

Infrastructure - Task #3763

Feature # 3762 (New): DataONE software download statistics

Visualize PyPI download statistics for Python components

2013-05-14 21:11 - Roger Dahl

<b>Status:</b>	New	<b>Start date:</b>	2013-05-14
<b>Priority:</b>	Low	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Roger Dahl	<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	d1_dashboard	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	Maintenance Backlog	<b>Story Points:</b>	
<b>Milestone:</b>	None		
<b>Product Version:</b>			
<b>Description</b>			
Create a tool that gets download statistics for DataONE software distributed on PyPI and generates graphs that show how number of downloads change over time.			

History

#1 - 2013-08-02 16:49 - Roger Dahl  
- Status changed from New to In Progress

#2 - 2013-08-12 17:35 - Roger Dahl

PyPI is adding a statistics API that is not yet suitable for production. It includes mirroring activity done by bots, which may account for 99% of "downloads".

The old method of getting PyPI stats, which involves downloading and parsing the logs, also includes the mirroring bots and is equally wrong, unless filtering is applied.

<http://stackoverflow.com/questions/9648015/pypi-download-counts-seem-unrealistic>

We will hold off on this for a while and see if the API gets fixed.

#3 - 2014-01-17 16:45 - Roger Dahl  
- Status changed from In Progress to New  
- Priority changed from Normal to Low

#4 - 2014-10-01 21:32 - Dave Vieglaiss  
- Target version set to Maintenance Backlog