

Anton's rant

Why shiny new
languages don't fix your
problems

Talk about you

Talk about me

Talk about us

New language syndrome

- NodeJS
- Go
- Elixir
- <placeholder here>

What's common in

- new manager is an idiot
- new relationship has the same issues as your previous one
- moving city/country does not make you happy

You

some things are harder to change

Community

developers society

$$\text{Community} = 1.\text{person} * \text{group_size}$$

Consumer

vs

Producer

who are you?

Let's talk gems

Find gem

- ruby-toolbox.com
- awesome-ruby.com
- stackoverflow.com
- google.com

- github.com search
- user groups question

File upload

- CarrierWave - Classier solution for file uploads for Rails, Sinatra and other Ruby web frameworks.
- DragonFly - A Ruby gem for on-the-fly processing - suitable for image uploading in Rails, Sinatra and much more!.
- PaperClip - Easy file attachment management for ActiveRecord.
- rack-secure-upload - Upload files securely.
- Refile - A modern file upload library for Ruby applications, Refile is an attempt by CarrierWave's original author to fix the design mistakes and overengineering in CarrierWave.

Which is the best one?

- most popular
- most used
- most number of github stars
- most recent commit
- most contributors
- oldest
- least number of issues
- used by friends
- most mentioned in blogs

Leadership

best practices and guidance

do we recognise our teachers?

Conventions

don't reinvent the wheel

why do you think Rails became so famous?

Be a product person

not a technology geek

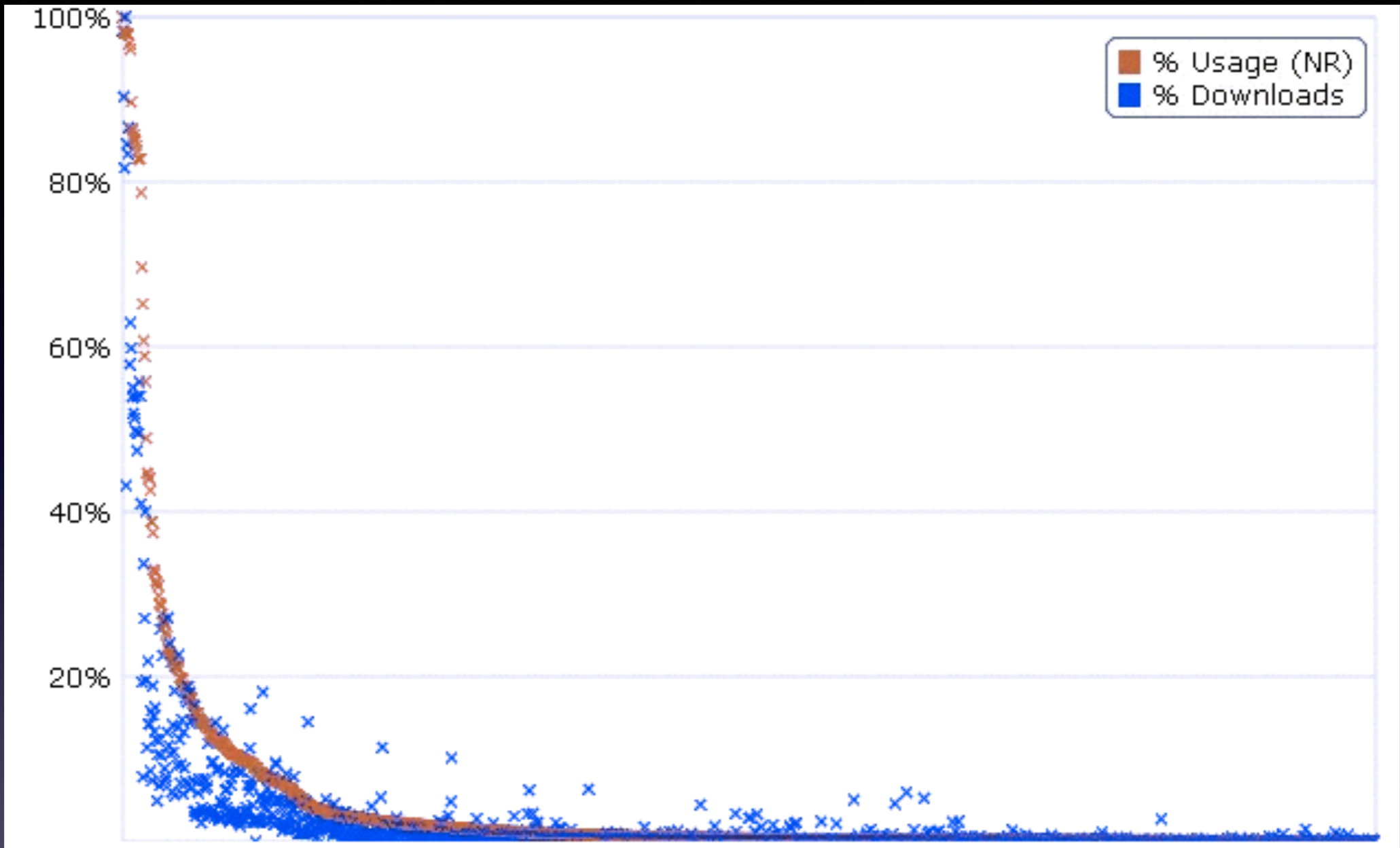
Tim Oxley's talk

New addition

Ownership

CodeTriage

<http://www.codetriage.com/>



gem usage

My project

- 168 direct dependant gems
- 358 total gems

Responsibility principle

each person responsible for 1 gem

Putting all together

- Community is a group of people
- Learn / teach others
- Don't reinvent the wheel
- Responsibility principle

What if Ruby/Rails fail?

Nobody would fail and everybody will

What have you done
for opensource?

What have you done
for Ruby?

Are you consumer or
producer?

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