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SBOM Platform Workshop

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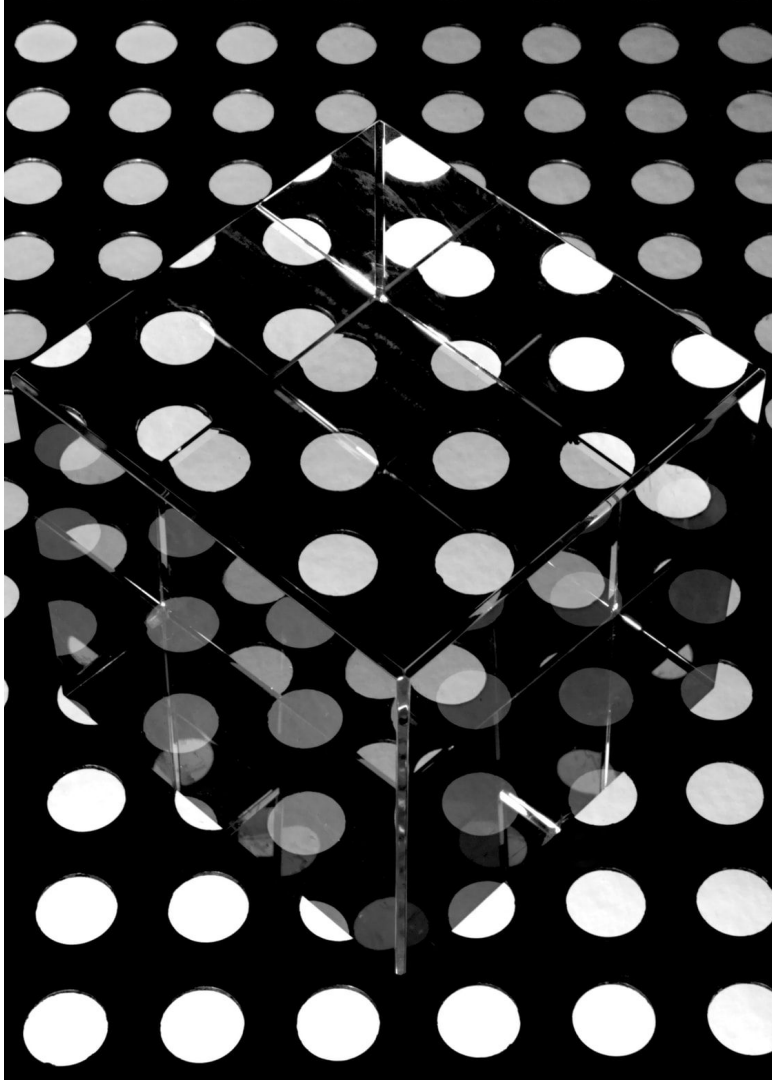

About ActiveState

Used by Millions of Developers and 97% of Fortune 1000

20+ Years of Open Source Language Experience

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Introduction

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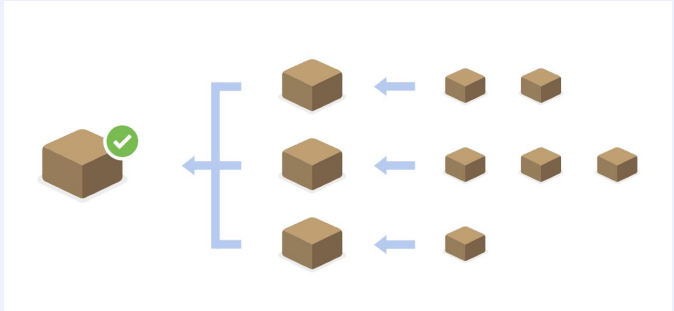
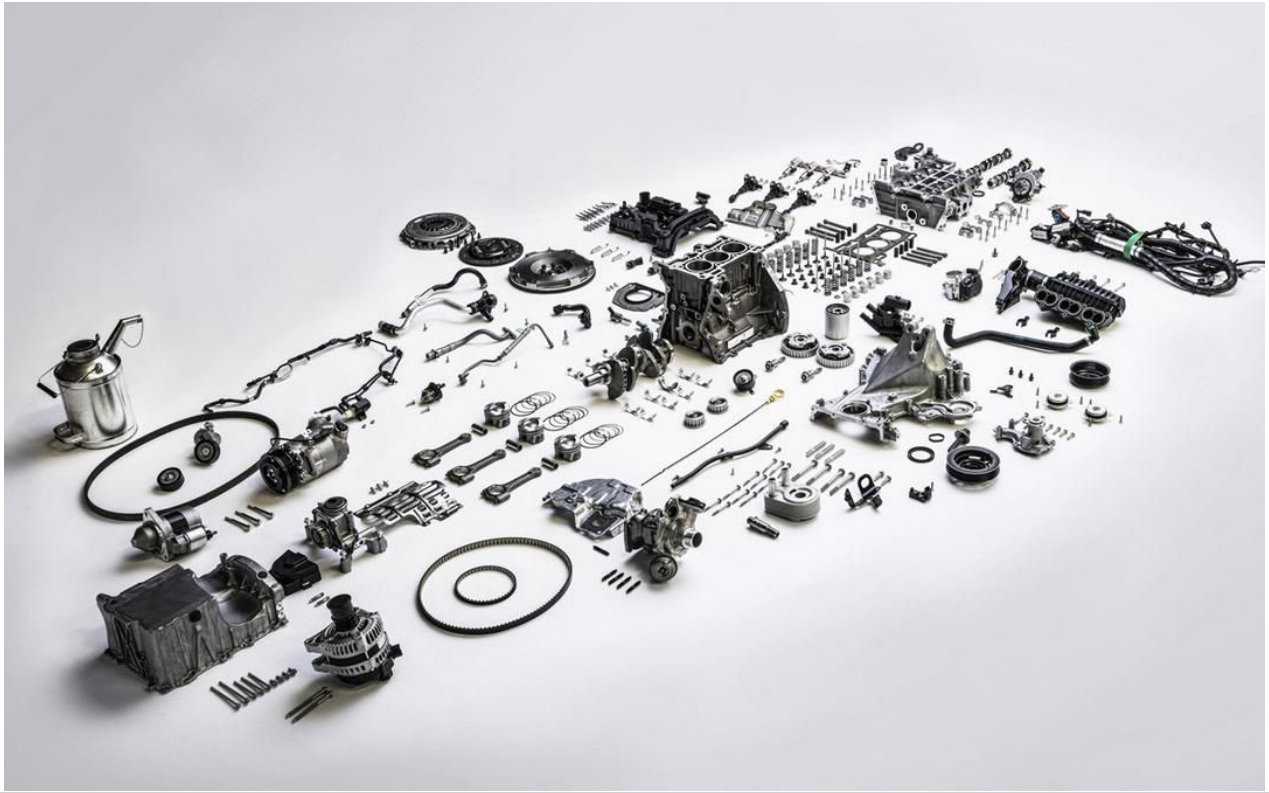
ActiveState Platform — Your Team's Supply Chain for Trusted Open Source Artifacts

Includes:

- Catalog of 4M+ Vendored Open Source Components & Recipes
- Universal Dependency Solver
- Hermetically Sealed Multi-OS Build Farm
- Declarative Project Oriented UX/API
- Powerful Revision Control Features
- SBOMs and Vulnerability Reports



Software Bill of Materials - listing of all the component parts that make up your software



Common Elements of an SBOM

For a given piece of software, it is made up of all of the components it needs at runtime:

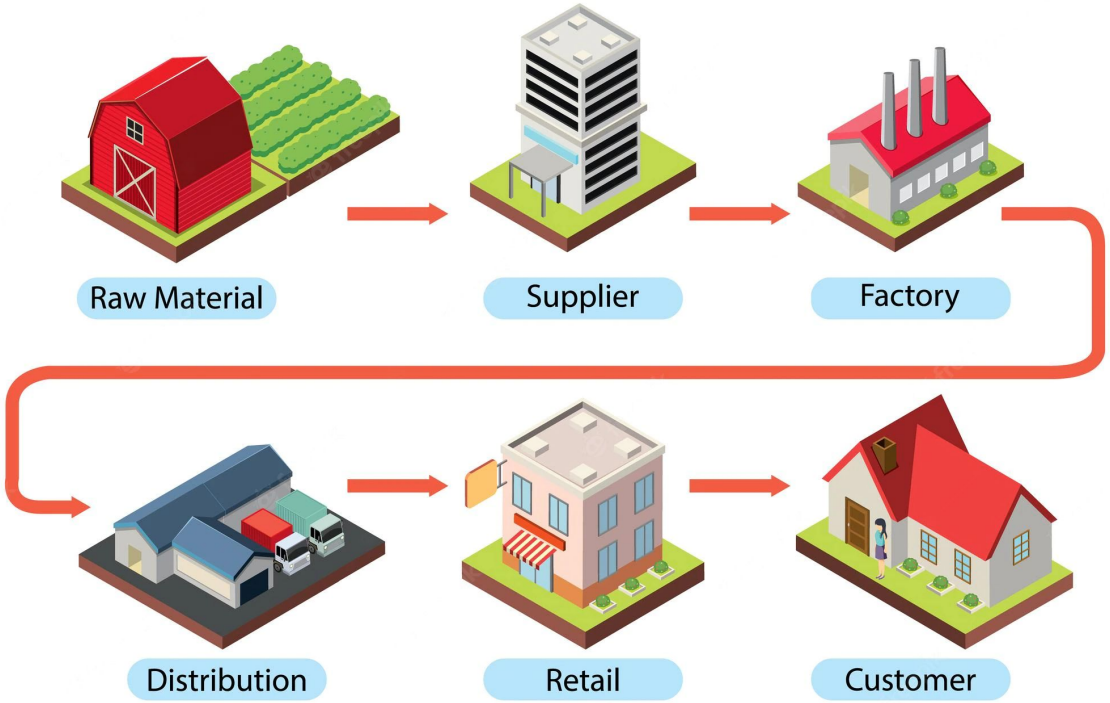
- Open source components (packages, gems, modules, libraries)
- Plugins, extensions or other add-ons
- Custom source code written by in-house developers
- Information about the component versions, licensing, and other metadata depending on the standard/vendor

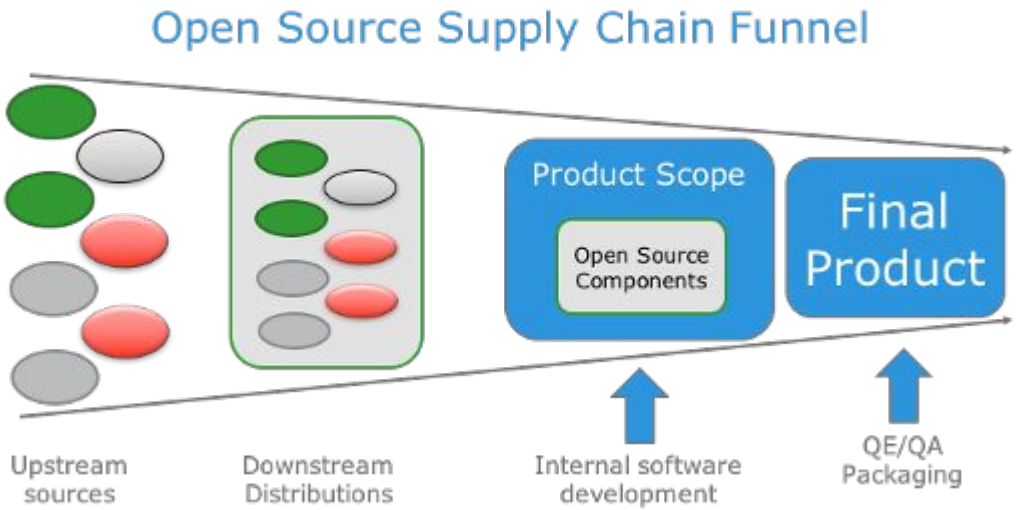
Other Aspects:

- Can include vulnerability information
- Can include external services it relies on
- Includes component checksums
- Typically signed by the provider

If SBOM is the answer, what was the question?

Supply Chain





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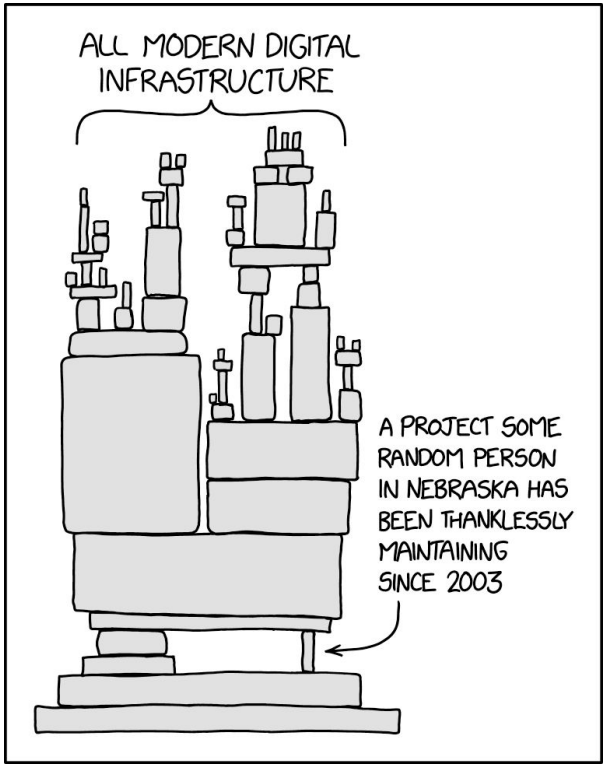
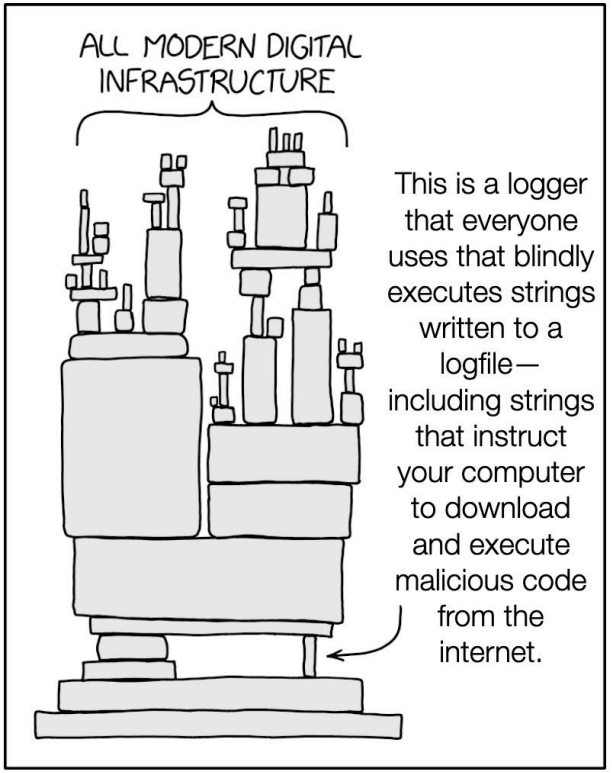


Modern software supply chains run very deep.

But...



...has its downsides.

Credit: https://xkcd.com/2347/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11101
00101
58%
of attacks aimed to access data
62%
of the attacks exploit the trust of customers in their supplier
66%
OF ATTACKS FOCUS ON THE SUPPLIER'S CODE
SUPPLY CHAIN ATTACKS ON THE RISE
62%
OF ATTACKS RELY ON MALWARE

Noteworthy Supply Chain Attacks

- Compiler attacks
- Target
- Stuxnet
- ATM malware
- NotPetya / M.E.Doc
- British Airways
- SolarWinds
- Microsoft Exchange Server
- Golden SAML
- Ransomware attacks

Source: Wikipedia

Y’all better get some SBOMs.

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(vi) maintaining accurate and up-to-date data, provenance (i.e., origin) of software code or components, and controls on internal and third-party software components, tools, and services present in software development processes, and performing audits and enforcement of these controls on a recurring basis;

(vii) providing a purchaser a Software Bill of Materials (SBOM) for each product directly or by publishing it on a public website;

(viii) participating in a vulnerability disclosure program that includes a reporting and disclosure process;

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SBOM Summary of Benefits

- Security
- Can automate collection/aggregation, keep up to date
- Licensing
- Locate and describe components (metadata)

SBOM Common Formats

These three formats were identified by NTIA (National Telecommunications and Information Administration) as meeting their criteria:

- SPDX - Software Package Data Exchange
- CycloneDX - built originally to capture OWASP data and subsequently enhanced for SBOM support
- SWID - came out of the software asset management space and isn't as popular

Other formats also seen in the industry:

- CSV
- JSON

Our SBOM implementation is available as a lightweight JSON or an ISO standard SPDX format both for Python, Perl, and Ruby.

- SPDX
  a. project of the Linux Foundation
  b. ISO Standard: ISO/IEC 5962:2021
  c. Machine-readable inventory of software components
  d. The model of an SPDX SBOM defines three elements: Document, Package, and File
     i. Document defines metadata about the SBOM
     ii. Package is a concept that groups together one or more elements
     iii. File - each individual file in each package

Platform and SBOM Demo

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Supply Chain Security & SBOM - Key Takeaways

- Know what is in your software, to the level of all the component parts
- Get a new SBOM on each new update
- Aggregate the entirety of your software portfolio to search/determine where all the components are that need remediation
- Strive for nimble DevOps processes to address security issues in hours not days (i.e. What happens if there is a serious zero-day?)

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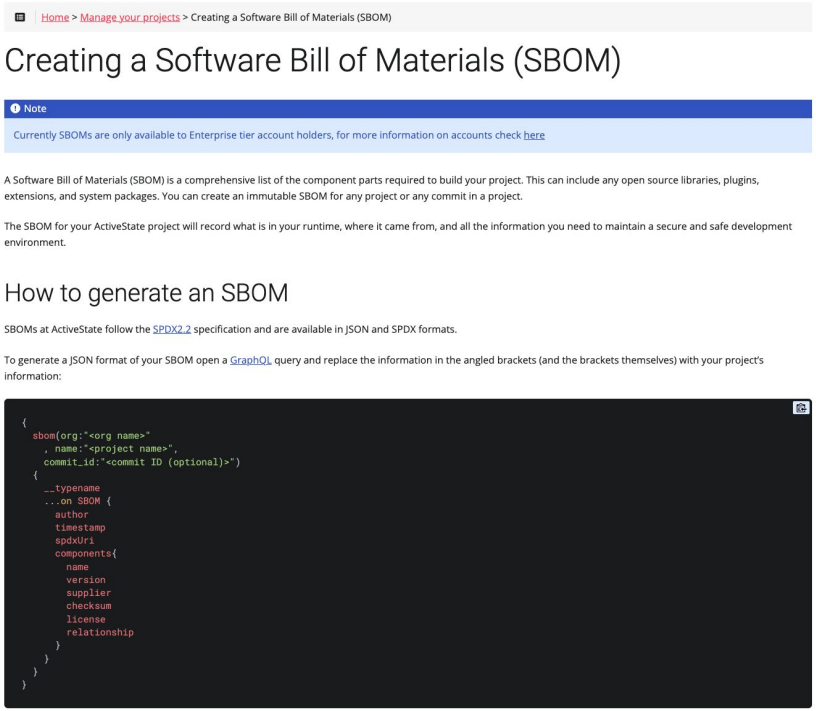
SBOM Documentation



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Creating a Software Bill of Materials (SBOM)

Note

Currently SBOMs are only available to Enterprise tier account holders, for more information on accounts check here

A Software Bill of Materials (SBOM) is a comprehensive list of the component parts required to build your project. This can include any open source libraries, plugins, extensions, and system packages. You can create an immutable SBOM for any project or any commit in a project.

The SBOM for your ActiveState project will record what is in your runtime, where it came from, and all the information you need to maintain a secure and safe development environment.

How to generate an SBOM

SBOMs at ActiveState follow the SPDX2.2 specification and are available in JSON and SPDX formats.

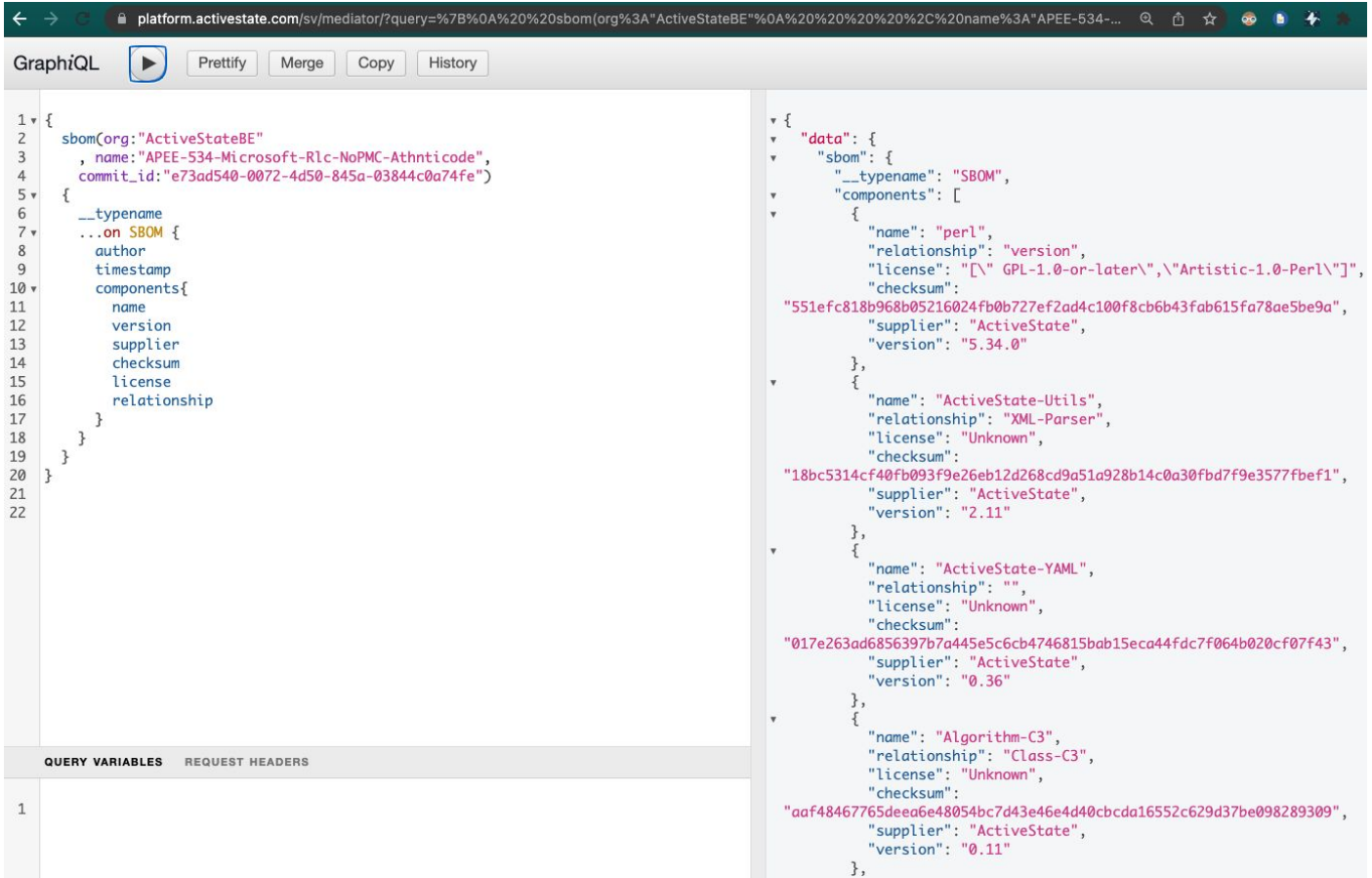
To generate a JSON format of your SBOM open a GraphQL query and replace the information in the angled brackets (and the brackets themselves) with your project's information:

```
{
  sbom(org:"<org name>"
    , name:"<project name>",
    commit_id:"<commit ID (optional)>")
  {
    __typename
    ...on SBOM {
      author
      timestamp
      spdxUri
      components{
        name
        version
        supplier
        checksum
        license
        relationship
      }
    }
  }
}
```

https://docs.activestate.com/platform/projects/sbom/

Questions?

ActiveState JSON format



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SPDX format

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DataLicense: CC0-1.0
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Creator: Organization: ActiveState
Created: 2022-06-02T22:31:01Z

PackageName: perl
SPDXID: SPDXRef-perl
PackageVersion: 5.34.0
PackageDownloadLocation: https://dl.activestate.com/source/ed4b2154-eaee-5fba-88bb-d1eca86b1206/versions/0fbbfdd6-68e5-5f06-86ce-b03395e79c54/revisions/5/perl-5.34.0.tar.gz
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PackageCopyrightText: NOASSERTION

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SPDX format

```
Relationship: SPDXRef-perl DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-version
Relationship: SPDXRef-ActiveState-Utils DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-XML-Parser
Relationship: SPDXRef-Algorithm-C3 DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-Class-C3
Relationship: SPDXRef-Algorithm-Diff DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-Text-Diff
Relationship: SPDXRef-Archive-Zip DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-ActiveState-Utils
Relationship: SPDXRef-B-Keywords DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-Perl-Critic
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Relationship: SPDXRef-Class-Inspector DEPENDENCY_OF SPDXRef-SOAP-Lite
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