PLANUTILS: Bringing Planning to the Masses

A general library for developing, running, and evaluating planners, planning libraries, and tools.

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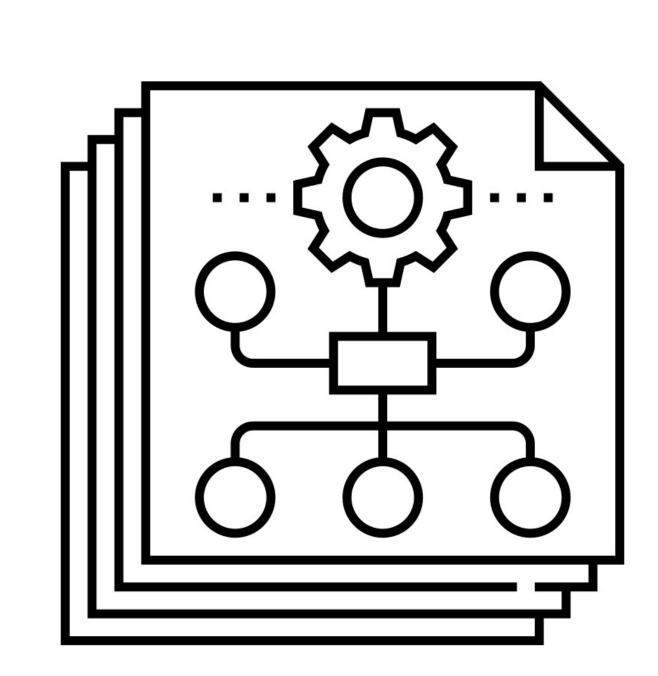
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PLANUTILS is a general library for setting up Linux-based environments for developing, running, and evaluating planners. Over the last decades, the planning community has produced countless solvers for various planning formalisms, as well as many other tools to help the planning practitioner. From state-of-the-art planners, over validators, to parsing libraries, the planning ecosystem has grown quite large. In the demo, we highlight an effort that aims to unify this ecosystem and make it seamless for users to get started with what the ICAPS community has to offer.



Getting Started

```
$ pip install planutils
$ planutils setup
$ planutils activate
  Entering planutils environment...
(planutils) $ lama d.pddl p.pddl
Package not installed!
  Download & install? [Y/n] Y
lama will be installed.
About to install the following
 packages: downward (36M), lama (20K)
 Proceed? [Y/n] Y
Installing downward...
        Downloading shub image
 45.84 MiB / 45.84 MiB
  [========] 100.00% 7.30 MiB/s 6s
Finished installing downward (size: 46M)
Installing lama...
Finished installing lama (size: 20K)
Successfully installed lama!
Original command: lama d.pddl p.pddl
  Re-run command? [Y/n] Y
         Running translator.
INFO
. . .
```

Docker

```
$ docker pull aiplanning/planutils
$ docker run -it --privileged \
    aiplanning/planutils
$ planutils --help
```

Remote Mirror

```
$ planutils remote lama d.pddl p.pddl
```

Local Server

```
$ planutils server
```

Easy Configuration

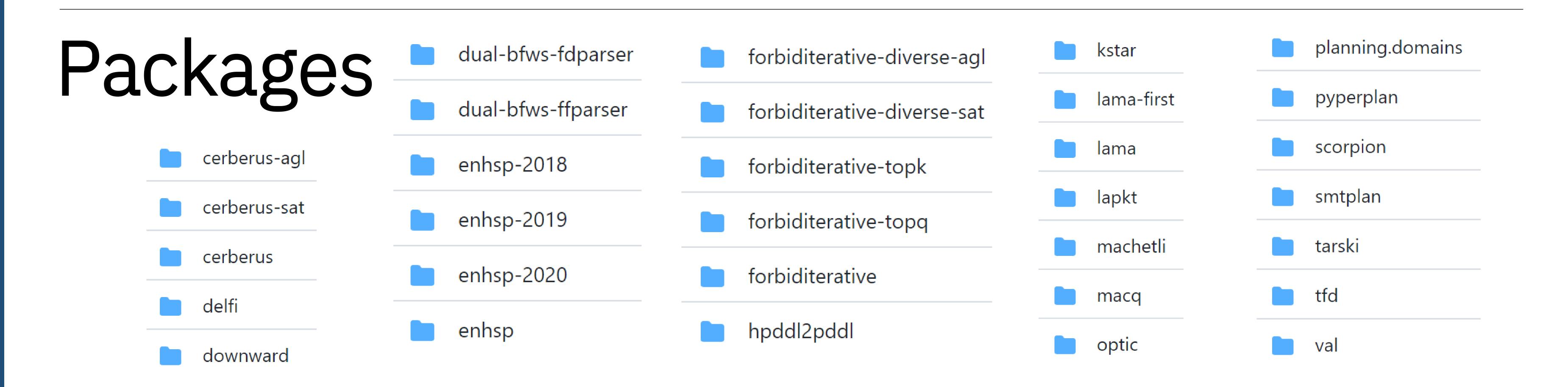
```
{"name": "LAMA",
   "description": "fast-downward.org",
   "install-size": "20K",
   "dependencies": ["downward"]}

#!/bin/bash
```

planutils run downward -- \

--alias lama \$@

```
#!/bin/bash
singularity pull --name \
downward.sif shub://aibasel/downward
```





- More packages! The process is extremely straightforward. Feel free to add your own!
- Improved Server Coupling: Currently works, but could be more seamless

Improve Singularity: Ease the use of packages requiring singularity and add more that don't require it

More Environments: Dedicated environments for developers, educators, evaluations, etc...