



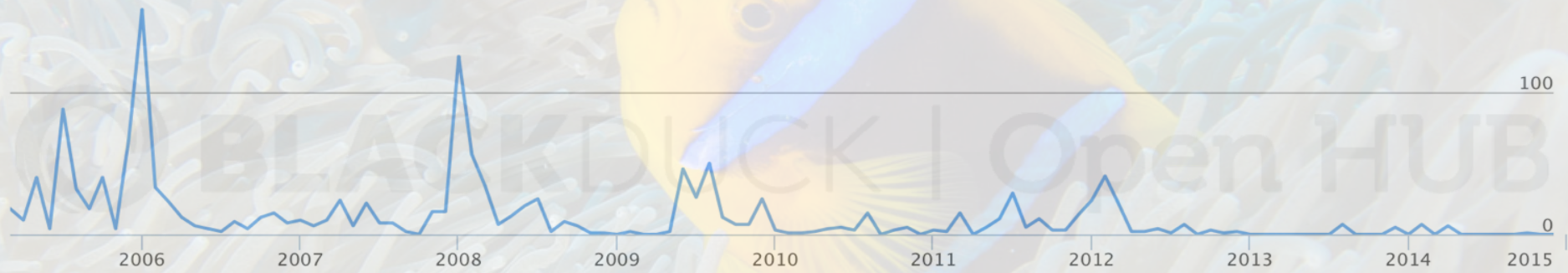
Sustaining Momentum or the Gap Between User Requests and Developer Capacity

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Momentum?

Commits per Month

Zoom 1yr 3yr 5yr All



Lifecycle

Start
Rapid activity
Marginally useful
Release
Works for me



Developers and Users

Developers == Users

Balance: $|D| \approx |U|$

Success: $|D| \ll |U|$

Projects and Products

Works for me
80/20
Documentation
Support
Infrastructure
Releases
Marketing

Style and Diversity

Priorities – saying NO
Generational change
Inclusiveness
Initiatives to add developers
Bug bounty
Pay for feature
GSoC

Questions

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