

# MODERATION

Content moderation workflow with workbench

LIVING WITH MODERATION

- Electrical Engineer (2005)
- C/C++ programmer (2006)
- *Full time Drupal developer (mid 2009)*
- Freelance & Drupal evangelist
  - Drupal profile <u>e0ipso</u>. Not so prolific contributor.
- Occasional speaker (spanish community)

### ME



- Not needed by everyone.
- Needed when there is no confidence.
- *Typically big websites.*
- Based on roles.



# MODERATION

WHO NEEDS IT?



# A SENSITIVE MATTER

- Content is a sensitive matter.
- *Companies invest* €\$¥ *in* communication.
- *Screenshot slavery.*

- Your code is a <u>sensitive</u> matter.
- money in web development?
- your code?



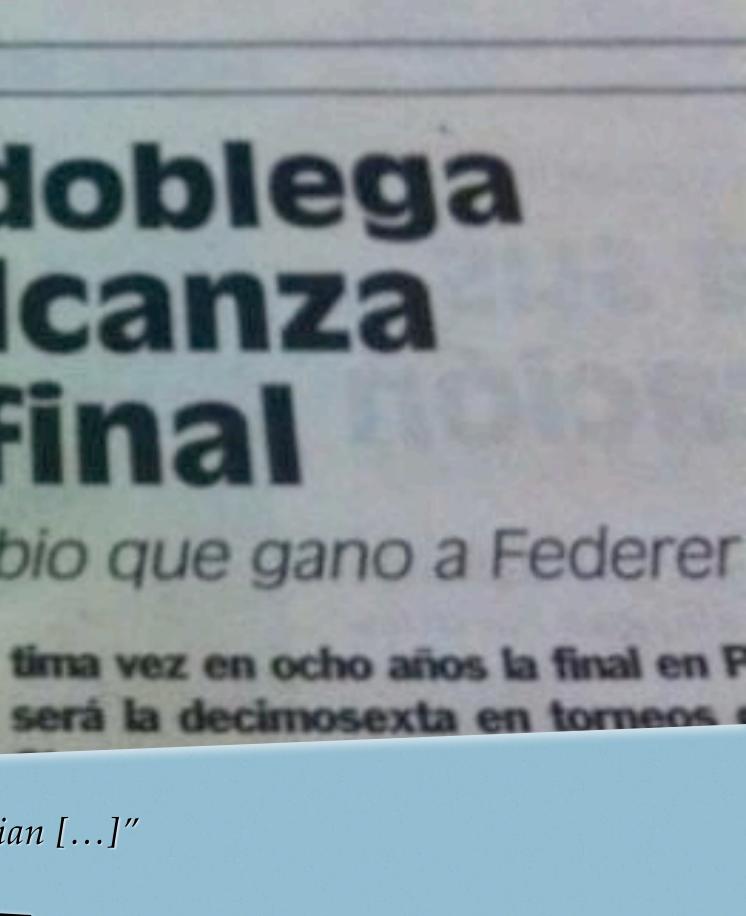
Does that company invest the same

Would you allow anyone to deploy

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"[...] the fucking Serbian [...]"

DEALING WITH CONTENT



### WORKBENCH MODERATION

- Development sponsored by <u>Palantir</u>.
- Part of Workbench, a larger suite.
  - Workbench
  - Workbench moderation (Steve Persch, Bec White)
  - Workbench access
  - Workbench media & files



- and access to them.
- media module.

Workbench: where to go for content.

*Workbench access: manage sections* 

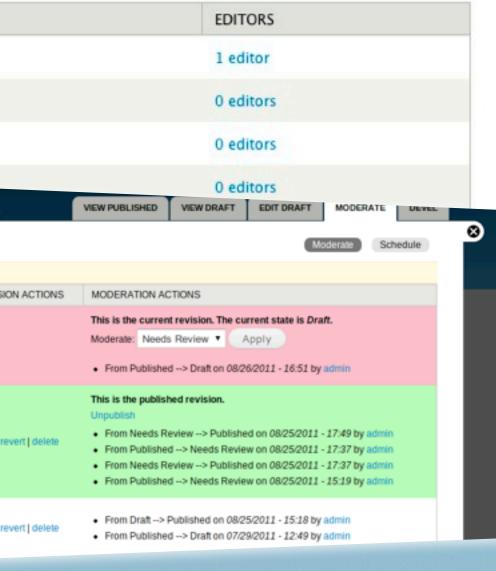
Workbench media: integrates the

Workbench files: file management.

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#### Workbench suite

SUITE



# REAL WORLD EXAMPLE

Pretty simple workflow configuration: Small magazine



### WE JUST NEED.

• Approve content created by contributors.

at the testing stage.

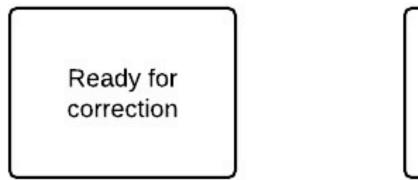
- Correct content once is ready.
- Publish it.

REQUIREMENTS

### • They realize new requirements

Draft

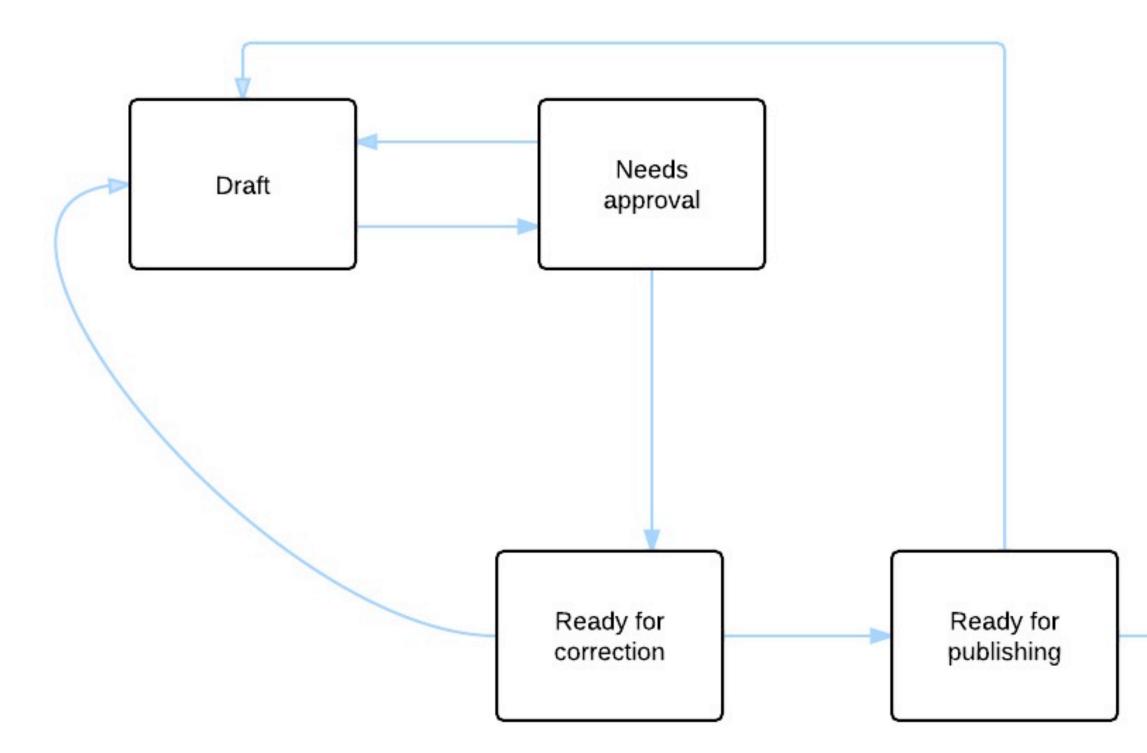
Needs approval



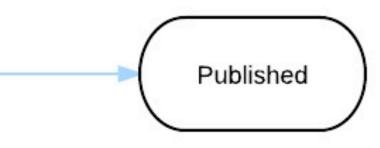
Ready for publishing



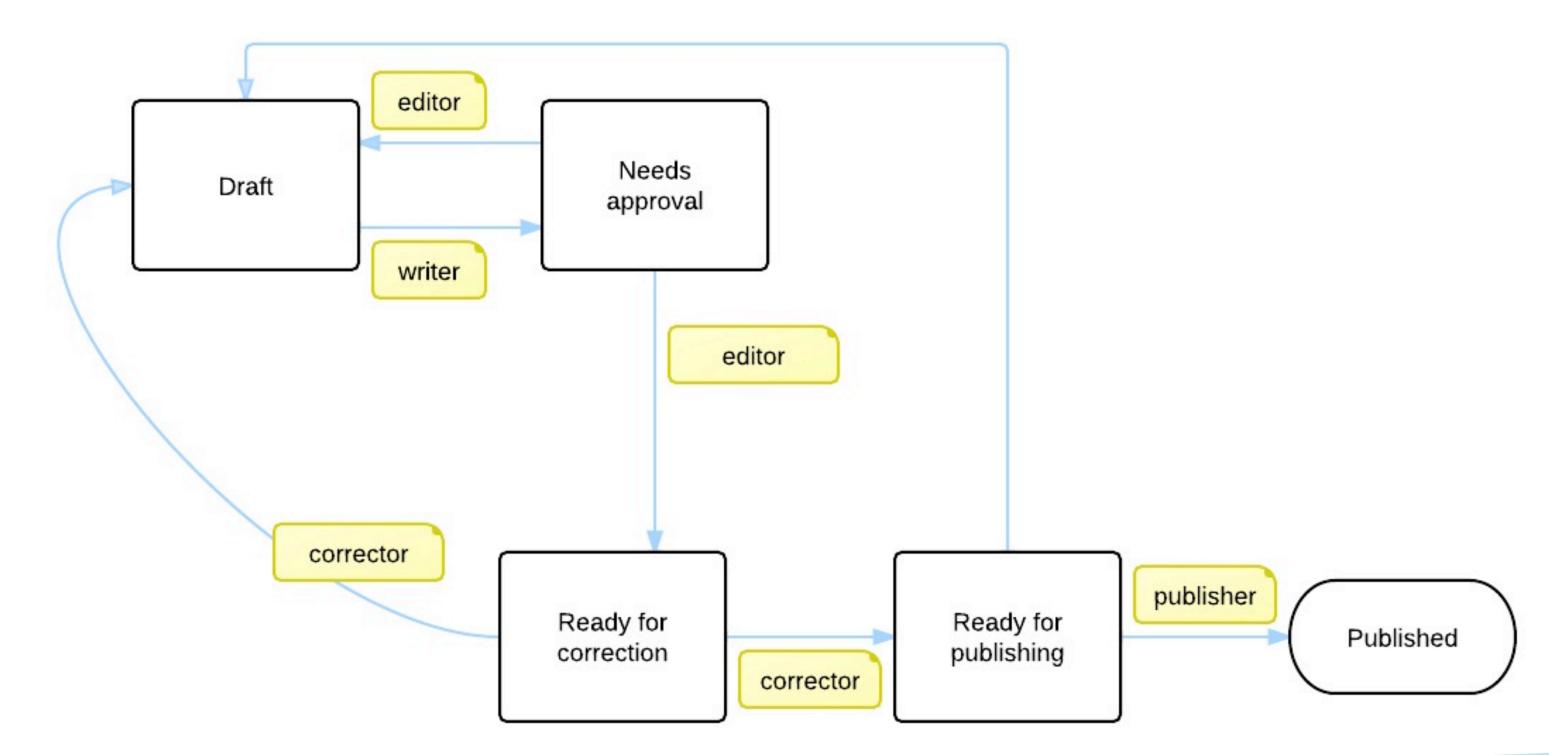




STATES & TRANSITIONS

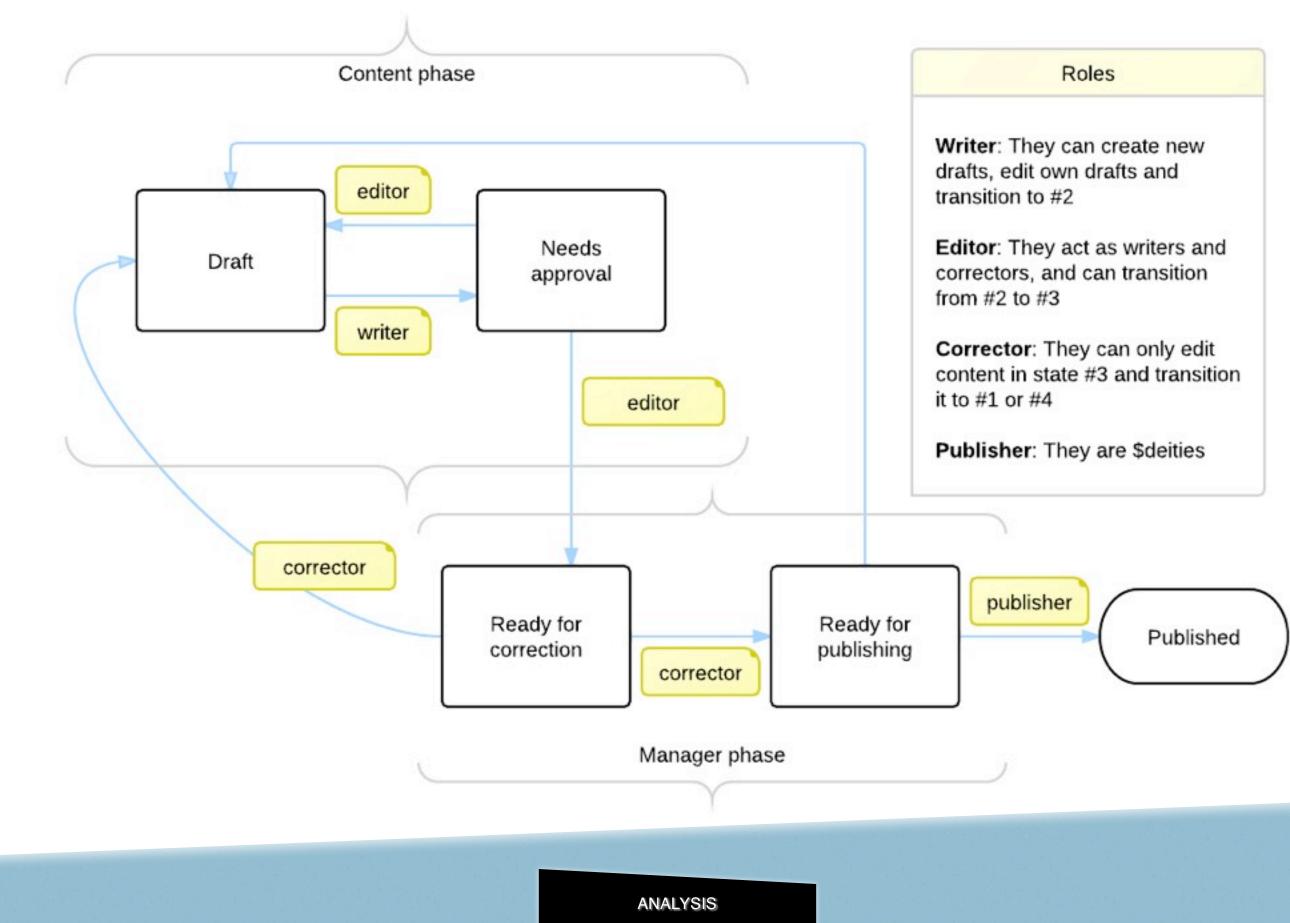






PERSMISIONS





States.
Transitions.
Permissions.

### CONCEPTS

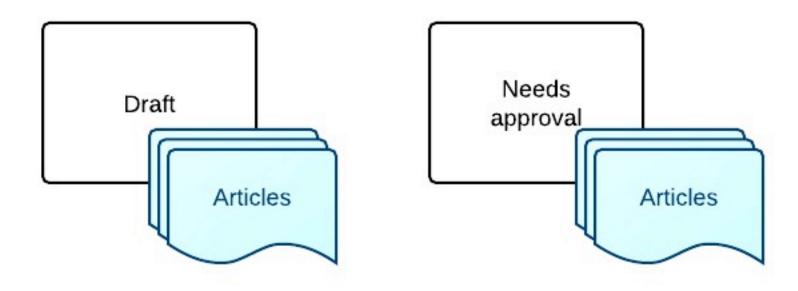


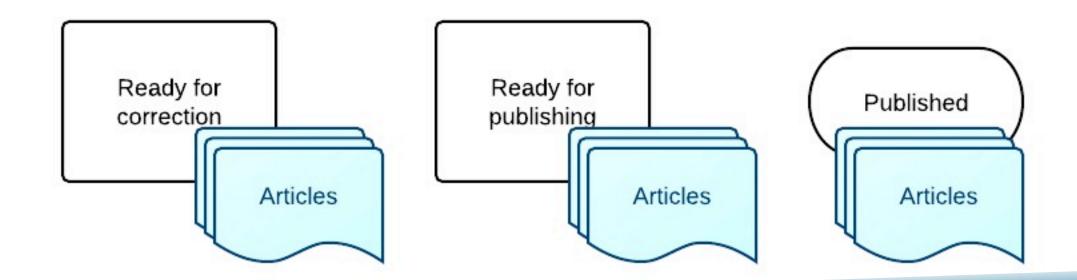
- Define the different situations a piece of content can sit on.
- Usually relate to roles (permissions).
- User defined, except for:
  - Draft.
  - Published.



### STATES







LAYING AROUND

We could need different states for each content type

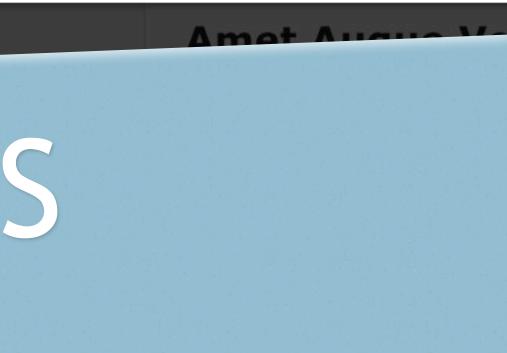
HOME ADMINISTRATION

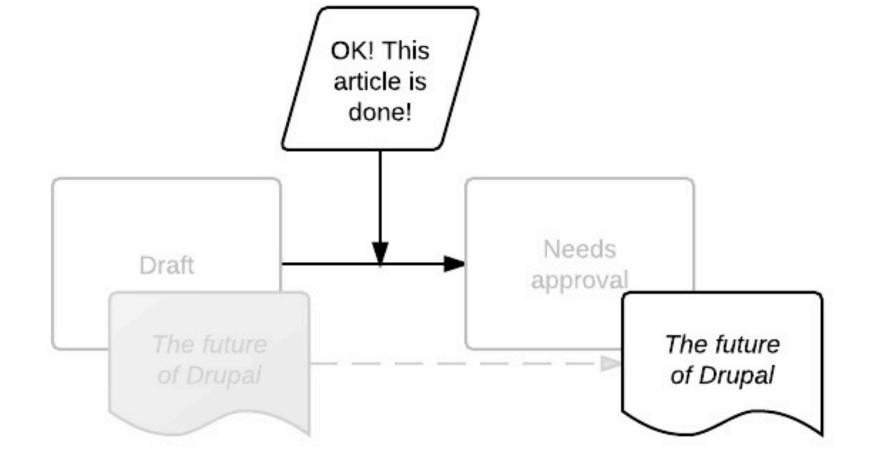
- Define state changes. Some changes allowed & other disallowed. (From A to B).
- Usually relate to actions (permissions).
- Toggled by the user.

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### TRANSITIONS

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PUSHING FWD

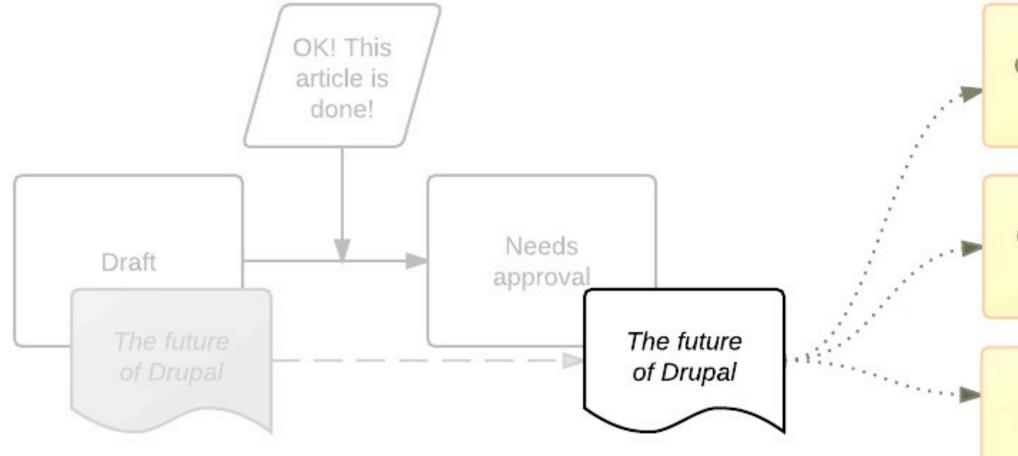


- They are the key of all this.
- Usually bad specifications.
- They might affect how you structure your states & transitions



# PERMISSIONS

ACCES DENIED





CONSIDERATIONS

Can I edit this content while is waiting to be approved?

Can an editor edit my content directly?

Can other users see my unpublished content in state Needs approval?



- Different states per: content type/taxonomy term/domain/menu/...
- Different workflow per: content type/taxonomy term/domain/menu/...
- Different permissions per: content type/taxonomy term/domain/...
- *Custom permissions per state.*
- *Custom reactions per transition (typically notifications).*

// Per-node type permissions are very complex, and should only be used if // absolutely needed. For right now, this is hardcoded to OFF. To enable it, // Add this line to settings.php and then reset permissions. \$conf['workbench\_moderation\_per\_node\_type'] = TRUE; 11

# IT GETS TRICKIER

SOMEONE MIGHT ASK IT



### HOW DOES IT WORK?





- *Rewrites interface (clarifies workflow).*
- Reuses (built-in) revision information.
- Loads moderation info along with the lacksquarenode.
- Stores information about the history of the moderation.
- Exposes all this data to views (not required).
- Panels integration.

**"JUST" A FEW** 

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This allows you to have a "frozen" *published* version while the edition continues.

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Home Role definitions

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- Switch back

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#### NAVIGATION

- Add content
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### **Lenis Utinam Utrum**

Submitted by datofrosp on Mon, 05/14/2012 - 14:43

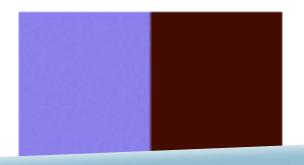


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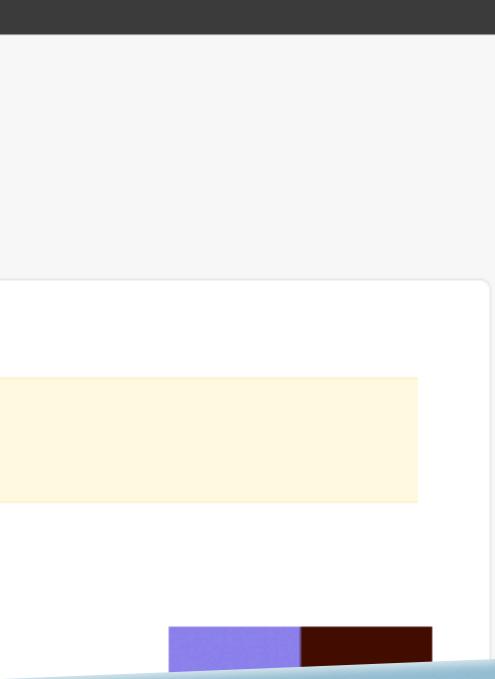
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## VIEWS INTEGRATION

- Node moderation record (history & states) for node & node\_revision views.
  - Fields.
    - hid, state, from\_state, timestamp, published, current, ...
  - Filters.
  - Sorts.
  - Arguments.
- Relationship from the moderation record to the user that made it.
- "Content type is moderated" filter.



## MODERATION INFO

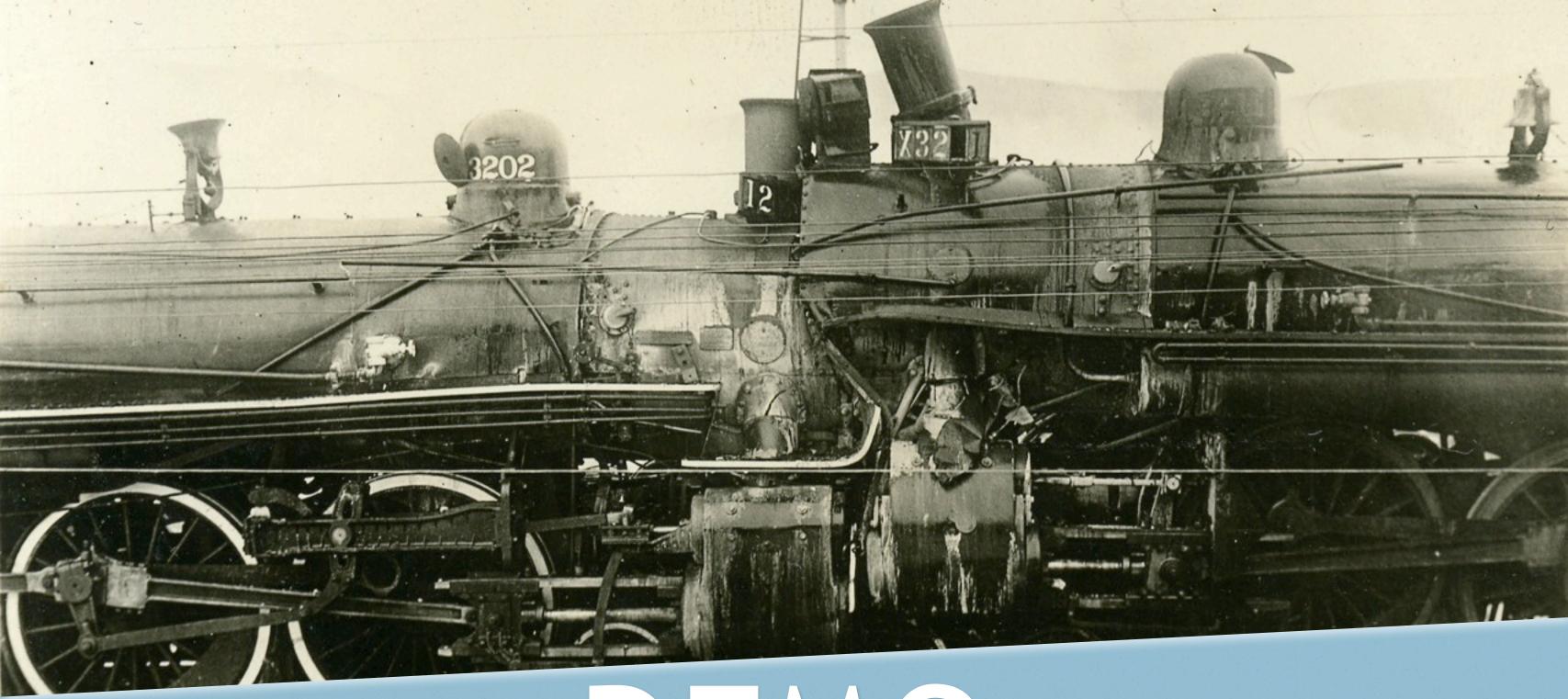
- hook\_node\_load()
- Loads 3 records:
  - Current revision
  - Published revision
  - Node revision (if different).
- Each record has info about:
  - *nid, vid, from\_state, state, uid, stamp, published, current*



- hook\_workbench\_moderation\_access\_alter
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  - *\$current\_state*
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- - \$node
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hook\_workbench\_moderation\_transition





SORRY... NO TIME FOR DEMOS



# THANK YOU!

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