



Extending Functionality Through the Rocks Command Line



It's Python Time!





Motivation

- ◆ Lack of consistency in Rocks commands
 - ⇒ add-extra-nic (15 flags)
 - ⇒ 411put
 - ⇒ rocks-dist
 - ⇒ dbreport (~ a dozen reports)
- ◆ Extensible to other groups
 - ⇒ How do I add a flag to an existing command?
 - ⇒ How do I add a new command?
 - ⇒ How do I document my command?



Motivation

```
Usage: add-extra-nic [-hvv] [-p password] [-u host] [-d database] [--help]
  [--list-rcfiles] [--list-project-info] [--verbose] [--dump] [--del] [--list]
  [--verbose] [--no-update] [--no-modify] [--dryrun] [--rcfile arg] [--host host]
  [--password password] [--db database] [--user host]
  [--if interface (default: eth1)] [--mac mac address]
  [--module linux driver module name] [--ip ip address]
  [--netmask netmask (default /24)] [--gateway ip address of gateway]
  [--name hostname on new interface] [--site client ip] node
```

```
Usage: rocks-dist [-hvcpv] [-p password] [-u host] [-d database] [-a arch]
  [-d dirname] [-g path] [-l lang] [-r release] [--help] [--list-rcfiles]
  [--list-project-info] [--verbose] [--copy] [--debug] [--graph-draw-invis-edges]
  [--graph-draw-order] [--graph-draw-edges] [--graph-draw-key] [--graph-draw-all]
  [--graph-draw-landscape] [--install] [--verbose] [--with-rolls-only] [--clean]
  [--notorrent] [--rcfile arg] [--host host] [--password password]
  [--db database] [--user host] [--arch architecture] [--comps path]
  [--dist dirname] [--graph-draw-size arg] [--graph-draw-format arg]
  [--mirror-dir dirname] [--mirror-host hostname] [--root dirname]
  [--cdrom /mnt/cdrom] [--with-roll rollname-rollversion]
  [--path single path item] command
```

Available commands:

dist dvd makecontrib makesitenodes copycd usb copyroll cdrom paths graph dist2mirror



Goals

- ◆ Consistent
 - Interface
 - Argument parsing
 - Usage / Help
- ◆ Extensible
 - Easy to add commands (3rd party rolls)
 - Easy to modify commands
- ◆ Easy to guess the right command
- ◆ Purge all -flags from Rocks (see previous slide)
- ◆ Inspired by Trac

Verb Based

- ◆ “add”, “set”, “enable”, ...
 - ⇒ Modify the cluster database
- ◆ “list”, “dump”, “report”
 - ⇒ Inspect the cluster database
- ◆ About 20 verbs in the command line so far
- ◆ You can even add your own





Grammar

- ◆ rocks <verb> <object...> <subject> <params...>
 - ⇒ Object is general to specific
 - “host” “interface”
 - “network” “subnet”
 - “viz” “layout”
 - ⇒ Subject is typed
 - host
 - appliance
 - Network

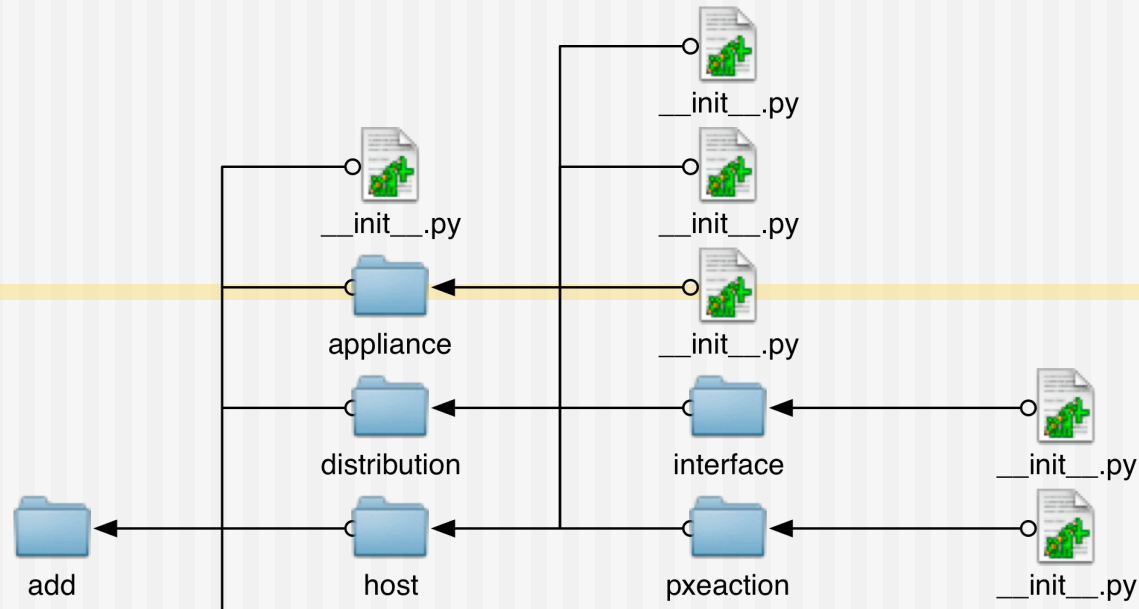
◆ Example:

```
# rocks list host interface tile-0-0
SUBNET  IFACE  MAC                IP                NETMASK  GATEWAY  MODULE  NAME
private eth0   00:13:72:ba:be:42  10.255.255.254   255.0.0.0  -----  tg3     tile-0-0
----- eth1   00:0a:5e:1a:6d:64  -----         -----  -----  skge    -----
```

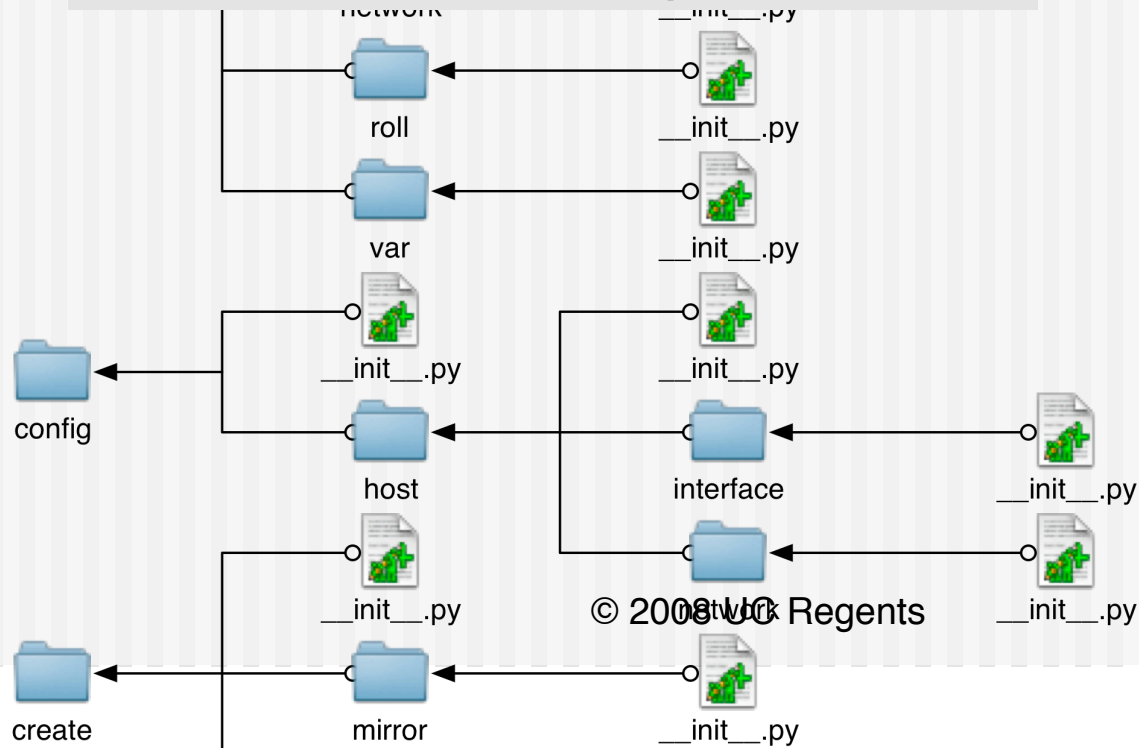


Implementation

- ◆ Python
 - ⇒ Similar to existing dbreport code
 - ⇒ Very small modules
- ◆ Command line is identical to the directory hierarchy
 - ⇒ Verbs are directories
 - ⇒ Objects are directories
 - ⇒ Subjects are `__init__.py` files
- ◆ Commands are added by adding directories



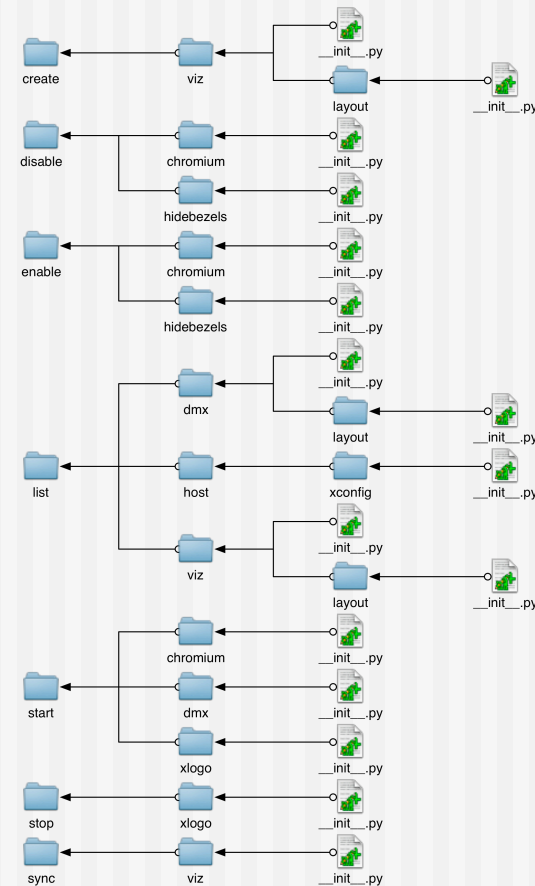
rocks add host pxeaction





Rolls Can Add Commands

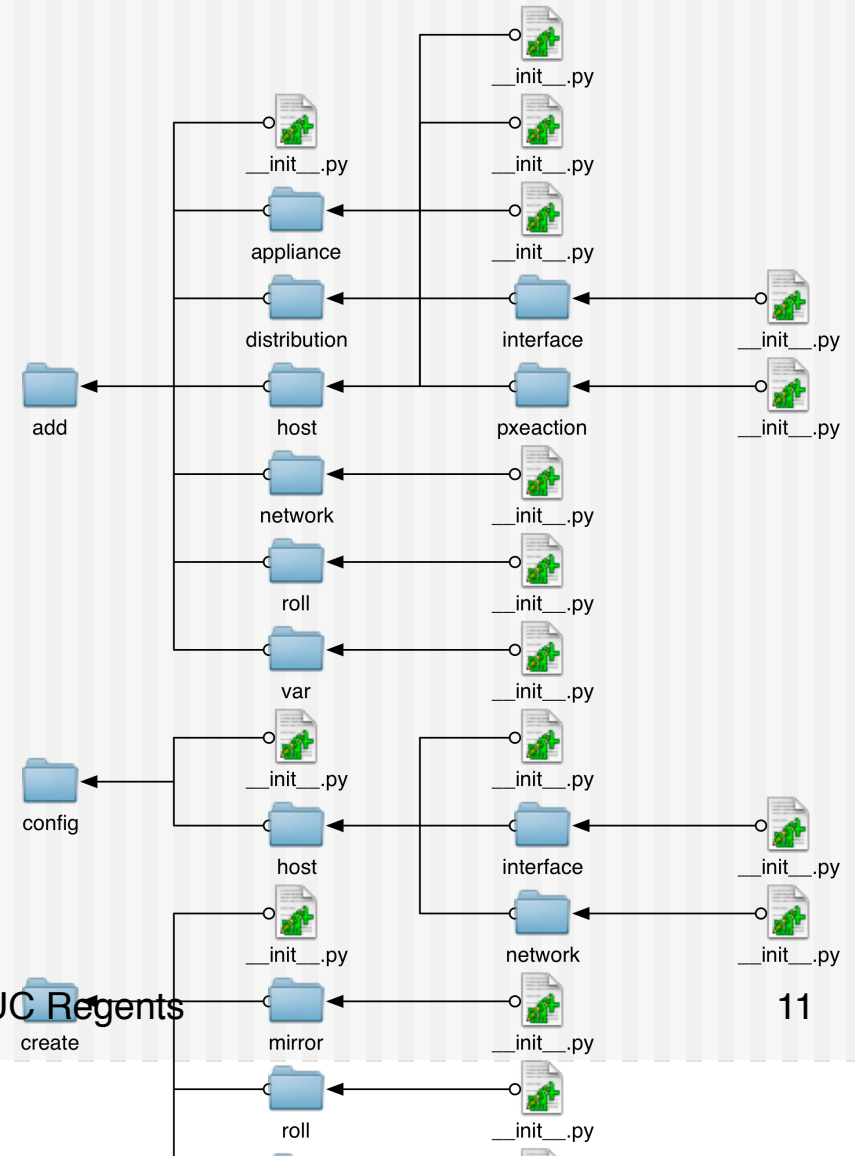
- ◆ Similar to the configuration graph
- ◆ Rolls can add command line
 - ➔ Files : commands
 - ➔ Directories : verbs and objects
- ◆ Think hard before adding another verb





add

- ◆ Creates new entries in the cluster database
- ◆ Examples:
 - ➔ Hosts
 - ➔ Appliances
 - ➔ Rolls





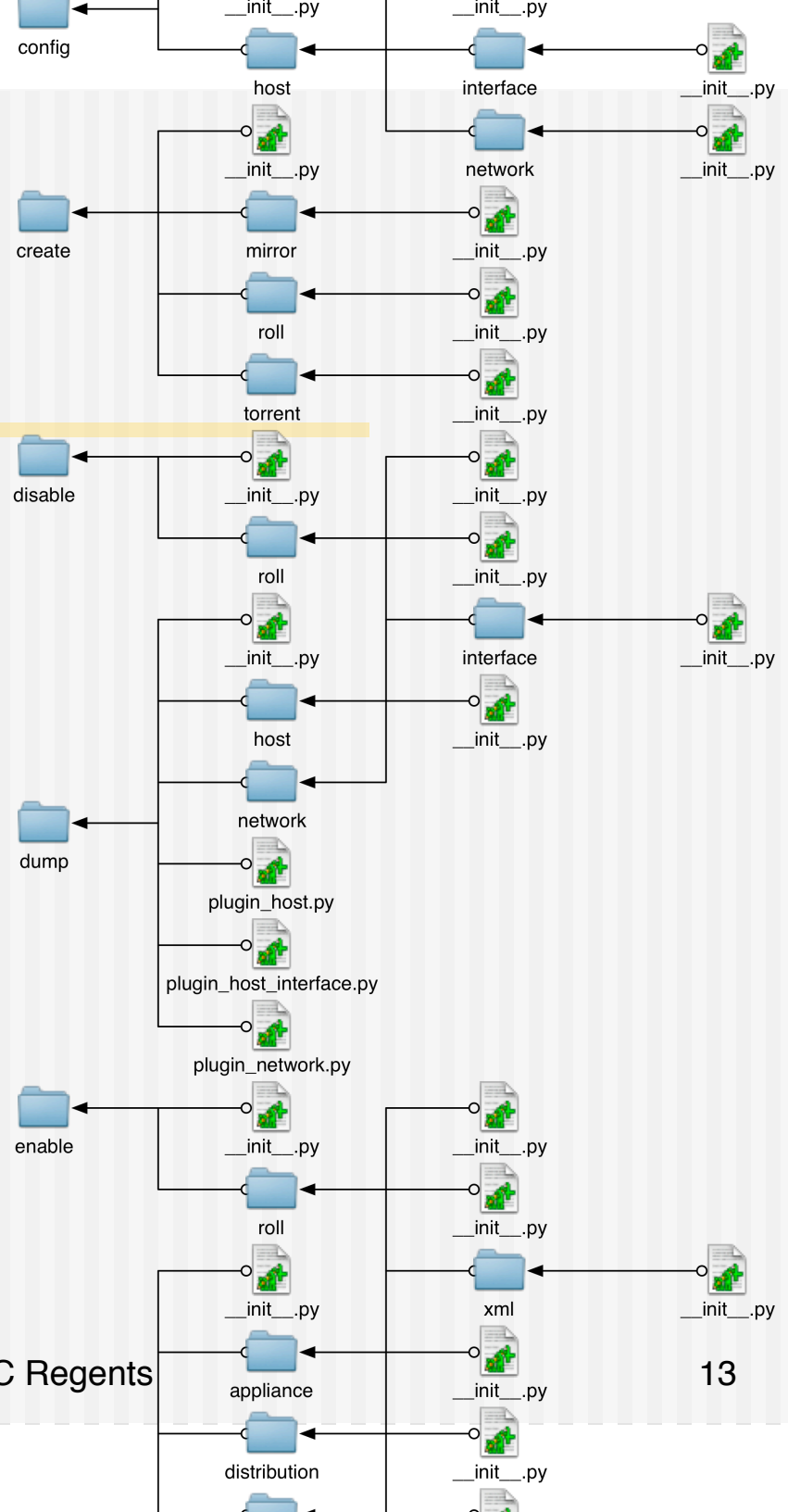
rocks add distribution

```
1: import rocks.commands
2:
3: class Command(rocks.commands.DistributionArgumentProcessor,
4:               rocks.commands.add.command):
5:     """
6:     Add a distribution specification to the database.
7:
8:     <arg type='string' name='distribution'>
9:     Name of the new distribution.
10:    </arg>
11:
12:    <example cmd='add distribution rocks-dist'>
13:    Adds the distribution named "rocks-dist" into the database.
14:    </example>
15:    """
16:
17:    def run(self, params, args):
18:
19:        if len(args) != 1:
20:            self.abort('must supply one distribution')
21:        dist = args[0]
22:
23:        if dist in self.getDistributionNames():
24:            self.abort('distribution "%s" exists' % dist)
25:
26:        self.db.execute("""insert into distributions (name) values
27:                        ('%s')""" % dist)
28:
29:
```



dump

- ◆ Returns cluster database information in the form of rocks command lines
- ◆ Examples:
 - ➔ Hosts
 - ➔ Network
- ◆ Same as `-dump` flag on `insert-ethers`





rocks dump host

```
# rocks dump host
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host vizagra cpus=1 rack=0 rank=0 membership="Frontend"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-0-1 cpus=2 rack=0 rank=1 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-0-0 cpus=2 rack=0 rank=0 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-0-2 cpus=2 rack=0 rank=2 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-0-3 cpus=2 rack=0 rank=3 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-1-3 cpus=2 rack=1 rank=3 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-1-2 cpus=2 rack=1 rank=2 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-1-1 cpus=2 rack=1 rank=1 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-1-0 cpus=2 rack=1 rank=0 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-2-0 cpus=2 rack=2 rank=0 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-2-1 cpus=2 rack=2 rank=1 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-2-2 cpus=2 rack=2 rank=2 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-2-3 cpus=2 rack=2 rank=3 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-3-0 cpus=2 rack=3 rank=0 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-3-1 cpus=2 rack=3 rank=1 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-3-2 cpus=2 rack=3 rank=2 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-3-3 cpus=2 rack=3 rank=3 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-4-0 cpus=2 rack=4 rank=0 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-4-1 cpus=2 rack=4 rank=1 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-4-2 cpus=2 rack=4 rank=2 membership="Tile"
/opt/rocks/bin/rocks add host tile-4-3 cpus=2 rack=4 rank=3 membership="Tile"
```



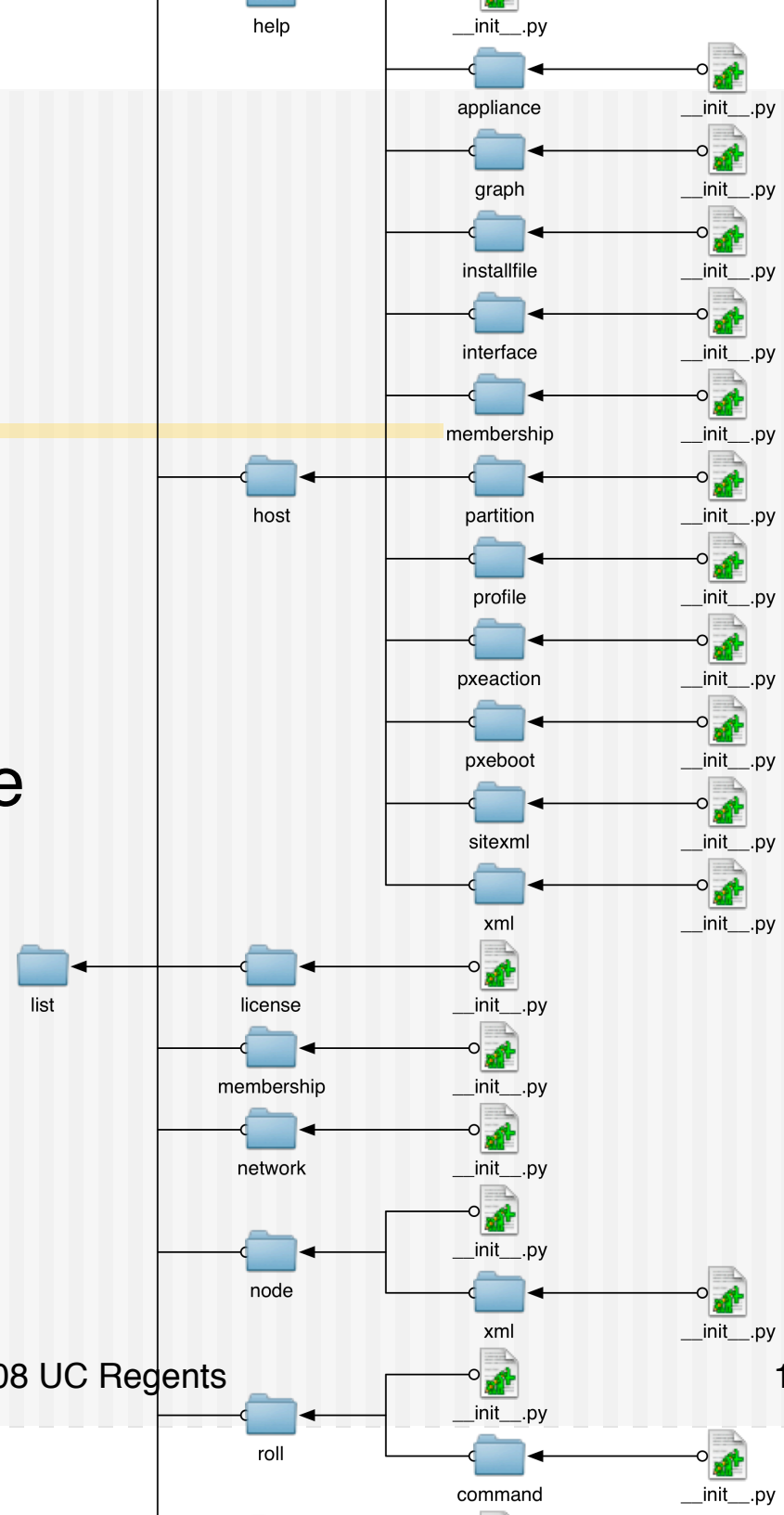
rocks dump host

```
1: import os
2: import sys
3: import string
4: import rocks.commands
5:
6: class command(rocks.commands.HostArgumentProcessor,
7:               rocks.commands.dump.command):
8:     pass
9:
10: class Command(command):
11:     """
12:     Dump the host information as rocks commands.
13:
14:     <arg optional='1' type='string' name='host' repeat='1'>
15:     Zero, one or more host names. If no host names are supplied,
16:     information for all hosts will be listed.
17:     </arg>
18:
19:     <example and='dump host compute-0-0'>
20:     Dump host compute-0-0 information.
21:     </example>
22:
23:     <example and='dump host compute-0-0 compute-0-1'>
24:     Dump host compute-0-0 and compute-0-1 information.
25:     </example>
26:
27:     <example and='dump host'>
28:     Dump all hosts.
29:     </example>
30:     """
31:
32:     def run(self, params, args):
33:         for host in self.getHostnames(args):
34:             self.db.execute("""select
35:                 n.cpus, n.rack, n.rank, m.name
36:                 from nodes n, memberships m where
37:                 n.membership=m.id and n.name='%s'""" % host)
38:             (cpus, rack, rank, membership) = self.db.fetchone()
39:             self.dump('add host %s cpus=%s rack=%s rank=%s '
40:                     'membership="%s"' %
41:                     (host, cpus, rack, rank, membership))
42:
43:
```



list

- ◆ Reports information in human readable format
- ◆ No side-effects on the database
- ◆ Examples:
 - ➔ Hosts
 - ➔ Appliances
 - ➔ Rolls





rocks list host

```
# rocks list host
HOST      MEMBERSHIP CPUS RACK RANK COMMENT
vizagra:  Frontend  1   0   0  -----
tile-0-1: Tile      2   0   1  -----
tile-0-0: Tile      2   0   0  -----
tile-0-2: Tile      2   0   2  -----
tile-0-3: Tile      2   0   3  -----
tile-1-3: Tile      2   1   3  -----
tile-1-2: Tile      2   1   2  -----
tile-1-1: Tile      2   1   1  -----
tile-1-0: Tile      2   1   0  -----
tile-2-0: Tile      2   2   0  -----
tile-2-1: Tile      2   2   1  -----
tile-2-2: Tile      2   2   2  -----
tile-2-3: Tile      2   2   3  -----
tile-3-0: Tile      2   3   0  -----
tile-3-1: Tile      2   3   1  -----
tile-3-2: Tile      2   3   2  -----
tile-3-3: Tile      2   3   3  -----
tile-4-0: Tile      2   4   0  -----
tile-4-1: Tile      2   4   1  -----
tile-4-2: Tile      2   4   2  -----
tile-4-3: Tile      2   4   3  -----
```



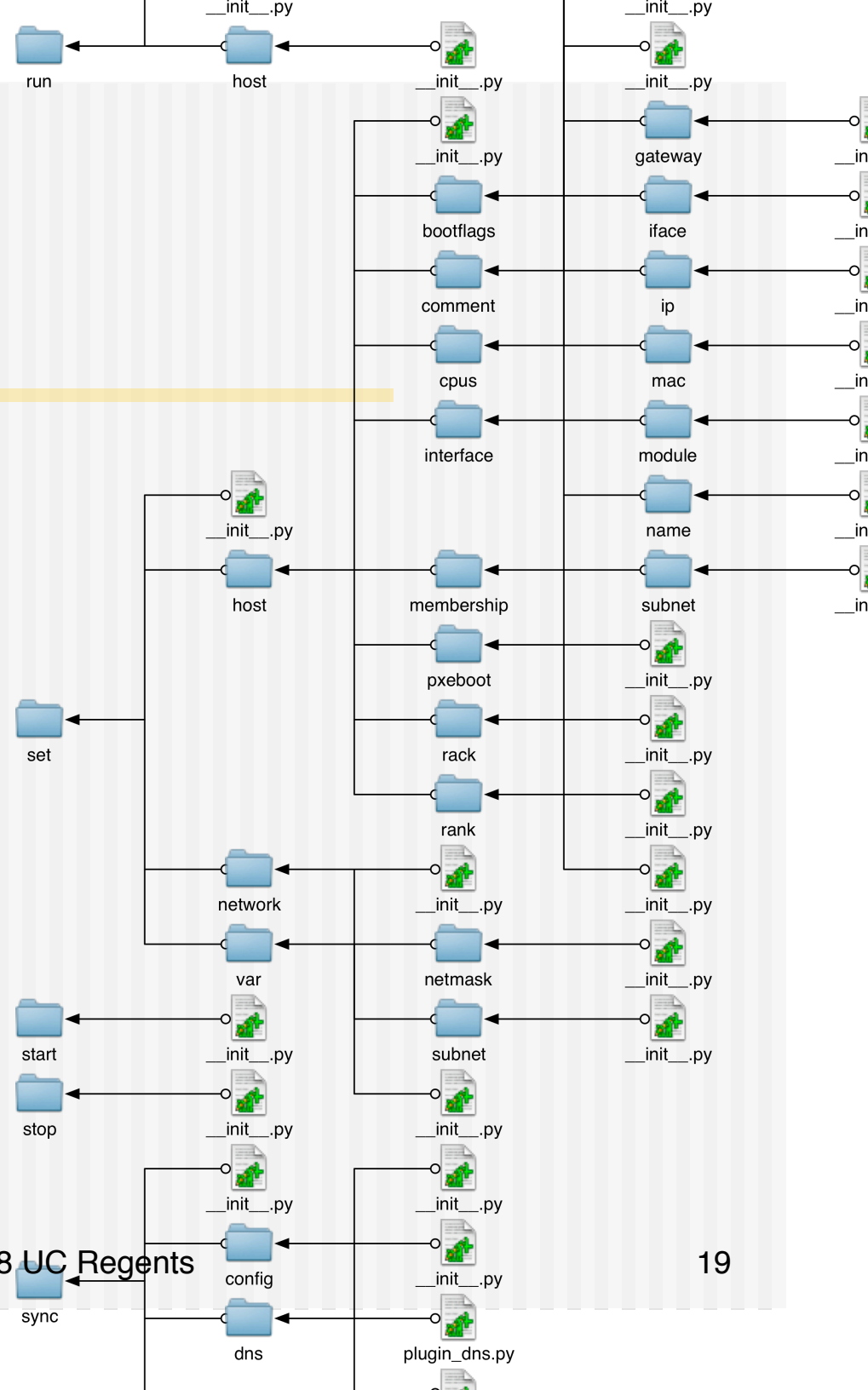
rocks list host

```
1: import rocks.commands
2:
3: class command(rocks.commands.HostArgumentProcessor,
4:               rocks.commands.list.command):
5:     pass
6:
7: class Command(command):
8:     """
9:     List the membership, CPU count, physical position info and comment for
10:    a list of hosts.
11:
12:    <arg optional='1' type='string' name='host' repeat='1'>
13:    Zero, one or more host names. If no host names are supplied, info about
14:    all the known hosts is listed.
15:    </arg>
16:
17:    <example cmd='list host compute-0-0'>
18:    List info for compute-0-0.
19:    </example>
20:
21:    <example cmd='list host'>
22:    List info for all known hosts.
23:    </example>
24:    """
25:
26:     def run(self, params, args):
27:         self.beginOutput()
28:
29:         for host in self.getHostnames(args):
30:             self.db.execute("""select m.name, n.cpus,
31:                             n.rack, n.rank, n.comment from
32:                             nodes n, memberships m where
33:                             n.membership=m.id and n.name='%s'""" % host)
34:             self.addOutput(host, self.db.fetchone())
35:
36:         self.endOutput(header=["host", 'membership',
37:                               'cpus', 'rack', 'rank', 'comment'])
38:
```



set

- ◆ Modifies entries in the cluster database
- ◆ Examples:
 - Network Interfaces
 - Appliance Assignment
 - Rack / Rank
- ◆ add-extra-nic
 - Rocks add host interface
 - Rocks set host interface





add-extra-nic is now ...

◆ Start

```
# rocks list host interface compute-1-1
SUBNET  IFACE  MAC                IP                NETMASK  GATEWAY  MODULE  NAME
private eth0   00:0e:0c:5d:7e:5e  10.255.255.251   255.0.0.0  -----  e1000   compute-1-1
----- eth1   00:30:1b:b2:ea:61  -----          -----  -----  tg3     -----
```

◆ Configure

```
# rocks set host interface ip compute-1-1 eth1 192.168.1.1
# rocks set host interface gateway compute-1-1 eth1 192.168.1.254
# rocks set host interface name compute-1-1 eth1 fast-1-1
# rocks set host interface subnet compute-1-1 eth1 public
```

◆ Verify

```
# rocks list host interface compute-1-1
SUBNET  IFACE  MAC                IP                NETMASK  GATEWAY  MODULE  NAME
private eth0   00:0e:0c:5d:7e:5e  10.255.255.251   255.0.0.0  -----  e1000   compute-1-1
public  eth1   00:30:1b:b2:ea:61  192.168.1.1     255.255.255.0  192.168.1.254  tg3     fast-1-1
```



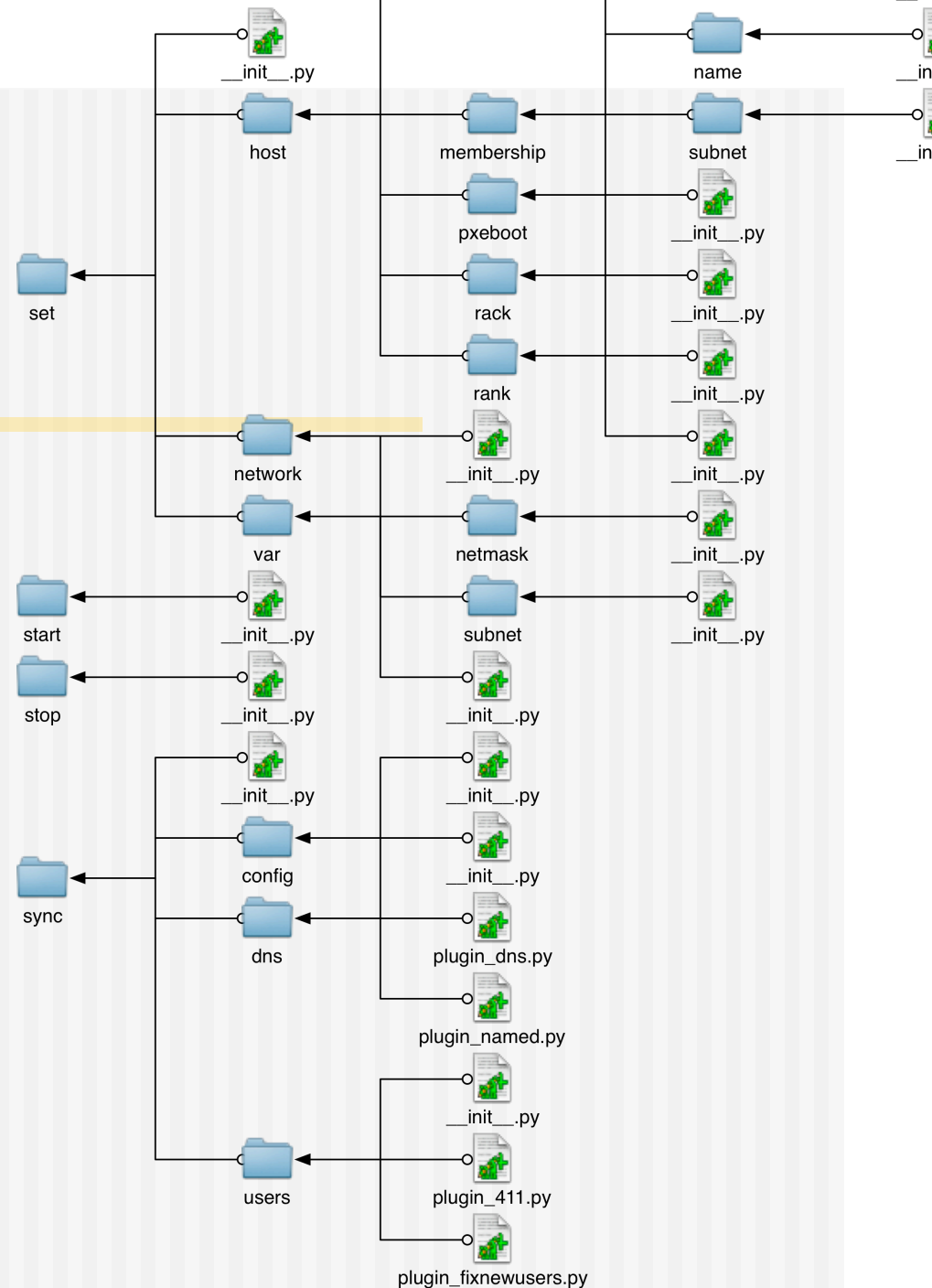
rocks set host interface ip

```
1: import rocks.commands
2:
3: class Command(rocks.commands.set.host.command):
4:     """
5:     Sets the IP address for the named interface for one host.
6:
7:     <arg type='string' name='host'>
8:     Host name.
9:     </arg>
10:
11:     <arg type='string' name='iface'>
12:     Interface that should be updated. This may be a logical interface
13:     that is the address of the interface.
14:     </arg>
15:
16:     <arg type='string' name='ip'>
17:     The IP address of the interface. Usually of the form nnn.nnn.nnn.nnn
18:     where n is a decimal digit. This format is not enforced. Use IP=NULL
19:     to clear.
20:     </arg>
21:
22:     <param type='string' name='iface'>
23:     Can be used in place of the iface argument.
24:     </param>
25:
26:     <param type='string' name='ip'>
27:     Can be used in place of the ip argument.
28:     </param>
29:
30:
31:     <example cmd='set host interface ip compute-0-0 eth1 192.168.0.10'>
32:     Sets the IP Address for the eth1 device on host compute-0-0.
33:     </example>
34:
35:     <example cmd='set host interface ip compute-0-0 iface=eth1 ip=192.168.0.10'>
36:     Same as above.
37:     </example>
38:
39:     <related>set host interface iface</related>
40:     <related>set host interface ip</related>
41:     <related>set host interface gateway</related>
42:     <related>set host interface module</related>
43:     <related>add host</related>
44:     """
45:
46:     def run(self, params, args):
47:
48:         (args, iface, ip) = self.fillPositionalArgs(('iface', 'ip'))
49:
50:         hosts = self.getHostnames(args)
51:
52:         if len(hosts) != 1:
53:             self.abort('must supply one host')
54:         if not iface:
55:             self.abort('must supply iface')
56:         if not ip:
57:             self.abort('must supply ip')
58:
59:         ip = ip.upper() # null -> NULL
60:
61:         for host in hosts:
62:             self.db.execute("""update networks, nodes set
63:             networks.ip=NULLIF('%s', 'NULL') where
64:             nodes.name='%s' and networks.node=nodes.id and
65:             (networks.device='%s' or networks.mac='%s')""" %
66:             (ip, host, iface, iface))
67:
```



start / stop

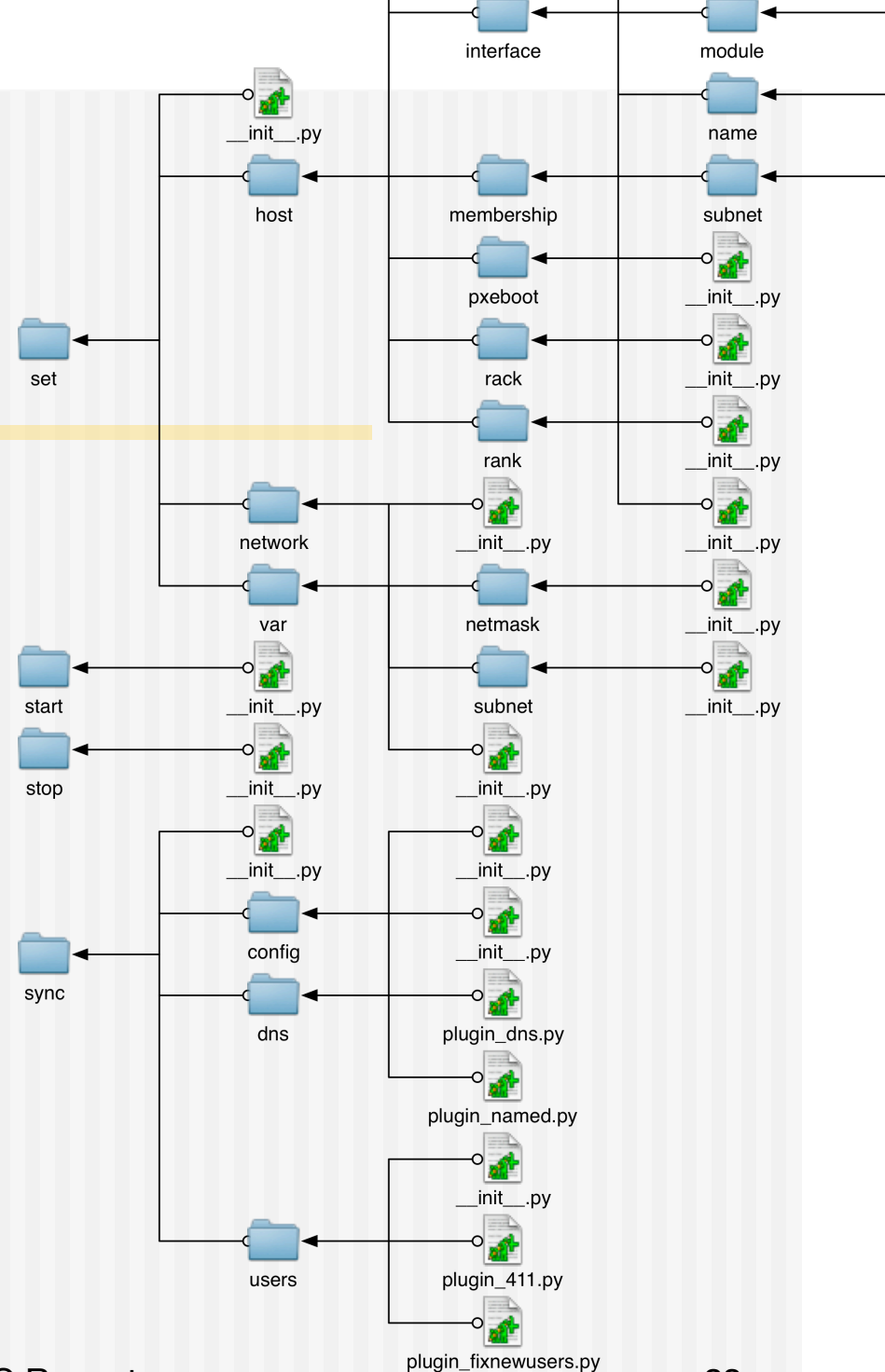
- ◆ Start and stop something
- ◆ NULL commands
- ◆ Reserve the verbs for use on other Rolls
- ◆ Think “abstract base class”





sync

- ◆ Synchronizes the database state to software configuration files
- ◆ Similar to the old “insert-ethers – update”
- ◆ Not complete yet, see Rocks VI (5.1)





rocks sync config

```
1: import os
2: import sys
3: import string
4: import rocks.file
5: import rocks.commands
6:
7:
8: class Command(rocks.commands.sync.command):
9:     """
10:     For each system configuration file controlled by Rocks, first
11:     rebuild the configuration file by extracting data from the
12:     database, then restart the relevant services.
13:
14:     <example cmd='sync config'>
15:     Rebuild all configuration files and restart relevant services.
16:     </example>
17:     """
18:
19:     def run(self, params, args):
20:         cmd = '/opt/rocks/sbin/insert-ethers --update'
21:         for line in os.popen(cmd).readlines():
22:             self.owner.addText(line)
23:
```



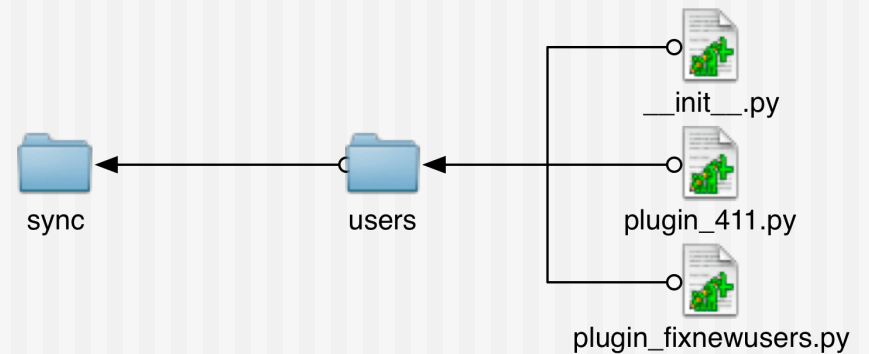

Extensibility

- ◆ New commands
 - ⇒ Add directories
 - ⇒ Add `__init__.py` code
- ◆ Existing commands
 - ⇒ Some commands can be extended
 - ⇒ Plugins



rocks sync users

- ◆ Run after useradd
 - Populate auto.home
 - Cleanup password file
 - Send 411 files
- ◆ Two plugins
 - Fixnewusers
 - 411
- ◆ Partial Ordering
- ◆ Other Rolls can add more plugins to this command
- ◆ Command must be design for plugins (not default)





__init__.py

```
1: import rocks.commands
2:
3:
4: class Command(rocks.commands.sync.command):
5:     """
6:     Update all user-related files (e.g., /etc/passwd, /etc/shadow, etc.)
7:     on all known hosts. Also, restart autofs on all known hosts.
8:
9:     <example cmd='sync users'>
10:    Send all user info to all known hosts.
11:    </example>
12:    """
13:
14:    def run(self, params, args):
15:        self.runPlugins()
16:
```



411 plugin

```
1: import os
2: import rocks.commands
3:
4: class Plugin(rocks.commands.Plugin):
5:     """Force a 411 update and re-load autofs on all nodes"""
6:
7:     def provides(self):
8:         return '411'
9:
10:    def requires(self):
11:        return ['fixnewusers']
12:
13:    def run(self, args):
14:        #
15:        # force the rebuild of all files under 411's control
16:        #
17:        for line in os.popen('make -C /var/411 force').readlines():
18:            self.owner.addText(line)
19:
20:        #
21:        # restart autofs on all known hosts
22:        #
23:        cmd = '/opt/rocks/bin/tentakel "service autofs reload"'
24:        for line in os.popen(cmd).readlines():
25:            self.owner.addText(line)
26:
27:
```



auto.home / passwd plugin

```
1: import os
2: import string
3: import rocks.commands
4:
5: class Plugin(rocks.commands.Plugin):
6:     """Relocates home directories to /export and fixes autofs.home"""
7:
8:     def provides(self):
9:         return 'fixnewusers'
10:
11:     def run(self, args):
12:         # scan the password file for any '/export/home' entries
13:         # this is the default entry as setup by useradd
14:         new_users = []
15:         default_dir = '/export/home/'
16:
17:         file = open('/etc/passwd', 'r')
18:
19:         for line in file.readlines():
20:             l = string.split(line[:-1], ':')
21:
22:             if len(l) < 6:
23:                 continue
24:
25:             username = l[0]
26:             homedir = l[5]
27:
28:             if homedir[:len(default_dir)] == default_dir:
29:                 new_users.append(username)
30:         file.close()
31:
32:         hostname = '%s.%s' % \
33:             (self.db.getGlobalVar('Kickstart', 'PrivateHostname'),
34:              self.db.getGlobalVar('Kickstart', 'PrivateDNSDomain'))
35:
36:         for user in new_users:
37:
38:             # for each new user, change their default directory to
39:             # /home/<username>
40:
41:             and = '/usr/sbin/usermod -d %s %s' % \
42:                 (os.path.join('/home', user), user)
43:             for line in os.popen(and).readlines():
44:                 self.owner.addText(line)
45:
46:             # then update the auto.home file
```



Argument Processing

- ◆ rocks <verb> <object...> <subject>
<params...>
- ◆ Subject is typed by first object
 - ⇒ host -> one or more hostname
 - ⇒ roll -> one or more roll names
- ◆ Params are in key=value form
- ◆ Same as -flag=value but easier to read



Helper classes and functions

- ◆ **ArgumentProcessors**
 - ⇒ Class to parse the subject in a standard way
 - ⇒ Exists for hosts, rolls, appliances, ...
- ◆ **Parameters Parsing**
 - ⇒ fillPositionalArgs
 - ⇒ fillParams



HostArgumentProcessor

- ◆ Command must derive from `rocks.commands.HostArgumentProcessor`
- ◆ `self.getHostnames(args)`
 - Return a list of hostname as they appear in the cluster database
 - If `args = None` all the host in the cluster are returned
 - `args` can also be a group
 - Rack0, rack1
 - Or an appliance type
 - Compute, Tile, ...



```
1: import rocks.commands
2:
3: class command(rocks.commands.HostArgumentProcessor,
4:               rocks.commands.list.command):
5:     pass
6:
7: class Command(command):
8:     """
9:     List the membership, CPU count, physical position info and comment for
10:    a list of hosts.
11:
12:    <arg optional='1' type='string' name='host' repeat='1'>
13:    Zero, one or more host names. If no host names are supplied, info about
14:    all the known hosts is listed.
15:    </arg>
16:
17:    <example cmd='list host compute-0-0'>
18:    List info for compute-0-0.
19:    </example>
20:
21:    <example cmd='list host'>
22:    List info for all known hosts.
23:    </example>
24:    """
25:
26:    def run(self, params, args):
27:        self.beginOutput()
28:
29:        for host in self.getHostnames(args):
30:            self.db.execute("""select m.name, n.cpus,
31:                             n.rack, n.rank, n.comment from
32:                             nodes n, memberships m where
33:                             n.membership=m.id and n.name='%s'""" % host)
34:            self.addOutput(host, self.db.fetchone())
35:
36:        self.endOutput(header=['host', 'membership',
37:                              'cpus', 'rack', 'rank', 'comment'])
38:
```



args = None

```
# rocks list host
```

HOST	MEMBERSHIP	CPUS	RACK	RANK	COMMENT
vizagra:	Frontend	1	0	0	-----
tile-0-1:	Tile	2	0	1	-----
tile-0-0:	Tile	2	0	0	-----
tile-0-2:	Tile	2	0	2	-----
tile-0-3:	Tile	2	0	3	-----
tile-1-3:	Tile	2	1	3	-----
tile-1-2:	Tile	2	1	2	-----
tile-1-1:	Tile	2	1	1	-----
tile-1-0:	Tile	2	1	0	-----
tile-2-0:	Tile	2	2	0	-----
tile-2-1:	Tile	2	2	1	-----
tile-2-2:	Tile	2	2	2	-----
tile-2-3:	Tile	2	2	3	-----



args = list of hosts

```
# rocks list host tile-0-0 10.255.255.253 tile-3-0.local
HOST      MEMBERSHIP CPUS RACK RANK COMMENT
tile-0-0: Tile      2   0   0   -----
tile-0-1: Tile      2   0   1   -----
tile-3-0: Tile      2   3   0   -----
```



args = rack

```
# rocks list host rack2
```

HOST	MEMBERSHIP	CPUS	RACK	RANK	COMMENT
tile-2-0:	Tile	2	2	0	-----
tile-2-1:	Tile	2	2	1	-----
tile-2-2:	Tile	2	2	2	-----
tile-2-3:	Tile	2	2	3	-----



args = appliance type

```
# rocks list host tile
```

HOST	MEMBERSHIP	CPUS	RACK	RANK	COMMENT
tile-0-0:	Tile	2	0	0	-----
tile-0-1:	Tile	2	0	1	-----
tile-0-2:	Tile	2	0	2	-----
tile-0-3:	Tile	2	0	3	-----
tile-1-0:	Tile	2	1	0	-----
tile-1-1:	Tile	2	1	1	-----
tile-1-2:	Tile	2	1	2	-----
tile-1-3:	Tile	2	1	3	-----
tile-2-0:	Tile	2	2	0	-----
tile-2-1:	Tile	2	2	1	-----
tile-2-2:	Tile	2	2	2	-----
tile-2-3:	Tile	2	2	3	-----



Any combination is fine

```
# rocks list host tile-2-0 rack1 frontend
HOST      MEMBERSHIP CPUS  RACK  RANK  COMMENT
tile-1-0: Tile      2    1    0    -----
tile-1-1: Tile      2    1    1    -----
tile-1-2: Tile      2    1    2    -----
tile-1-3: Tile      2    1    3    -----
tile-2-0: Tile      2    2    0    -----
vizagra:  Frontend  1    0    0    -----
```



ArgumentProcessors

Class Name	Helper Function
ApplianceArgumentProcessor	getApplianceNames
DistributionArgumentProcessor	getDistributionNames
HostArgumentProcessors	getHostnames
MembershipArgumentProcessor	getMembershipNames
NetworkArgumentProcessor	getNetworkNames
RollArgumentProcessor	getRollNames

RollArgumentProcessor

```

1: import os
2: import stat
3: import time
4: import sys
5: import string
6: import rocks.commands
7:
8:
9: class Command(rocks.commands.RollArgumentProcessor,
10:              rocks.commands.list.command):
11:     """
12:     List the status of available rolls.
13:
14:     <arg optional='1' type='string' name='roll' repeat='1'>
15:     List of rolls. This should be the roll base name (e.g., base, hpc,
16:     kernel). If no rolls are listed, then status for all the rolls are
17:     listed.
18:     </arg>
19:
20:     <example cmd='list roll kernel'>
21:     List the status of the kernel roll
22:     </example>
23:
24:     <example cmd='list roll'>
25:     List the status of all the available rolls
26:     </example>
27:     """
28:
29:     def run(self, params, args):
30:
31:         self.beginOutput()
32:         for (roll, version) in self.getRollNames(args, params):
33:             self.db.execute("""select version, arch, enabled from
34:                             rolls where name='%s' and version='%s'""" %
35:                             (roll, version))
36:             for row in self.db.fetchall():
37:                 self.addOutput(roll, row)
38:
39:         self.endOutput(header=['name', 'version', 'arch', 'enabled'],
40:                       trimOwner=0)
41:

```




No Parameter

```
# rocks list roll
NAME          VERSION ARCH  ENABLED
viz:          5.0    i386  yes
sge:          5.0    i386  yes
kernel:      5.0    i386  yes
updates:     5.1    i386  yes
java:        4.3.2  i386  yes
xen:         5.0    i386  yes
CentOS:      5.1    i386  yes
ganglia:     5.0    i386  yes
web-server:  5.0    i386  yes
base:        5.0    i386  yes
```



Version Parameter

```
# rocks list roll version=4.3.2  
NAME    VERSION ARCH  ENABLED  
java:  4.3.2   i386  yes
```



Summary

- ◆ ArgumentProcessors standardize the handling of command line subjects
- ◆ Calling the helper function with an empty list returns all subject in the database
- ◆ HostArgumentProcessor knows about more than just host names
- ◆ RollArgumentProcessor can filter on versions



fillParams

- ◆ Create local variables based on command parameters (key=value)
- ◆ Argument a list of (key, default) tuples
- ◆ If the parameter is not found on the command line the default value is used

```

32: generates torrent files for every file in the NFS directory.
33: </example>
34: """
35:
36: def maketorrent(self, filename, data):
37:     info = {}
38:     info['length'] = os.stat(filename)[stat.ST_SIZE]
39:     info['name'] = os.path.basename(filename)
40:
41:     data['info'] = info
42:
43:     encoded = BitTorrent.bencode(bencode(data))
44:
45:     file = open('%s.torrent' % (filename), 'w')
46:     file.write(encoded)
47:     file.close()
48:
49:
50: def run(self, params, args):
51:
52:     if len(args) != 1:
53:         self.abort('must supply one file')
54:     filename = args[0]
55:
56:     (timestamp, ) = self.fillParams([('timestamp', time.time())])
57:     try:
58:         creation_date = int(timestamp)
59:     except:
60:         creation_date = int(time.time())
61:
62:     data = {}
63:
64:     #
65:     # announce string
66:     #
67:     localhost = self.db.getGlobalVar('Kickstart', 'PrivateAddress')
68:     data['announce'] = 'http://%s:7625/announce' % (localhost)
69:
70:     data['creation date'] = creation_date
71:
72:     #

```

rocks create torrent

rocks add host

```
73:         basename, rack, rank = host.split('-')
74:         self.db.execute("""select m.name from
75:             appliances a, memberships m where
76:             a.name="%s" and m.appliance=a.id""" % basename)
77:         membership, = self.db.fetchone()
78:         rack = int(rack)
79:         rank = int(rank)
80:         membership = None
81:         rack = None
82:         rank = None
83:
84:
85:         # fillParams with the above default values
86:
87:         (membership, numCPUs, rack, rank) = self.fillParams(
88:             [('membership', membership),
89:             ('cpus', 1),
90:             ('rack', rack),
91:             ('rank', rank)])
92:
93:         if not membership:
94:             self.abort('membership not specified')
95:         if rack == None:
96:             self.abort('rack not specified')
97:         if rank == None:
98:             self.abort('rank not specified')
99:
100:         self.db.execute("""insert into nodes
101:             (site, name, membership, cpus, rack, rank)
102:             values
103:             (0,
104:             '%s',
105:             (select id from memberships where name='%s'),
106:             '%d',
107:             '%d',
108:             '%d')""") %
109:             (host, membership, int(numCPUs), int(rack), int(rank)))
110:
111:
```



fillPositionalArgs

- ◆ Allows for parameters to have implied keys (just values on command line)
- ◆ This is an optimization for ease of use, not ease of software
- ◆ Argument is a list of keys
 - ⇒ No default value processing, if a key is specified it is required
 - ⇒ Use this only when a parameter is required
- ◆ Example:

```
# rocks set network netmask optiputer netmask=255.255.255.0  
# rocks set network netmask optiputer 255.255.0.0
```

```

11:     </arg>
12:
13:     <arg type='string' name='netmask'>
14:     Netmask that named networks should have.
15:     </arg>
16:
17:     <param type='string' name='netmask'>
18:     Can be used in place of netmask argument.
19:     </param>
20:
21:     <example cmd='set network netmask optiputer 255.255.255.0'>
22:     Sets the netmask for the "optiputer" network to a class-c address
23:     space.
24:     </example>
25:
26:     <example cmd='set network netmask optiputer netmask=255.255.255.0'>
27:     Same as above.
28:     </example>
29:
30:     <example cmd='set network netmask optiputer cavewave 255.255.0.0'>
31:     Sets the netmask for the "optiputer" and "cavewave" networks to
32:     a class-b address space.
33:     </example>
34:
35:     <related>add network</related>
36:     <related>set network subnet</related>
37:     """"
38:
39:     def run(self, params, args):
40:         (args, netmask) = self.fillPositionalArgs(('netmask',))
41:
42:         if not len(args):
43:             self.abort('must supply network')
44:         if not netmask:
45:             self.abort('must supply netmask')
46:
47:         for network in self.getNetworkNames(args):
48:             self.db.execute("""update subnets set netmask='%s' where
49:                 subnets.name='%s'"" % (netmask, network))
50:

```

rocks set network netmask


```

32: Sets the MAC Address for the eth1 device on host compute-0-0.
33: </example>
34:
35: <example cmd='set host interface mac compute-0-0 iface=eth1 mac=00:0e:0c:a7:5d:ff'>
36: Same as above.
37: </example>
38:
39: <example cmd='set host interface mac compute-0-0 iface=eth1 mac=NULL'>
40: clears the mac address from the database
41: </example>
42:
43: <!-- cross refs do not exist yet
44: <related>set host interface iface</related>
45: <related>set host interface ip</related>
46: <related>set host interface gateway</related>
47: <related>set host interface module</related>
48: -->
49: <related>add host</related>
50: """
51:
52: def run(self, params, args):
53:
54:     (args, iface, mac) = self.fillPositionalArgs(('iface', 'mac'))
55:
56:     hosts = self.getHostnames(args)
57:
58:     if len(hosts) != 1:
59:         self.abort('must supply one host')
60:     if not iface:
61:         self.abort('must supply iface')
62:     if not mac:
63:         self.abort('must supply mac')
64:
65:     for host in hosts:
66:         self.db.execute("""update networks, nodes set
67:             networks.mac=NULLIF('%s', 'NULL') where
68:             nodes.name='%s' and networks.node=nodes.id and
69:             (networks.device='%s' or networks.mac='%s')""" %
70:             (mac, host, iface, iface))
71:

```

rocks set host interface



Help and Docstrings

- ◆ The command line is the documentation
 - ⇒ No more out of date man pages
 - ⇒ Still needs a cookbook document, but reference is part of the code
- ◆ We've been looking at this all session
- ◆ Class docstring `"""text"""`
- ◆ Command line has an XML format



```
# rocks list roll help  
rocks list roll [roll]...
```

Description:

List the status of available rolls.

Arguments:

[roll]

List of rolls. This should be the roll base name (e.g., base, hpc, kernel). If no rolls are listed, then status for all the rolls are listed.

Examples:

```
$ rocks list roll kernel
```

List the status of the kernel roll

```
$ rocks list roll
```

List the status of all the available rolls

```

1: import os
2: import stat
3: import time
4: import sys
5: import string
6: import rocks.commands
7:
8:
9: class Command(rocks.commands.RollArgumentProcessor,
10:              rocks.commands.list.command):
11:     """
12:     List the status of available rolls.
13:
14:     <arg optional='1' type='string' name='roll' repeat='1'>
15:     List of rolls. This should be the roll base name (e.g., base, hpc,
16:     kernel). If no rolls are listed, then status for all the rolls are
17:     listed.
18:     </arg>
19:
20:     <example cmd='list roll kernel'>
21:     List the status of the kernel roll
22:     </example>
23:
24:     <example cmd='list roll'>
25:     List the status of all the available rolls
26:     </example>
27:     """
28:
29:     def run(self, params, args):
30:
31:         self.beginOutput()
32:         for (roll, version) in self.getRollNames(args, params):
33:             self.db.execute("""select version, arch, enabled from
34:                             rolls where name='%s' and version='%s'""" %
35:                             (roll, version))
36:             for row in self.db.fetchall():
37:                 self.addOutput(roll, row)
38:
39:         self.endOutput(header=['name', 'version', 'arch', 'enabled'],
40:                       trimOwner=0)
41:

```

rocks list roll help



<arg>

◆ Attributes

- ⇒ name (required)
- ⇒ optional (default = “0”)
- ⇒ type (default = “string”)
- ⇒ repeat (default = “0”)

◆ Example:

```
<arg type='string' name='network' repeat='1'>
```

One or more named networks that should have the defined netmask.

```
</arg>
```



<param>

◆ Attributes

- ⇒ name (required)
- ⇒ optional (default = “1”)
- ⇒ type (default = “string”)
- ⇒ repeat (default = “0”)

◆ Example:

```
<param type='string' name='iface'>
```

Can be used in place of the iface argument.

```
</param>
```



<example>

◆ Attributes

⇒ cmd(required)

◆ Example:

```
<example cmd='set host interface mac compute-0-0  
eth1 00:0e:0c:a7:5d:ff'>
```

Sets the MAC Address for the eth1 device on host compute-0-0.

```
</example>
```



<related>

◆ Example

```
<related>set host interface iface</related>
```

```
<related>set host interface ip</related>
```

```
<related>set host interface gateway</related>
```

```
<related>set host interface module</related>
```




Help

- ◆ `rocks <verb> <object...> <subject> help`
 - ⇒ Loads the command module
 - ⇒ Parses the XML docstring
 - ⇒ Format and output help as 80 column text

- ◆ Debug syntax with `format=` parameter



help format=raw

```
# rocks list roll help format=raw
1:
2: List the status of available rolls.
3:
4: <arg optional='1' type='string' name='roll' repeat='1'>
5: List of rolls. This should be the roll base name (e.g., base, hpc,
6: kernel). If no rolls are listed, then status for all the rolls are
7: listed.
8: </arg>
9:
10: <example cmd='list roll kernel'>
11: List the status of the kernel roll
12: </example>
13:
14: <example cmd='list roll'>
15: List the status of all the available rolls
16: </example>
```



Help format=parsed

```
# rocks list roll help format=parsed
{'related': [], 'example': [(u'list roll kernel', u'\t\t\n\tList the
status of the kernel roll\n\t'), (u'list roll', u'\n\tList the status
of all the available rolls\n\t')], 'description': u'\n\tList the status
of available rolls.\n\t\n\t', 'param': [], 'arg': [(u'roll',
u'string', 1, 1), u'\n\tList of rolls. This should be the roll base
name (e.g., base, hpc,\n\tkernel). If no rolls are listed, then status
for all the rolls are\n\tlisted.\n\t')]]}
```



Docbook

◆ Roll Usersguide Command Reference is generated automatically

```
# rocks list roll help format=docbook
<section id="rocks-list-roll" xreflabel="list roll">
<title>list roll</title>
<cmdsynopsis>
  <command>rocks list roll</command>
  <arg rep="repeat" choice="opt">roll</arg>
</cmdsynopsis>
<para>
```

List the status of available rolls.

```
</para>
```

```
<variablelist><title>arguments</title>
```

```
<varlistentry>
```



Viz Roll



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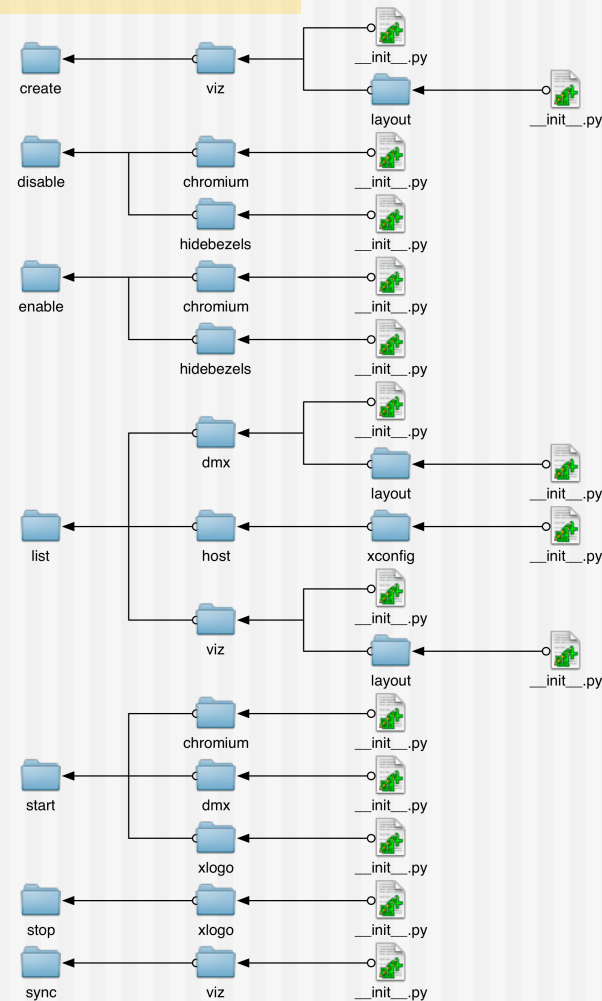


Dozen+ Command

```
# rocks list roll command viz
```

COMMAND

```
create viz layout  
disable chromium  
disable hidebezels  
enable chromium  
enable hidebezels  
list dmx layout  
list host xconfig  
list viz layout  
start chromium  
start dmx  
start xlogo  
stop xlogo  
sync viz
```





LCD Bezel





rocks enable hidebezels

- ◆ Draws pixels behind the bezels (mullions) of the LCD monitors
- ◆ Calculated offset for TwinView and normal modes
- ◆ Reset the X11 configuration on all nodes
- ◆ Great mode for moving graphics




```

1: import rocks.commands.enable
2: import os
3:
4: class Command(rocks.commands.enable.command):
5:     """
6:     Enable Bezel Hiding mode.
7:
8:     <example cmd="enable hidebezels">
9:     </example>
10:    """
11:
12:    MustBeRoot = 0
13:
14:    def run(self, params, args):
15:
16:        os.system('touch ~/.hidebezels')
17:
18:        # If the database videowall layout has two (or more) entries
19:        # for the same host and card we know we are in twinview
20:        # mode. In this case we need to reconfigure and restart
21:        # X11 for this host.
22:
23:        self.db.execute("""select n.name, v.cardid
24:                        from nodes n, videowall v where v.node=n.id""")
25:        dict = {}
26:        for key in self.db.fetchall():
27:            if dict.has_key(key):
28:                dict[key] = 1 # TwinView host
29:            else:
30:                dict[key] = 0 # NonTwinView host (so far)
31:
32:        for (host, card) in dict.keys():
33:            if dict[(host, card)]:
34:                os.system('ssh -f '
35:                          '%s /usr/X11R6/bin/xrandr -d :0 -s 1'
36:                          % host)

```



rocks disable hidebezels

- ◆ All pixels are drawn and the bezels break apart the image
- ◆ Removes any offset from previous mode
- ◆ Resets the X11 configuration on all nodes
- ◆ Great for static images and text



```

1: import rocks.commands.enable
2: import os
3:
4: class Command(rocks.commands.disable.command):
5:     """
6:     Disable Bezel Hiding mode.
7:
8:     <example cmd="disable hidebezels">
9:     </example>
10:    """
11:
12:    MustBeRoot = 0
13:
14:    def run(self, params, args):
15:
16:        os.system('/bin/rm ~/.hidebezels')
17:
18:        # If the database videowall layout has two (or more) entries
19:        # for the same host and card we know we are in twinview
20:        # mode. In this case we need to reconfigure and restart
21:        # X11 for this host.
22:
23:        self.db.execute("""select n.name, v.cardid
24:                          from nodes n, videowall v where v.node=n.id""")
25:        dict = {}
26:        for key in self.db.fetchall():
27:            if dict.has_key(key):
28:                dict[key] = 1 # TwinView host
29:            else:
30:                dict[key] = 0 # NonTwinView host (so far)
31:
32:        for (host, card) in dict.keys():
33:            if dict[(host, card)]:
34:                os.system('ssh -f '
35:                          '%s /usr/X11R6/bin/xrandr -d :0 -s 0'
36:                          % host)
37:

```



More Commands ...

- ◆ Starting and stopping
 - ⇒ Chromium
 - ⇒ DMX
 - ⇒ Xlogo image
- ◆ Re-writing X11 config files
- ◆ What do you want to see?
- ◆ HINT: This is interactive right now



Roll Screen Development

Debugging assistance for
building Rocks Rolls with
screens

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Very Brief Rolls Overview

- ◆ Rolls provide for a cluster customization
- ◆ Rolls reliably install and configure a software on a cluster frontend
 - ⇒ Extend/modify stock OS
 - ⇒ Add third party packages
- ◆ Interaction during install only via screens
- ◆ Fully tested before release



Building Roll's Screen



Screen's Functions

- ◆ Collect user input before roll installation
- ◆ Verify user input and forward it to the rocks installer
- ◆ Depends on: **what a roll developer puts in!**



Screen's Pros and Cons

- ◆ Laconic form ↔ ◆ Limited space
- ◆ Provides help ↔ ● Don't assume user can type
- ◆ Verify input correctness ↔ ● Can't foresee all site details
- ◆ Easy and fast to use ↔ ● Screens are available only during cluster install



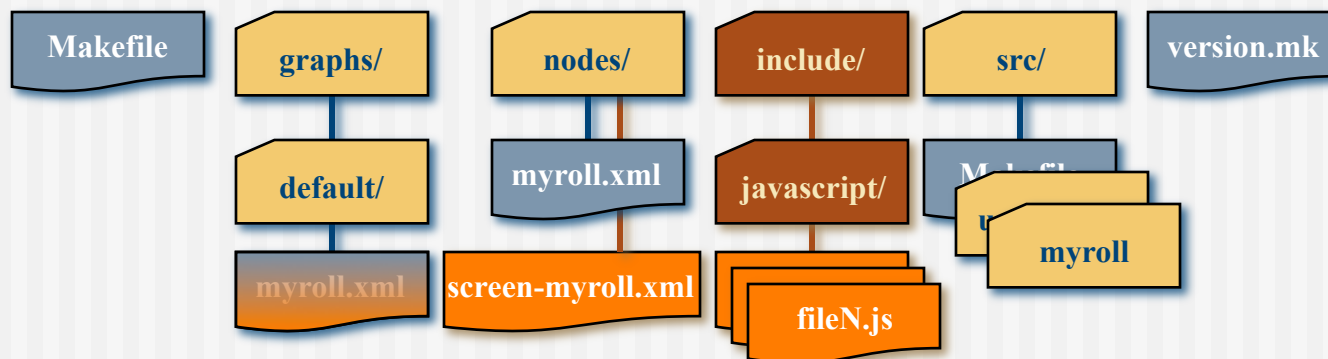
Prepare for the roll build

- ◆ Check out CVS Rocks distribution
 - # cvs -d:pserver:anonymous@cvs.rocksclusters.org:/home/cvs/CVSROOT login
 - # cvs -d:pserver:anonymous@cvs.rocksclusters.org:/home/cvs/CVSROOT checkout -r ROCKS_**\$VERSION**
- ◆ Change to the top-level rolls' directory:
 - # cd rocks/src/roll
- ◆ Create new roll directory
 - # bin/make-roll-dir.py -n **YourRollName** -v **YourRollVersion**
 - # ls **YourRollName**
graphs/ Makefile nodes/ src/ version.mk
- ◆ Create your roll



Add your Screen

- ◆ Prerequisites from rocks cvs repository
 - roll/bin/
 - roll/base/src/screens
 - Your basic roll structure is ready
 - Skeleton xml files, makefiles ...
- 1. Add screen xml file to nodes/
- 2. Add javascript
- 3. Add screen to the graph





screen-myroll.xml file

```
<kickstart>
<screen>
  <title>Your Roll Title </title>
  <code>
    <include file="javascript/yourRoll.js">
  </code>
  <variable>
    <label>My field label</label>
    <name>Info_NameForAppsGlobals</name>
    <type>string</type>
    <size>20</size>
    <default>ReasonableDeafaultValue</default>
    <value><var name="Info_NameForAppsGlobals"/></value>
    <help>Help text for the variable field.</help>
    <validate>check_function1</validate>
  </variable>
  <variable>
    ...
  </variable>
</screen>
</kickstart>
```



Screen XML Language

Screen contains

⇒ Title

- Your title description

⇒ code

- Specify javascript file

⇒ variable

- Simple syntax. Supports multiple variables.
- Defines info about variable “appearance” on the screen
- Defines info that goes to *app_globals* table



Screen `<variable>` attributes

- ◆ **name**
 - Format: *Service_Component*
 - *Service* and *Component* are columns names in the *app_globals* database table.
 - Use “Info” for Service:
`<name>Info_GfarmMetaServer</name>`
- ◆ **value**
 - Format same as “name”
`<value>`
`<var name="Info_GfarmMetaServer"/>`
`</value>`
- ◆ **default**
 - Sets the value of this variable
`<default>pine.forrest.edu</default>`
- **label**
 - ◆ Sets the form label
- **type**
 - ◆ String, menu, ipv4-address
- **size**
 - ◆ Sets the size of the screen field
- **help**
 - ◆ Sets the explanation for the variable
- **validate**
 - ◆ Sets the javascript validation function
 - ◆ Use the same name as in myroll.js javascript file
`<validate>check_GFmetaserver</validate>`



Add screen to the graph

In graphs/default/myroll.xml:

⇒ add ordering

```
<order head="screen-timezone">  
  <tail>screen-myroll</tail>  
</order>  
<order head="screen-myroll">  
  <tail>screen-partitioning</tail>  
</order>
```

⇒ add edges

```
<edge from="server">  
  <to>screen-myroll</to>  
  <to>myroll-server</to>  
  <to>myroll-client</to>  
</edge>
```



File myroll.js

- ◆ Contains screen variable verification
- ◆ One function per variable
- ◆ Can use existing code from other rolls
 - Copy desired file from *otherroll/include/javascript/* to *myroll/include/javascript/*
- ◆ For examples see rolls:
 - base
 - gama



Debugging Roll's Screen



Screen html files

- ◆ Create screen html files:

```
# export PATH=$PATH:`pwd`/rocks/src/roll/bin
```

```
# cd myroll/
```

```
# make-screen-val.py -x screen-myroll.xml myroll
```

screen xml file

roll name

Make-screen-val.py actions:

- Uses your javascript
- Creates myroll/screenval/ and all files under it

- ◆ View html files:

```
# cd screenval/
```

```
# firefox file:///<path>/myroll/screenval/rocks.html
```

Note: will not work with Safari



View your Screen

Welcome to Rocks

Help

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Gfarm Metaserver for your cluster. Specify FQDN of this host or FQDN for another host.

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Specify FQDN of your cluster if this host is a Gfarm FS node. Default is none.

Gfarm Configuration

Gfarm Metaserver Host

Gfarm FS Node

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Try your Screen

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Gfarm Configuration

Gfarm Metaserver Host	<input type="text" value="pine.hpcc.jp"/>
Gfarm FS Node	<input type="text" value="no"/>

"no" is not a valid IP address



What can you test

- ◆ Test input fields one by one
 - ⇒ alter the default value and press “validate”
- ◆ Test your javascript
 - ⇒ If don't see expected behavior, check your javascript
- ◆ Test, test, test...

```
while ( errors ) {  
    recreate screenval/ with make-screen-val.py  
    reopen rocks.html  
    fix another error in your javascript  
}
```

Lets see this in action



When Things Go Wrong

- ◆ Problem with javascript syntax
- ◆ One of javascript files is absent
- ◆ Names mismatch
- ◆ Function is not returning value



Thank you!

Questions ?