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Release engineering
for dummies with
GNOME



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Release Engineering ?

Project Organization

Modules & Maintainers

Release Sets

External Dependencies

Teams

Release Team

Communication

Releasing ("Module" Scope)

Development Period

Bugs, Tests, Bugs, Bests...

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make distcheck
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FTP & Announce

Releasing ("Project" Scope)

Throwing rocks at maintainers

Defining which version of
each module to use

Compilation Check

Smoketesting

Populating the FTP tree

Official Announce

Development Cycle

Time-Based vs Feature-Based

Roadmap

Six Months Schedule

New Module Proposals

Freezes

Nagging

