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Distributed Systems (DSy)

In the news

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Distributed Systems & Blockchain in the News

- 08.09.2025: Hackers hijack npm packages with 2 billion weekly downloads in supply chain attack [\[link\]](#)
 - NPM packages with over 2.6 billion weekly downloads
 - Intercepts crypto and web3 activity
 - Your dev machine is under attack!
- 15.09.2025: The Performance Cost To Ubuntu WSL2 On Windows 11 25H2 [\[link\]](#)
 - WSL2 uses VM to run Linux apps
 - 'WSL2 remains "good enough"'
- 10.9.2025: Swissborg [\[link\]](#)
 - Via 3rd party service provider Kiln [\[link\]](#)
 - Outsource security - outsourcing risk
- 11.09.2025: Native ACME Support Comes to NGINX [\[link\]](#)
 - Similar to Traefik / Caddy
- 15.09.2025: PayPal Ushers in a New Era of Peer-to-Peer Payments, Reimagining How Money Moves to Anyone, Anywhere [\[link\]](#)
 - It took them quite a while...