

# Xiph.org : Activity



- Project aim:
  - free multimedia tech (mostly codecs)
  - copyright and **patents**
- Features:
  - Foundations of free digital content distribution
  - vorbis, speex, flac, theora codecs
  - ogg container, icecast streaming server



# Xiph.org : Challenges



- Adoption of free formats
- good tool integration
- Fix the balkanization of online media!
- education and outreach
- bodies!



# Xiph.org : Dependencies



- Libraries in use:
  - Try not to depend on anything ourselves
- Inverse dependency:
  - we need integration and adoption to be useful
  - content creation drives adoption



# Xiph.org : Next Steps



- we are an umbrella
- work with other groups
- get things *Free* and **Rocking**

