNFV projects since LFN servers were down
 CI/CD works now thanks to the new Jenkins and its runner maintained by Orange

Next:

- a deep analysis to which jobs should be where or even duplicated to have a safe CI/CD not only depending on unmaintained services or builders
- keep cleaning the obsolete Jenkins jobs
- remove github actions which were not asked by the software projects

Notes

- Orange Jenkins server

 o 2500 functest jobs

 - o barometer
 - o NFV bench
 - CNTT documentation (anuket-specs)
 - o opnfvdocs
 - Vineperf
- LFN Jenkins server
 - O No jobs running there
 - Cedric Ollivier can not manipulate the server, it seems to be not working
 - The plan is to use this to build redundancy of the jobs
- Workers
 - o LaaS and a datacenter in Portland connected to the Orange Jenkins

AoB

• None