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What the Nix?!

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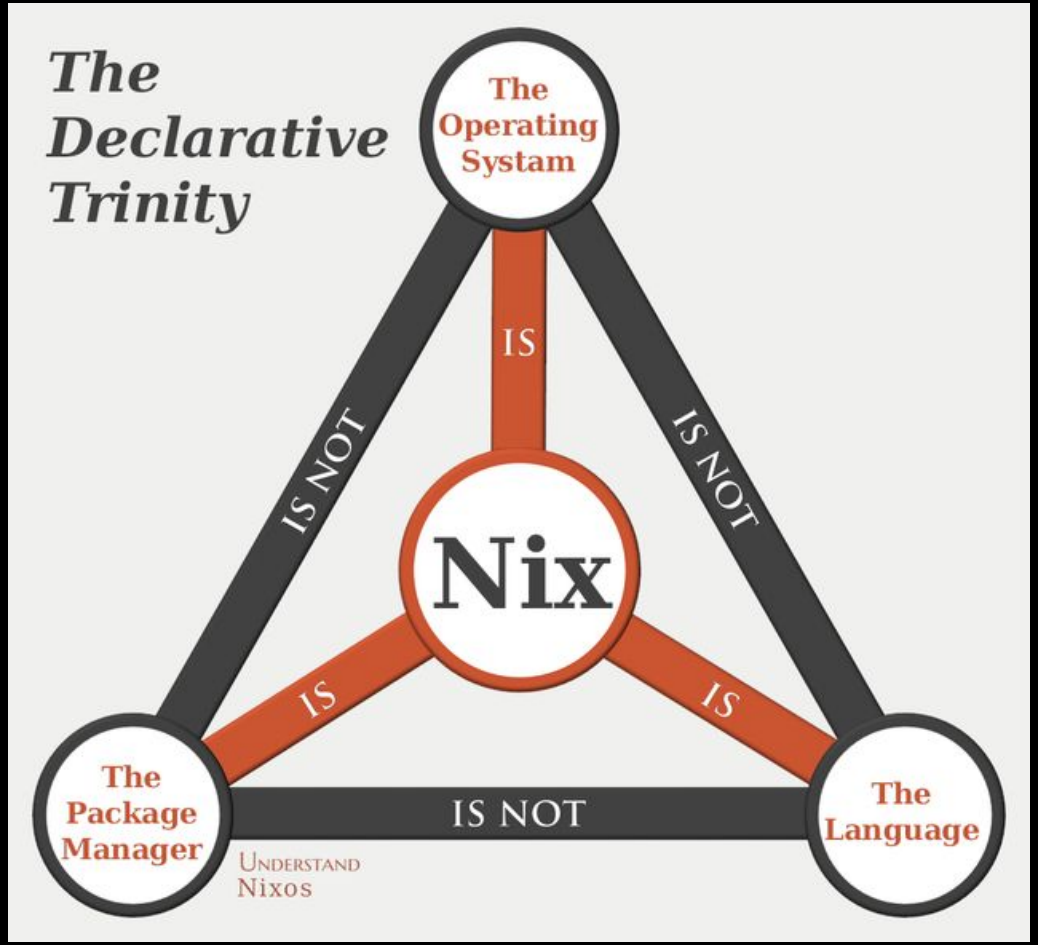
What is Nix?!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The Package Manager

```
$ terraform --version
Command 'terraform' not found, but can be installed with:
sudo snap install terraform
$ nix-shell -p terraform
…
[nix-shell:~]$ terraform --version
Terraform v1.2.2
on linux_amd64
```

The Language

Or “JSON with functions”

```
{
  "names": [ "Bryan", "Tweag", "We" ] ,
  "whoLovesNix": [ "Bryan loves Nix!", "Tweag loves Nix!", "We loves Nix!" ]
}
```

```
{
  names = [ "Bryan" "Tweag" "We" ];
  loveNix = a: "${a} loves Nix!";
  whoLovesNix = builtins.map loveNix names;
}
```

The Operating System

```
{ config, pkgs, ... }:

{
  services.httpd.enable = true;
  services.httpd.adminAddr = "bryan.honof@tweag.io";
  services.httpd.virtualHosts.localhost.documentRoot = "/memes";
}
```

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nixos-rebuild --rollback switch


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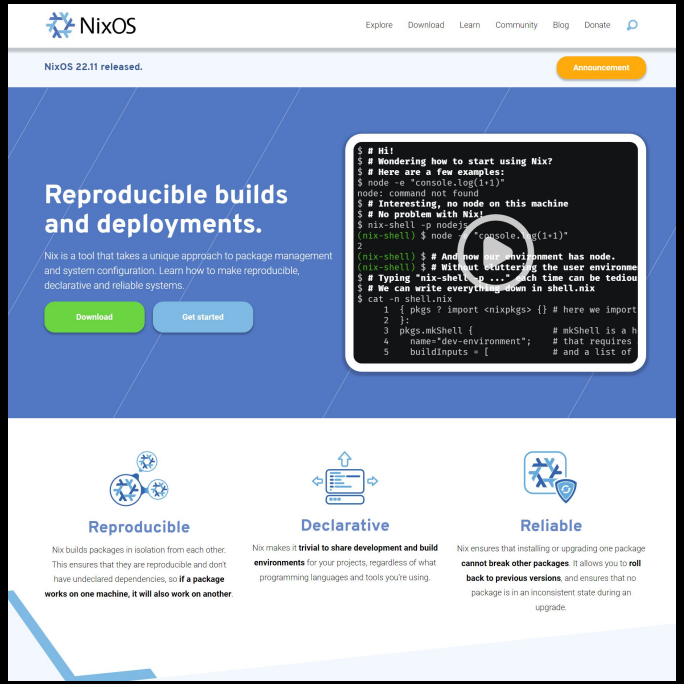
How do we Nix?!

curl -L https://nixos.org/nix/install | sh -s -- --daemon



Yes, I know… Don't pipe directly into bash.

```
{ pkgs ? import <nixpkgs> {} }:

pkgs.mkShell {
  packages = [
    pkgs.terraform
    pkgs.skopeo
    pkgs.kubectl
  ];
}
```

```
$ nix-shell
these paths will be fetched (0.07 MiB download, 0.20 MiB unpacked):
  /nix/store/…-skopeo-1.8.0
  /nix/store/…-terraform-1.2.2
  …
copying path '/nix/store/…-skopeo-1.8.0' from 'https://cache.nixos.org'...
…

[nix-shell:~]$
```

https://nixos.org/learn.html
https://nix.dev/

What?! You want more?