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IT'S ABOUT FRONT-END









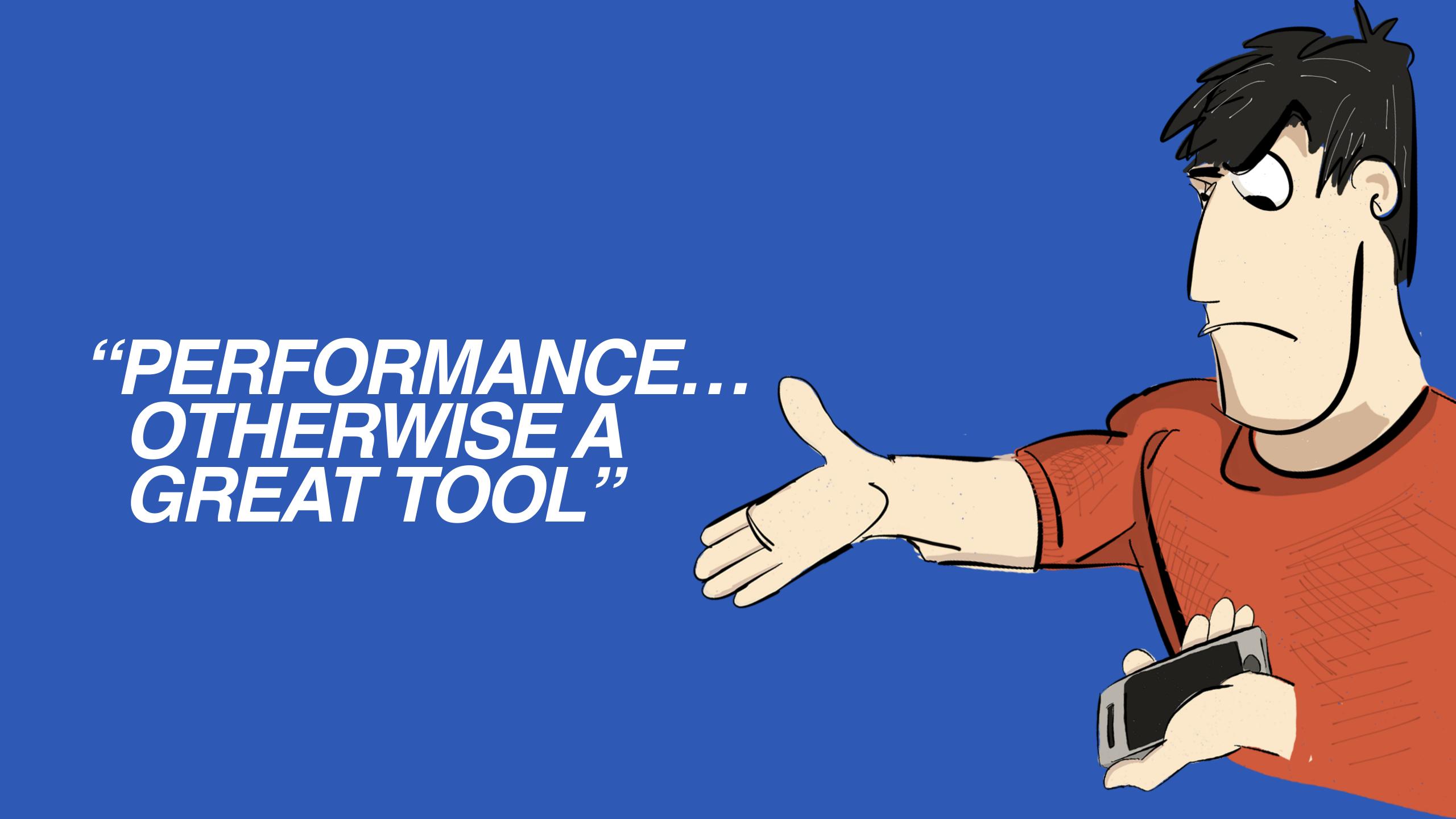
PRAGUEMATIC WEB PERFORMANCE

WEB
PERFORMANCE
2020



"OFTEN POOR RESPONSE TIME ON WEBSITE"





"IT'S JUST SLOW"



"OFTEN POOR RESPONSE"
"PERFORMANCE, OTHERWISE A GREAT

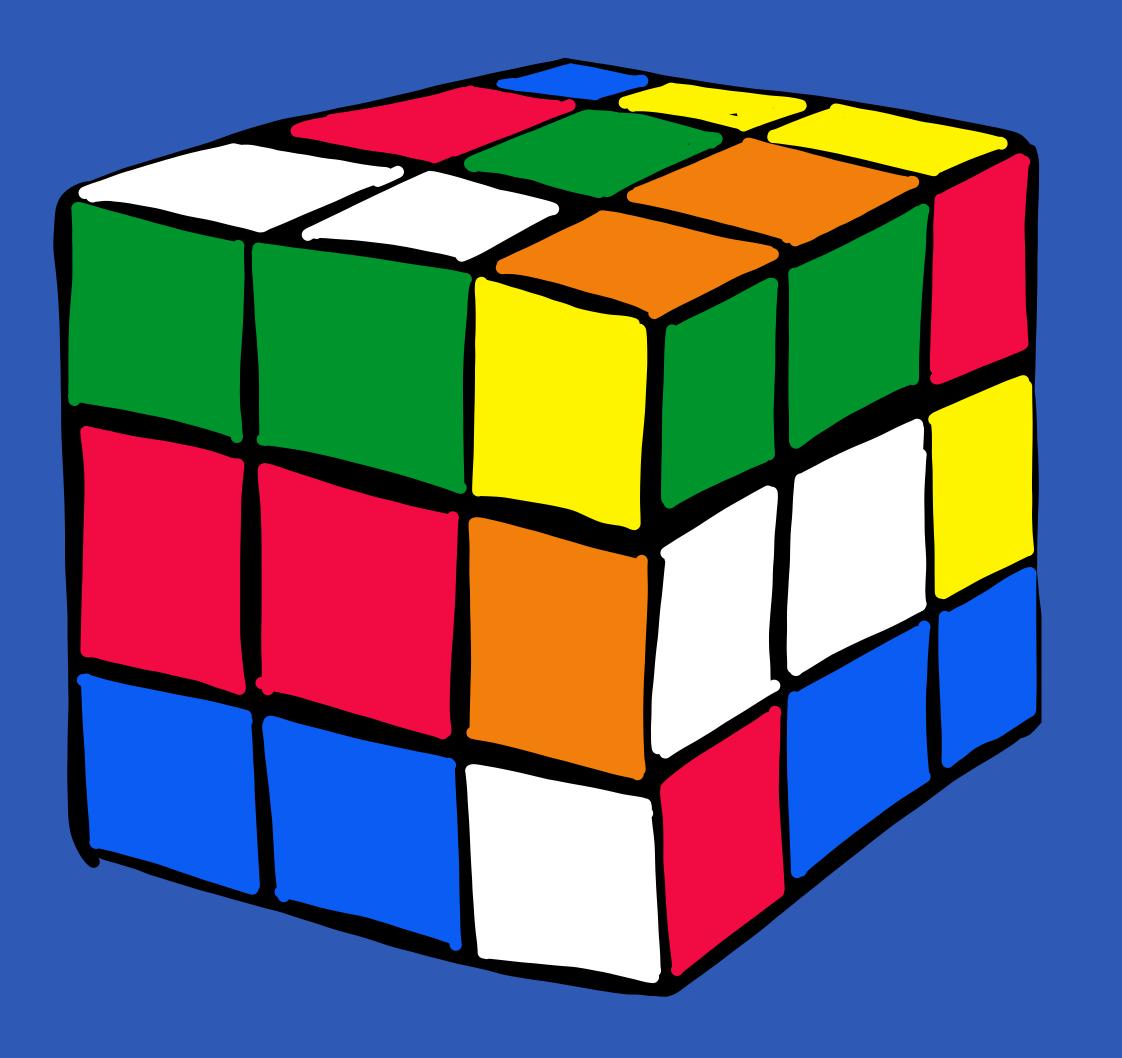
GitLab, UX research by Jeff Crow and Farnoosh Seifoddini

Dedicated the time to say how not impressed they are with performance

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https://gitlab.com/groups/gitlab-com/-/epics/464

WEB PERFORMANCE 2020



PRAGMATIC

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adj. Dealing or concerned with facts or actual occurrences; practical

"IT'S OK, BUT SPEED MAY BE IMPROVED"

MONITOR • OPTIMISE

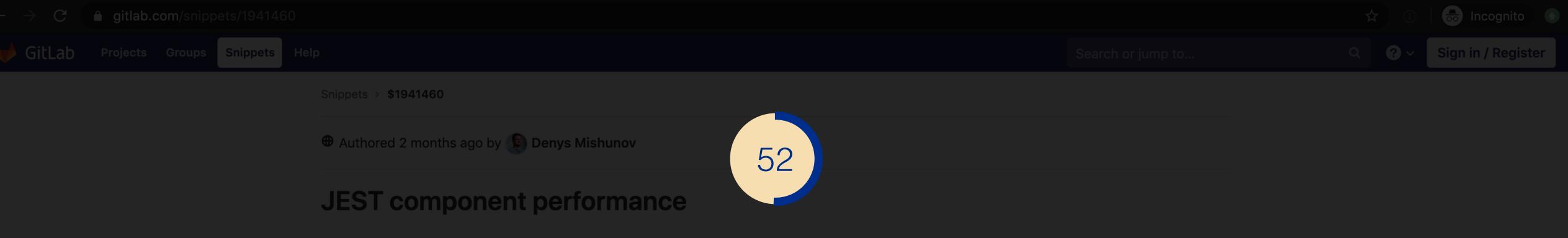
MEASURE • MONITOR • OPTIMISE

PRAGMATIC MEASURE • MONITOR • OPTIMISE

1.MEASURE

- Overall page size
- Number of server requests
- The size of the bundled JS resources
- etc.

- DOMContentLoaded Event
- Onload Event
- First Paint
- First Contentful Paint
- First Meaningful Paint
- Largest Contentful Paint
- SpeedIndex



Performance of a component comparing to another implementation Performance (Fast 3G connection, caching disabled)

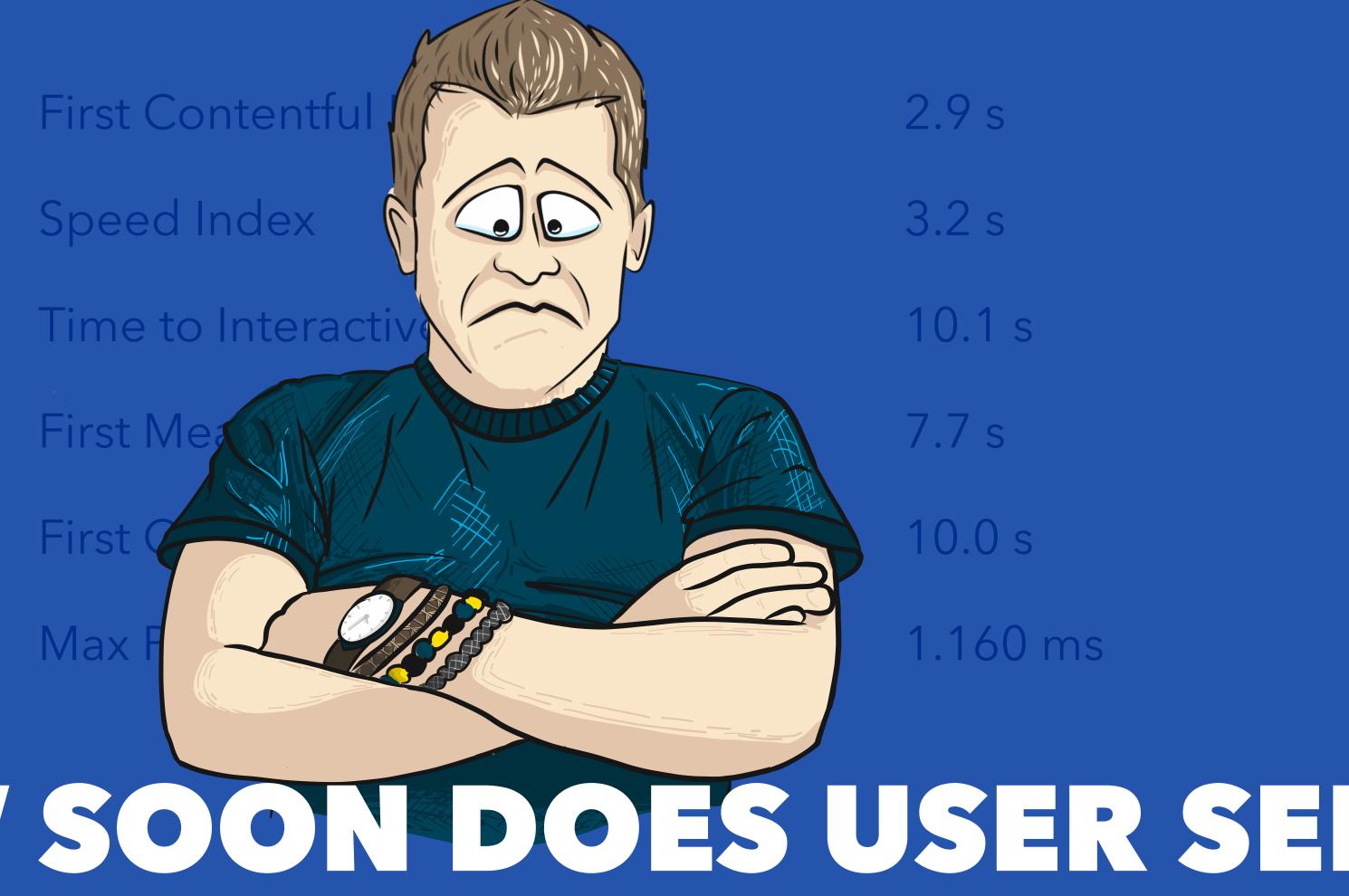
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      Time to Interactive
                                                            10.1 s
      First Meaningful Paint
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     const longContent = (numbers = 100) => {
      First CPU Idle
                                                            10.0 s
      Max Potential First Input Delay
                                                            1.160 ms
    const createComponentB = (content = longContent()) => {
     wrapper = shallowMount(simpleViewerB, {
       content,
      },
      });
```

First Contentful Paint	2.9 s
Speed Index	3.2 s
Time to Interactive	10.1 s
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Generic Could be fragile for monitoring There are too many



HOW SOON DOES USER SEE THE SNIPPET?

- DOMContentLoaded Event
- Onload Event
- First Paint
- First Contentful Paint
- First Meaningful Paint
- Largest Contentful Paint
- SpeedIndex

PAGE LOADING USER TIMING API TIME

PERFORMANCE API

https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/API/Performance

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Performance Timeline API

performance

Performance

PerformanceElementTiming

PerformanceEntry

PerformanceEventTiming

PerformanceLongTaskTiming

PerformanceMark

PerformanceMeasure

PerformanceNavigation

PerformanceNavigationTiming

PerformanceObserver

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PerformanceResourceTiming

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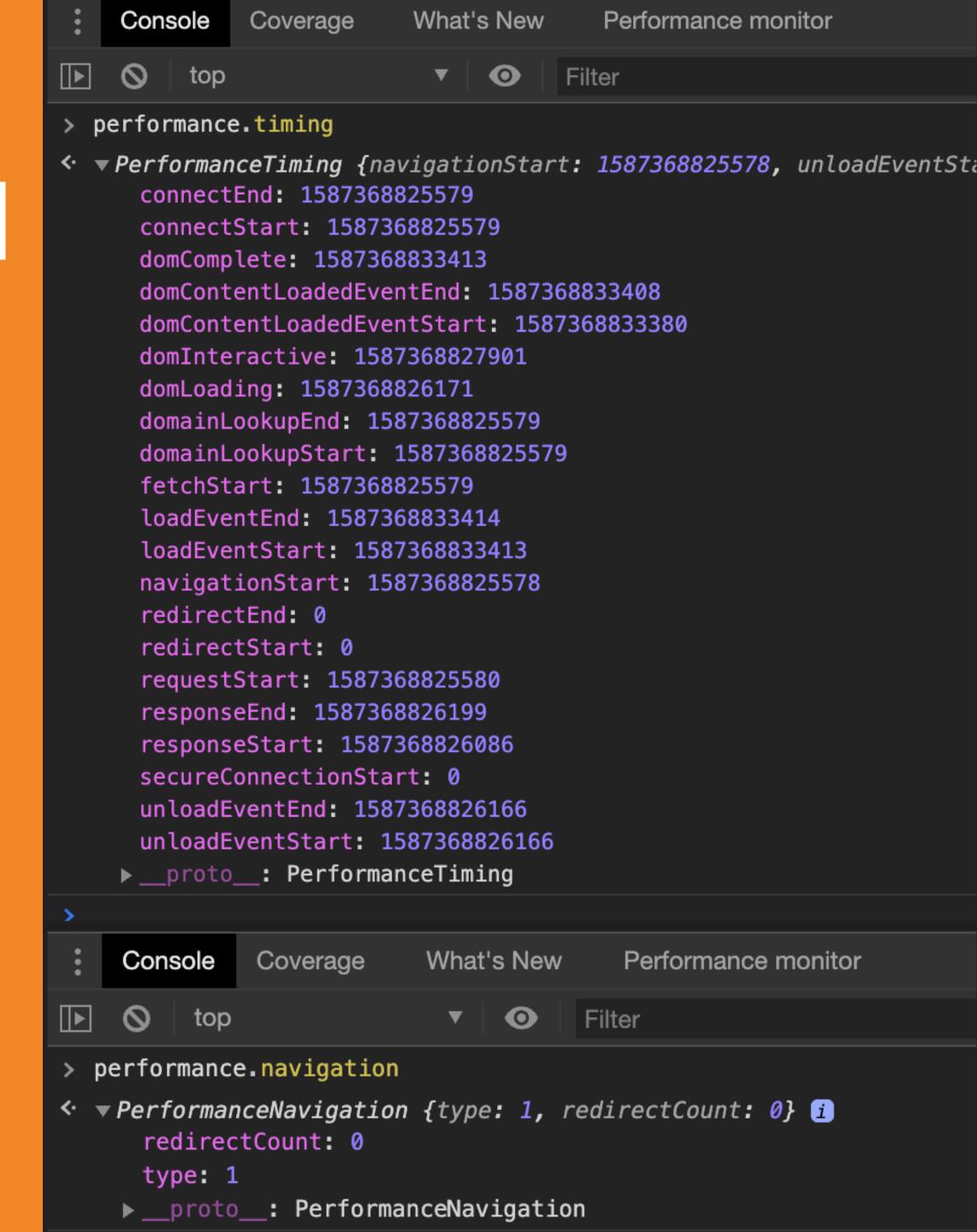
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Performance Timeline API

Navigation Timing API*



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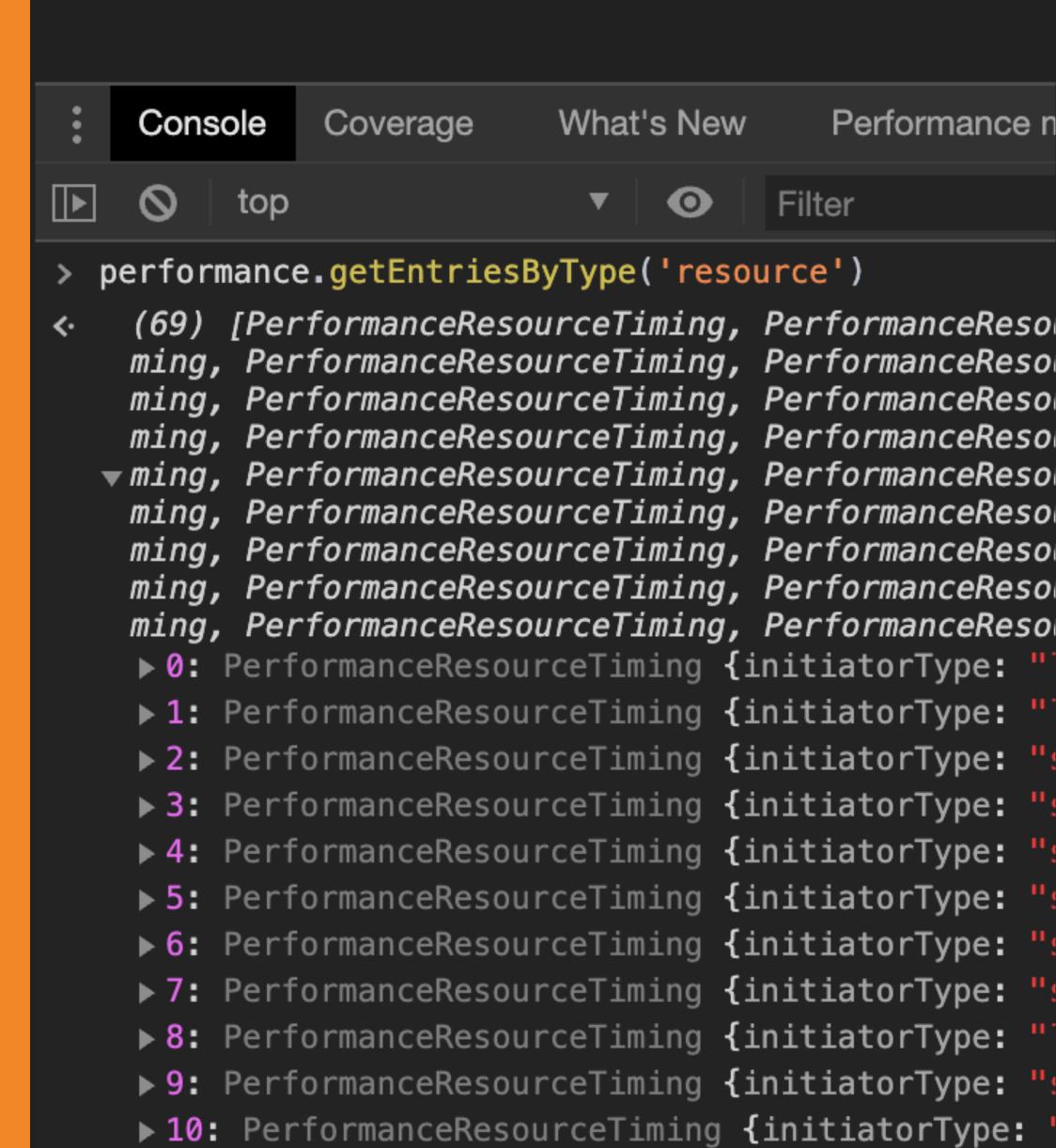
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Performance Timeline API

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Resource Timing API

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Performance Timeline API

Navigation Timing API*

Resource Timing API

User Timing API

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performance.mark

f mark() { [native code] }

performance.measure

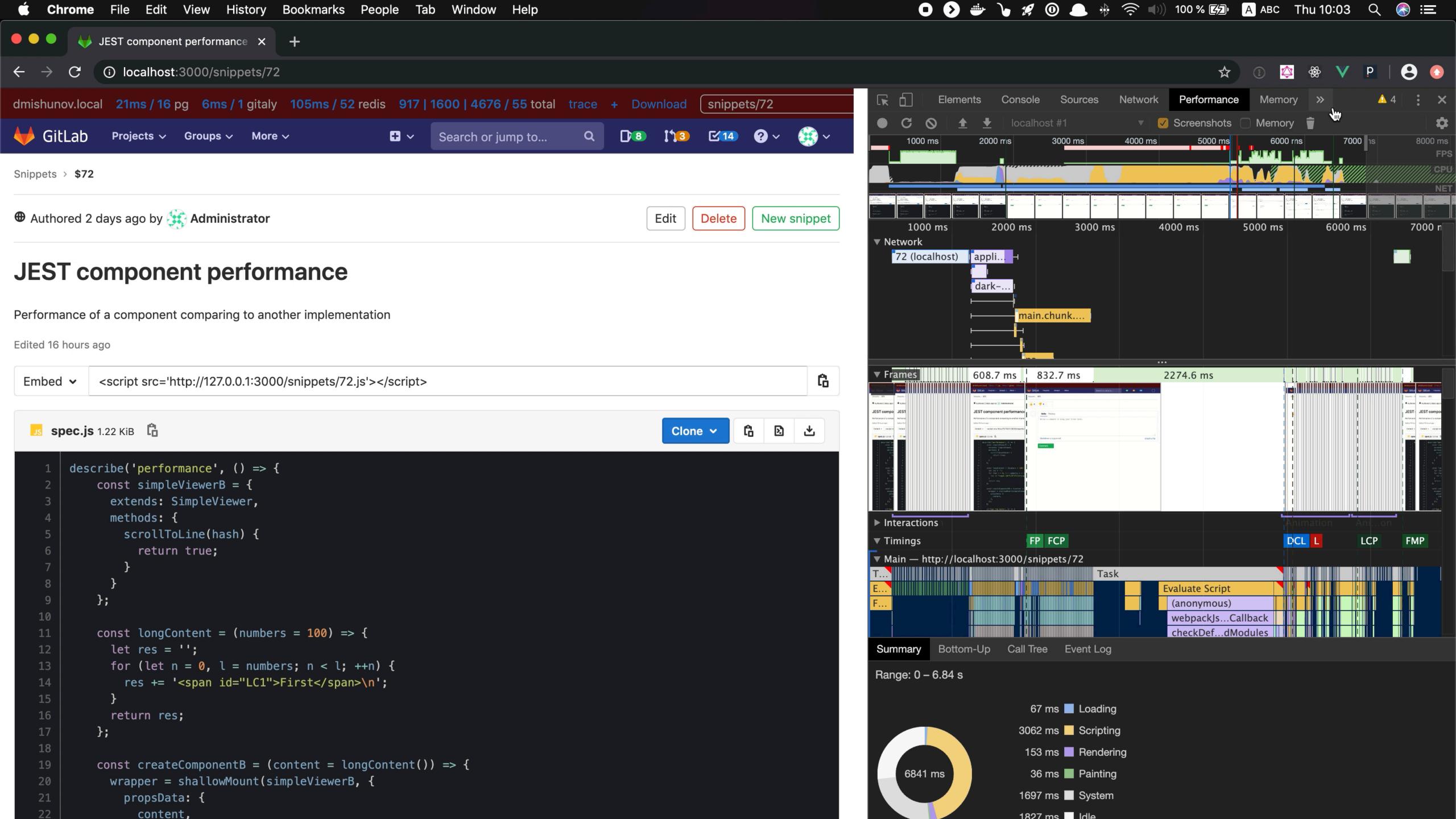
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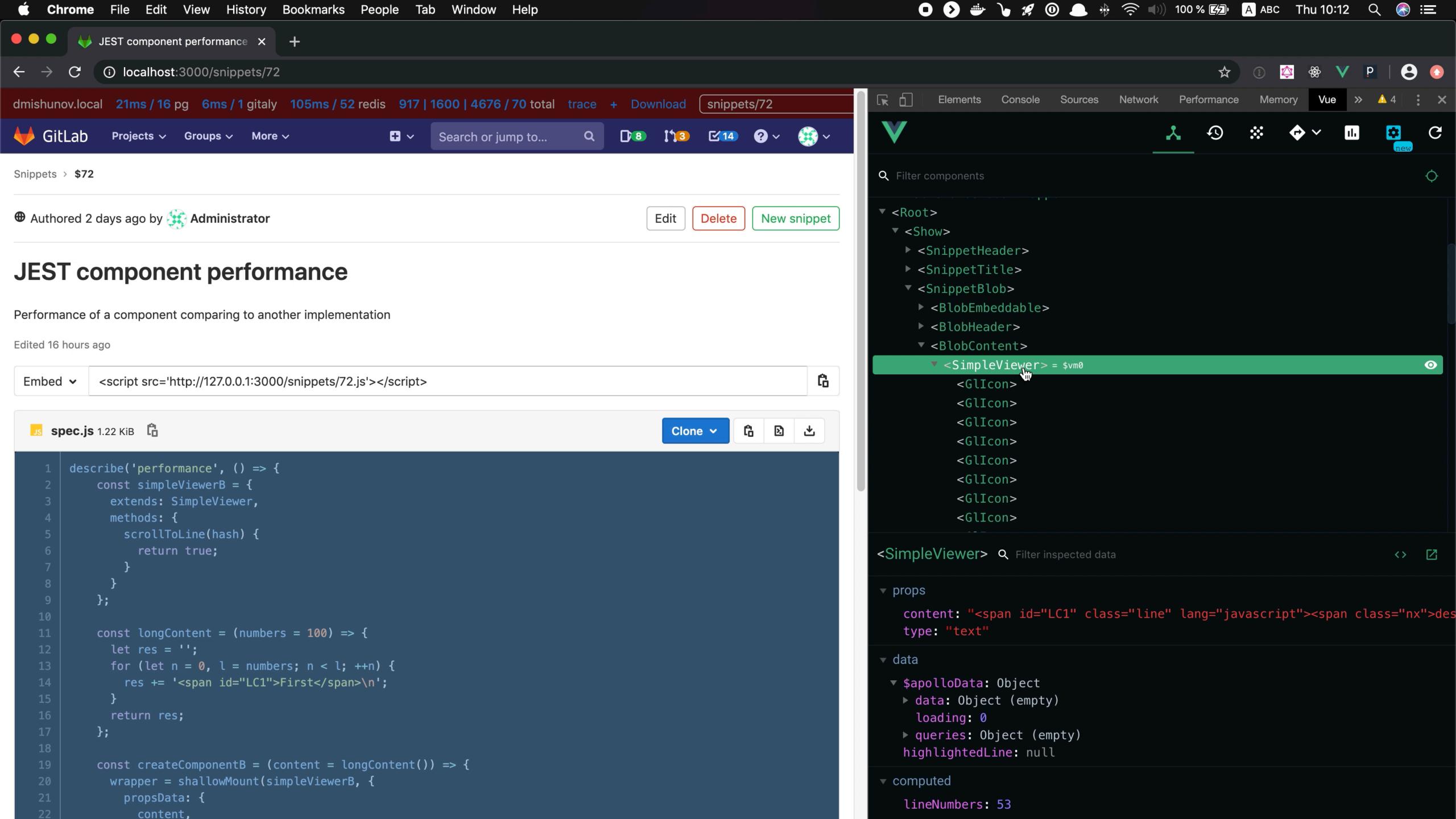
PAGE LOADING USER TIMING API TIME

SHOM ME LOCATION SHOWING SHO

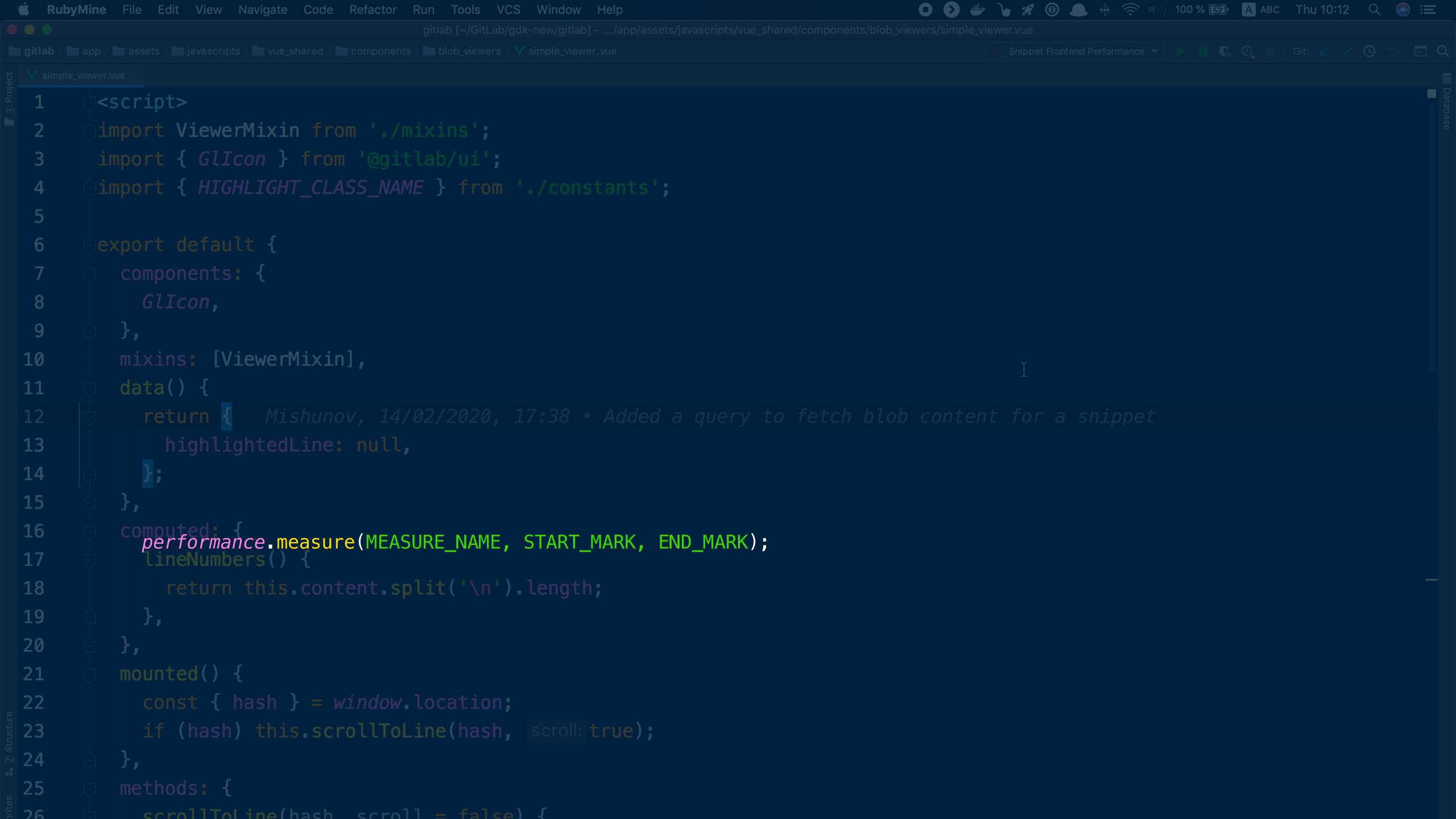
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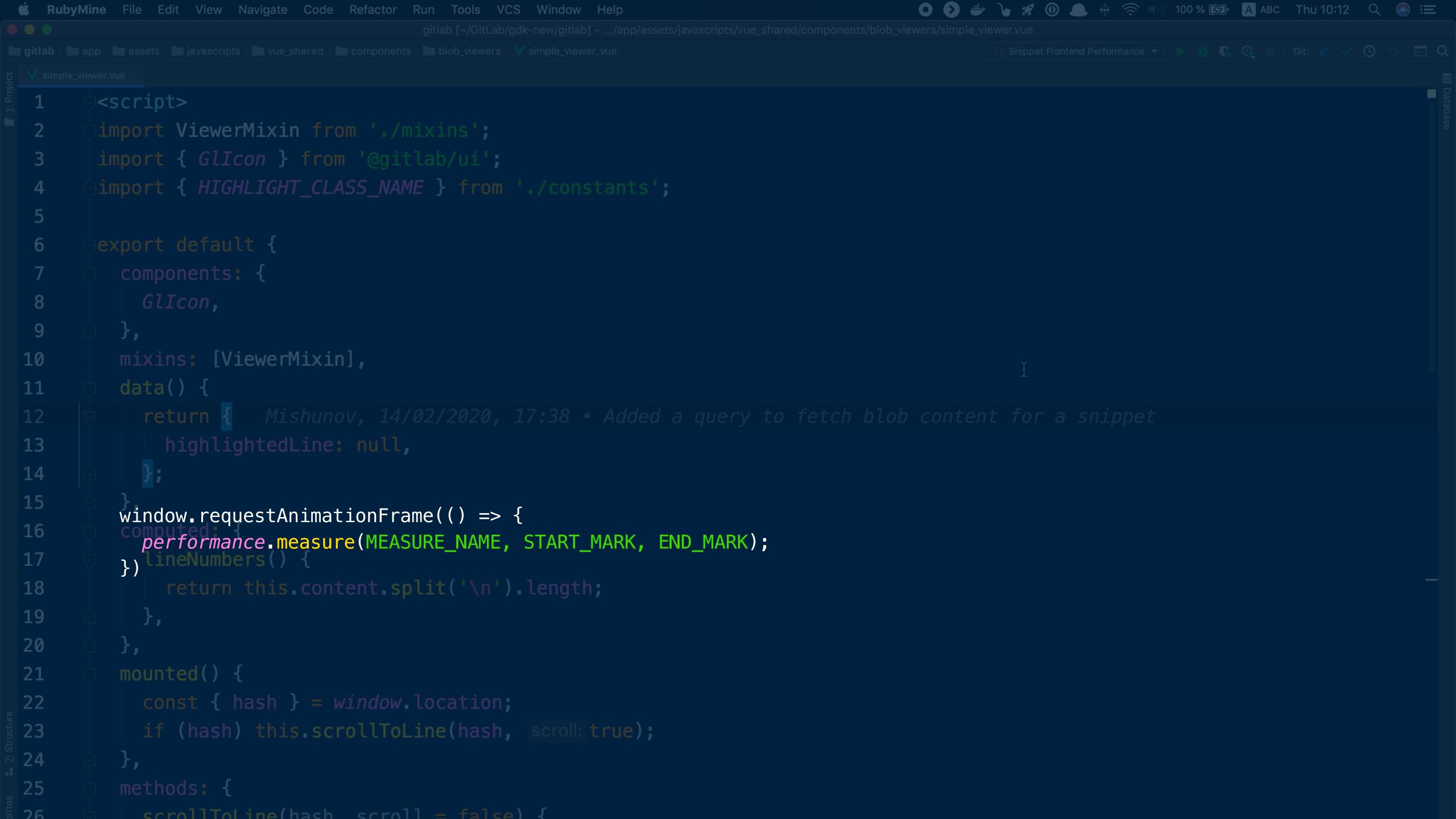




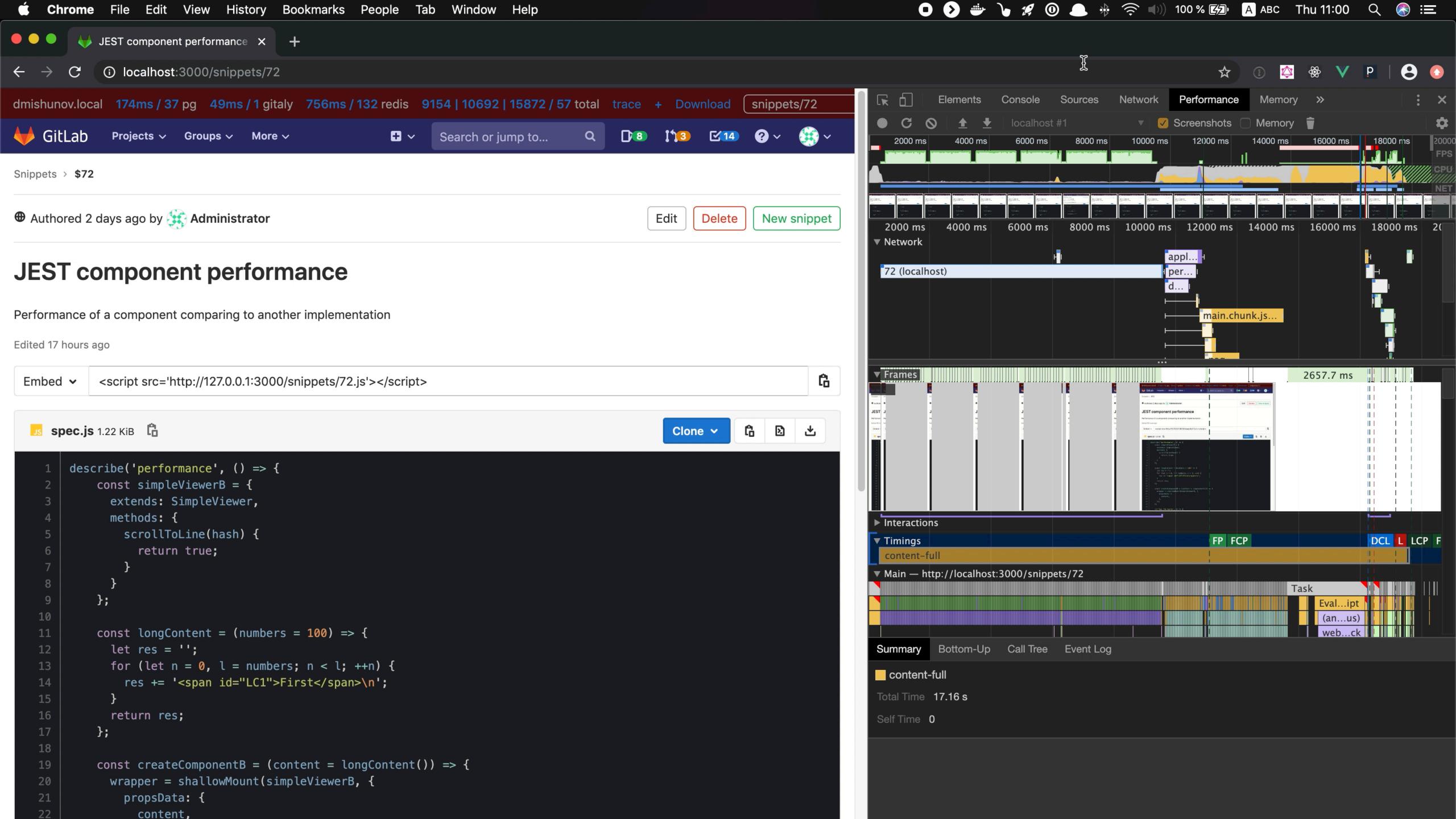


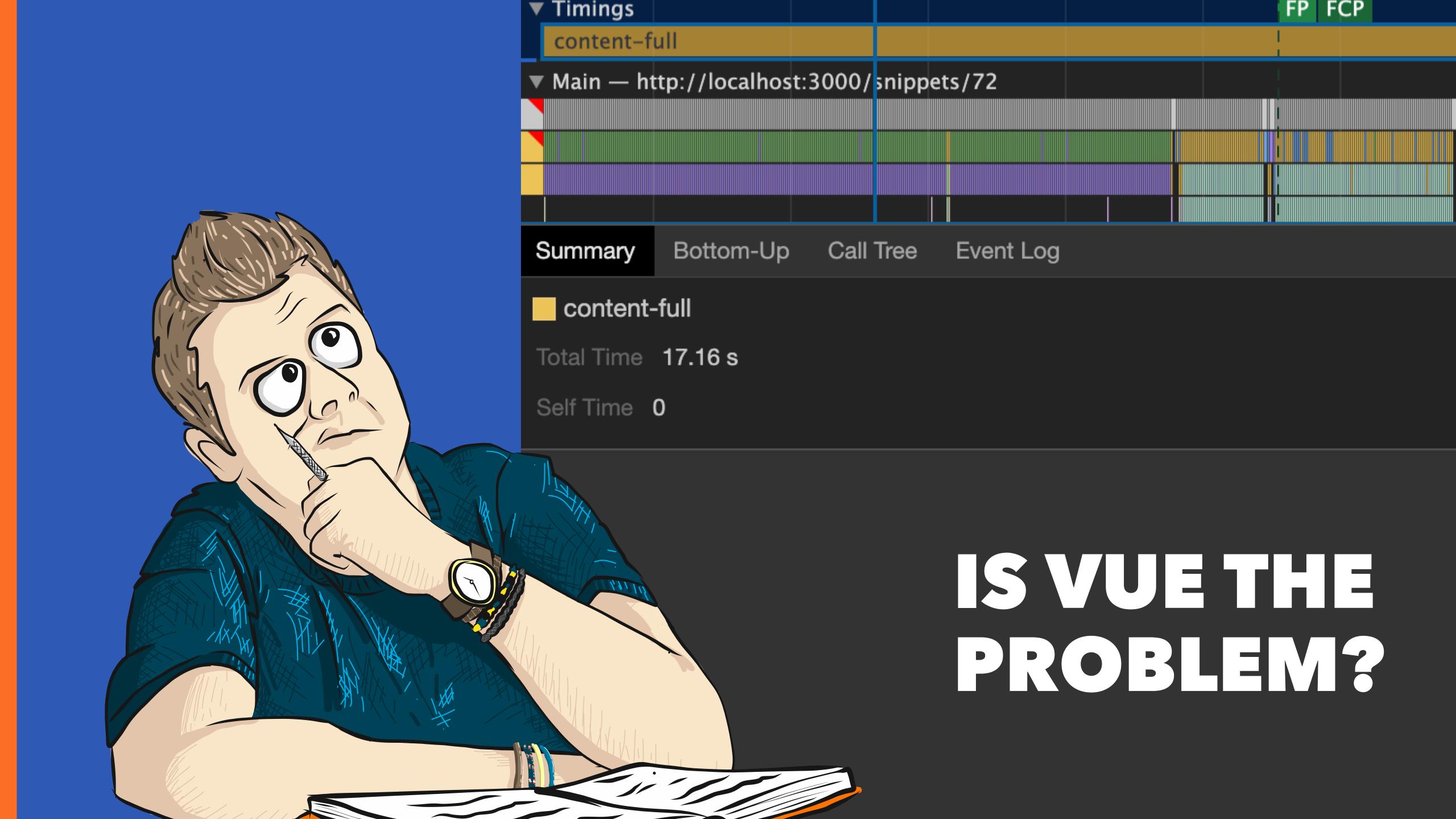
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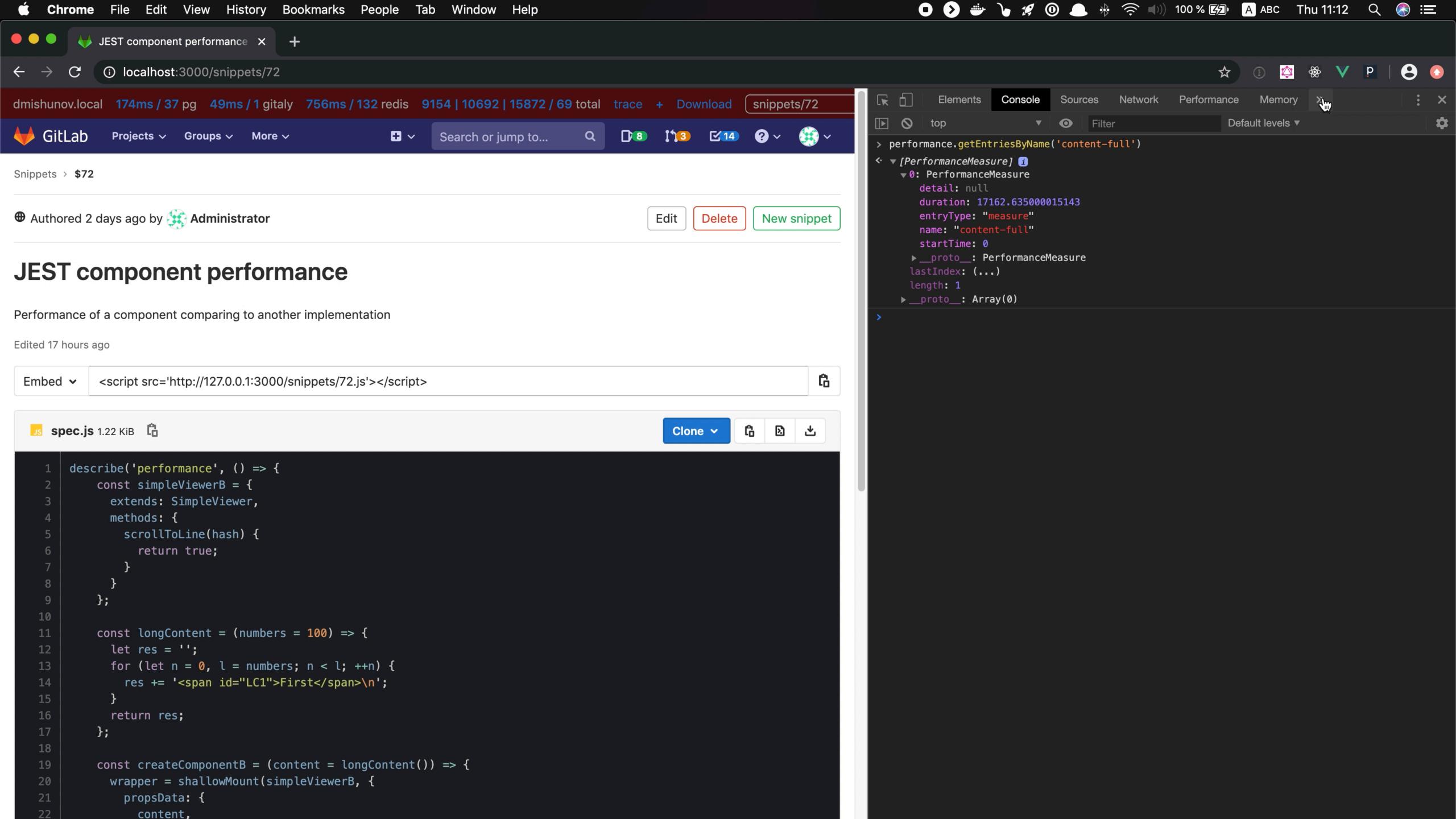




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             performance.measure( measureName: 'content-full');
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           },
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          methods: {
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             scrollToLine(hash, scroll = false) {
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               const lineToHighlight = hash && this.$el.querySelector(hash);
 28
               const currentlyHighlighted = this.highlightedLine;
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               if (lineToHighlight) {
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                 if (currentlyHighlighted) {
                    currentlyHighlighted.classList.remove(HIGHLIGHT_CLASS_NAME);
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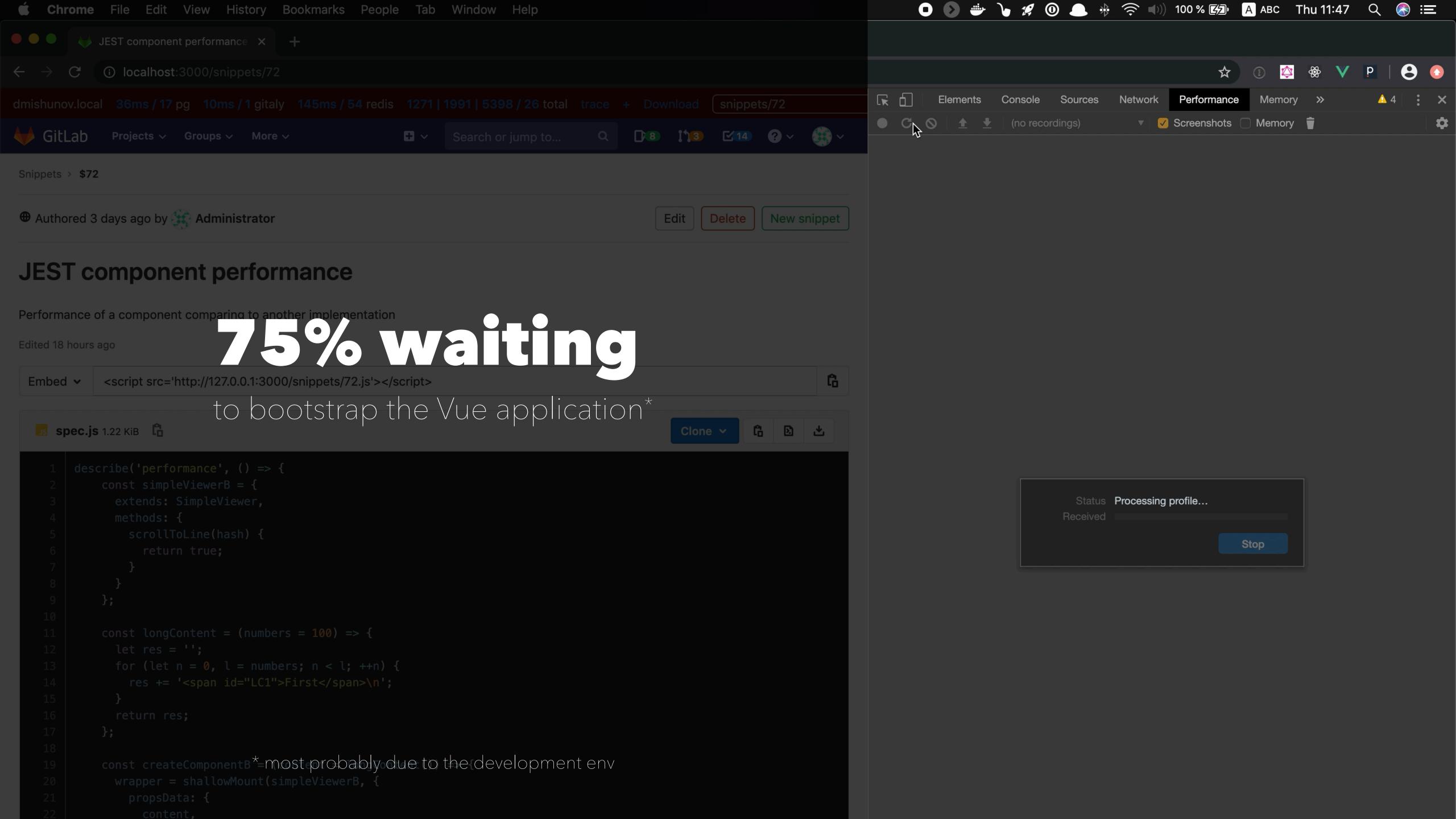






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         import { GlLoadingIcon } from '@gitlab/ui';
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         import { getSnippetMixin } from '../mixins/snippets';
  8
         export default {
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            components: {
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           },
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USER TIMING API

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USER TIMING API

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CROSS-COMPONENT

Marks can be placed and measured anywhere on the page

NOT VUE-SPECIFIC

Can be added to any JS

DEVTOOLS ARE NOT SCALABLE

Common sense



MEASURE • MONITOR • OPTIMISE

Page Loading Time
User Timing API

2. MONITOR

ANALYTICS

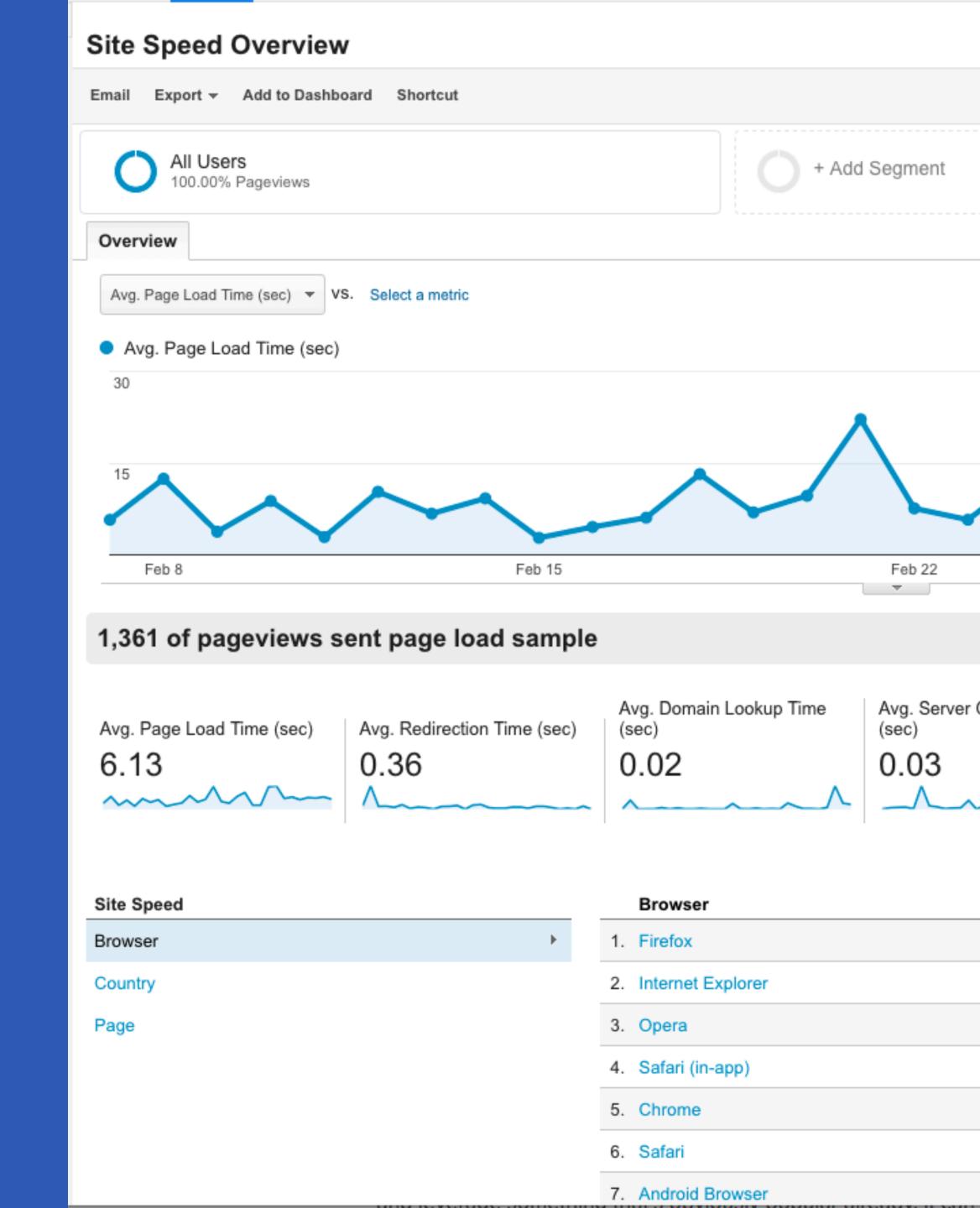
PERFORMANCE

ANALYTICS TOOLS

Google Analytics

Snowplow

etc.



PERFORMANCE TOOLS

Webpagetest

Pingdom

sitespeed.io

SpeedCurve

etc.

TEST HISTORY DOCUMENTATION

Web Page Performance Test for

https://gitlab.com/snippets/1941460

From: Amsterdam, NL - MeasureWorks - Chrome - 3GFast



Enabled





static

use of CDN

Need help improving?

Performance Review Tester: wpt-ubuntu-s-2vcpu-4gb-ams3-01-206.189.108.106 **First View only**

Content Breakdown Domains Processing Breakdown Screenshot

Raw page data - Raw object data Export HTTP Archive (.har) View Test Log

Performance Results (Median Run - SpeedIndex)

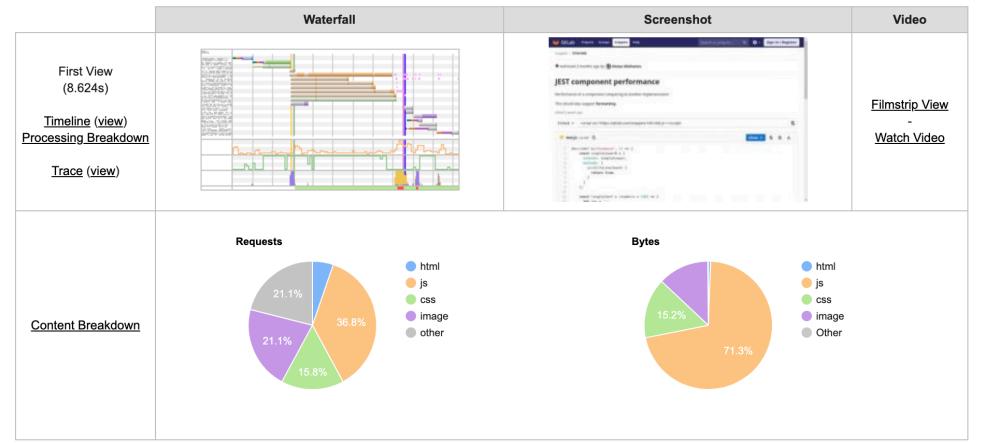
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Plot Full Results

Test Results

Run 1:

Test runs: 3



Run 2:



Run 3:



ANALYTICS

PERFORMANCE

SNOWPLOW

SITESPEED.IO

MONITOR SNOWPLOW

https://docs.gitlab.com/ee/telemetry/index.html

- Clicking links or buttons.
- Submitting forms.
- Other typically interface-driven actions

MONITOR SNOWPLOW

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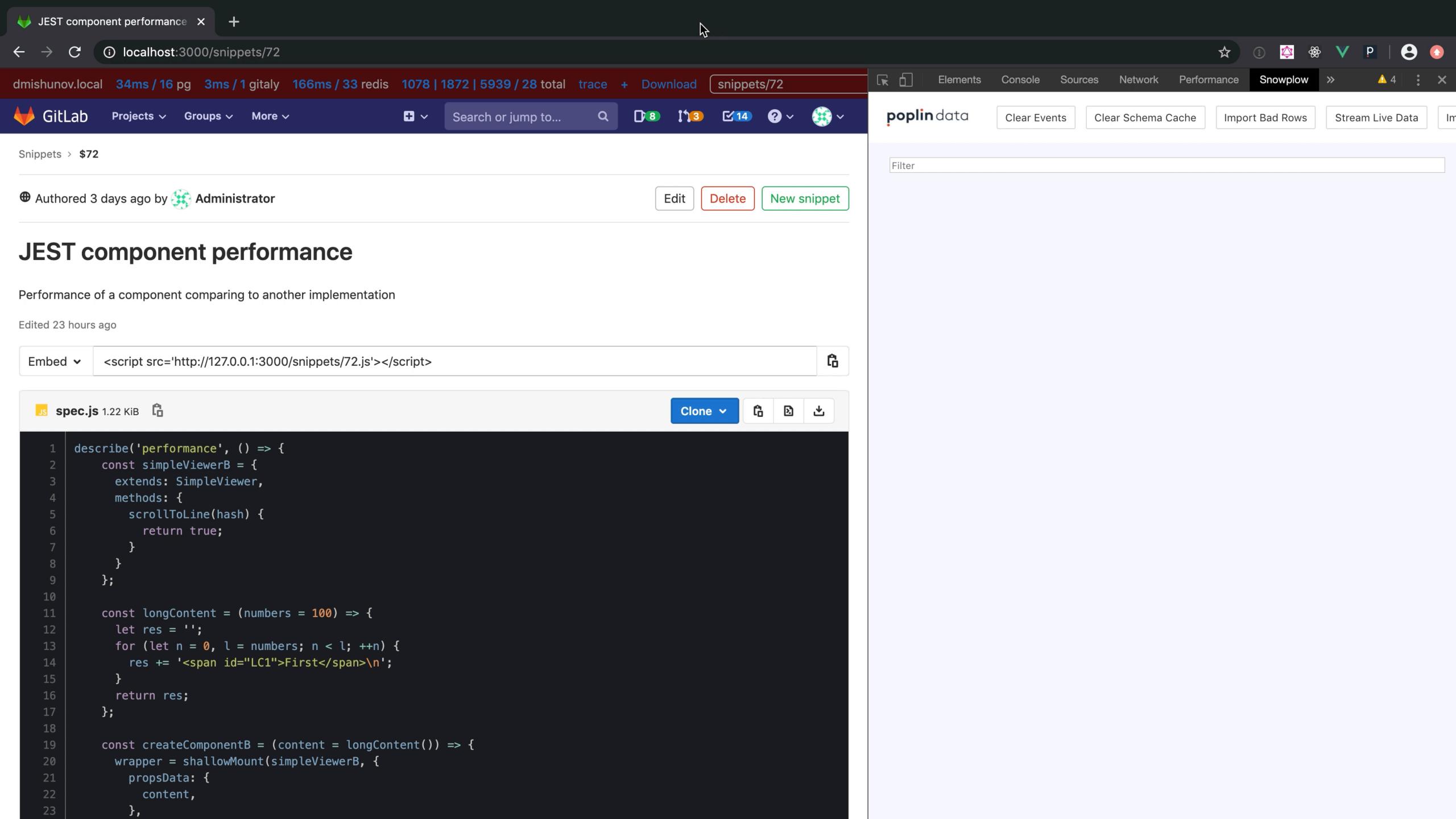
- Event tracking: https://docs.gitlab.com/ee/telemetry/index.html
- Snowplow tracking guide: https://docs.gitlab.com/ee/telemetry/snowplow.html#frontend-tracking
- Enable Snowplow tracking in Admin Area > Settings > Integrations
- Add tracking to your code

PERFORMANCE TOOLS

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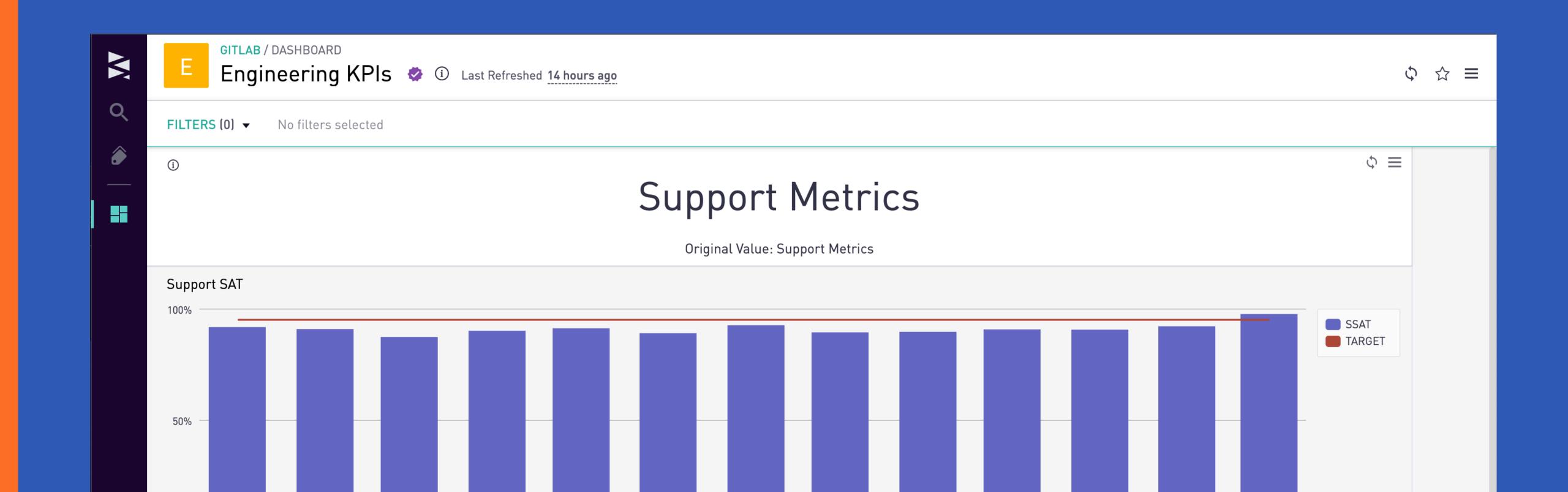
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              performance.measure( measureName: 'content-full');
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MONITOR SNOWPLOW-> SISENSE

(ex-Periscope)



MONITOR SNOWPLOW

PROS:

Monitors exactly what you send to it

CONS:

- Monitors exactly what you send to it
- Metrics won't work with DNT setting
- Requires analytics-specific code

ANALYTICS

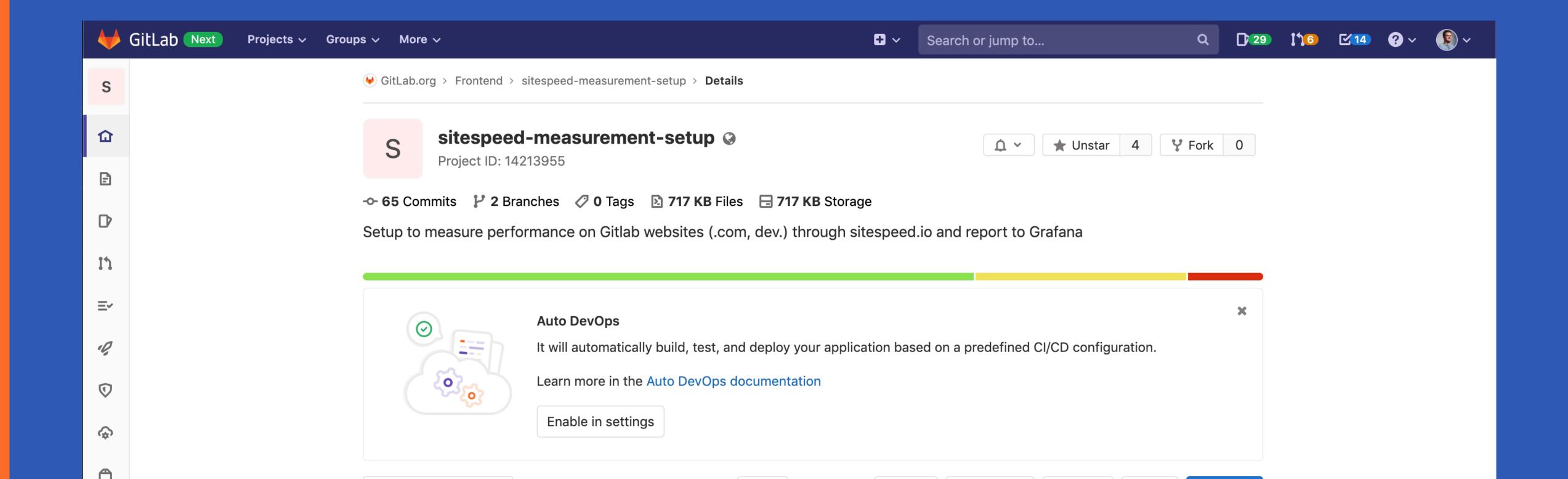
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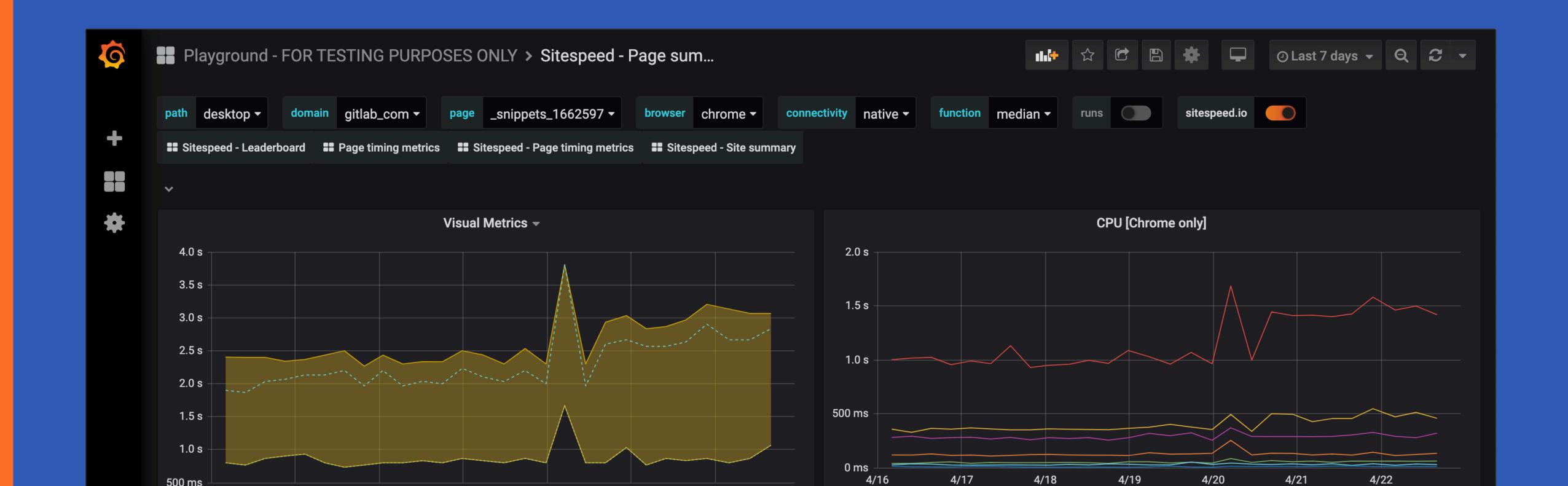
MONITOR SITESPEED

https://gitlab.com/gitlab-org/frontend/sitespeed-measurement-setup



MONITOR SITESPEED -





MONITOR SITESPEED

PROS:

- Dedicated performance tool
- No additional code required

CONS:

 Setting up Docker to run against localhost or local host (defined in /etc/hosts) is a nightmare

MONITOR

ANALYTICS PERFORMANCE

MONITOR

Practical part

```
context 'Frontend Performance' do
  let(:file_name) { 'popen.rb' }
  let(:content) { project.repository.blob_at('master', 'files/ruby/popen.rb').data }
 before do
   stub_feature_flags(snippets_vue: true)
   visit snippet_path(snippet)
   # wait_for_requests
   sleep 5
 end
  it 'starts rendering snippet within 0.5 seconds +-20% percent' do
   expect(page.evaluate_script('window.performance.getEntriesByName("vue-start")[0].startTime/
1000')).to be_within(0.125).of(0.5)
 end
 it 'renders full snippet within 2 seconds +-20% percent' do
   expect(page.evaluate_script('window.performance.getEntriesByName("content-full")[0].duration/
1000')).to be_within(0.5).of(2.0)
 end
```

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Sitespeed Snowplow

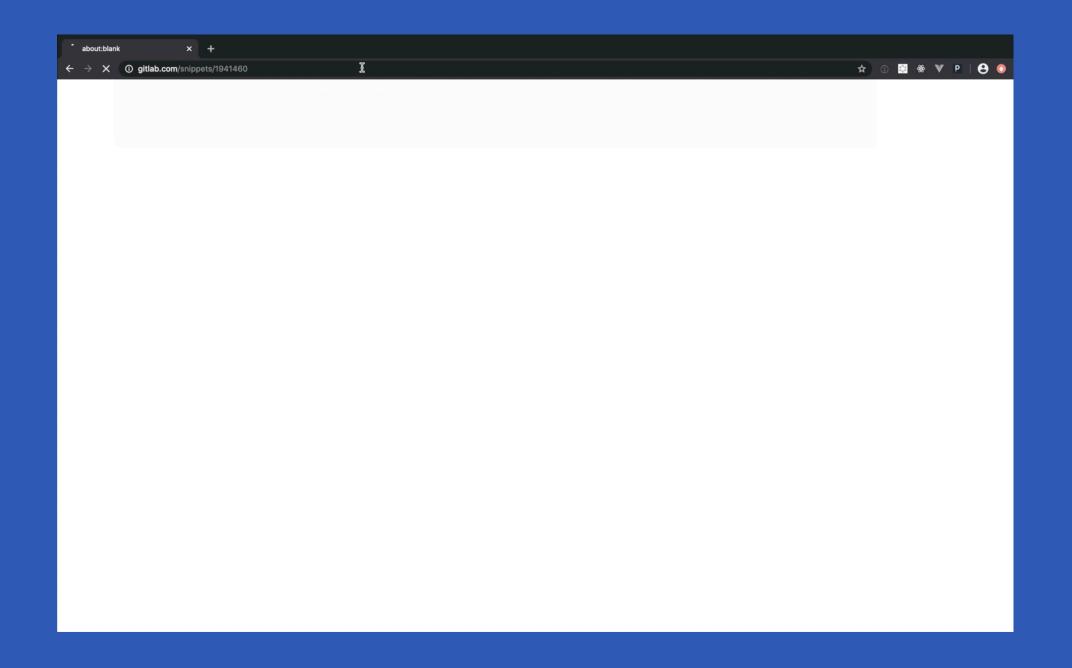
3. OPTIMISE

SITNEEDED?

ISITNEEDED?

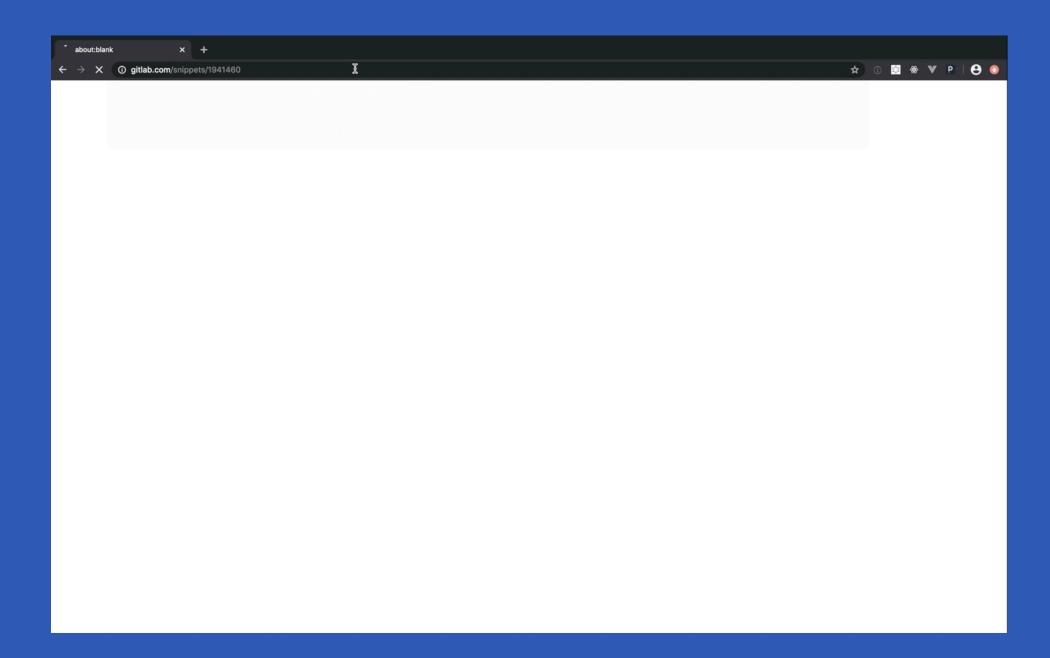
WATCH CLOSELY & GET READY

OPTION #1



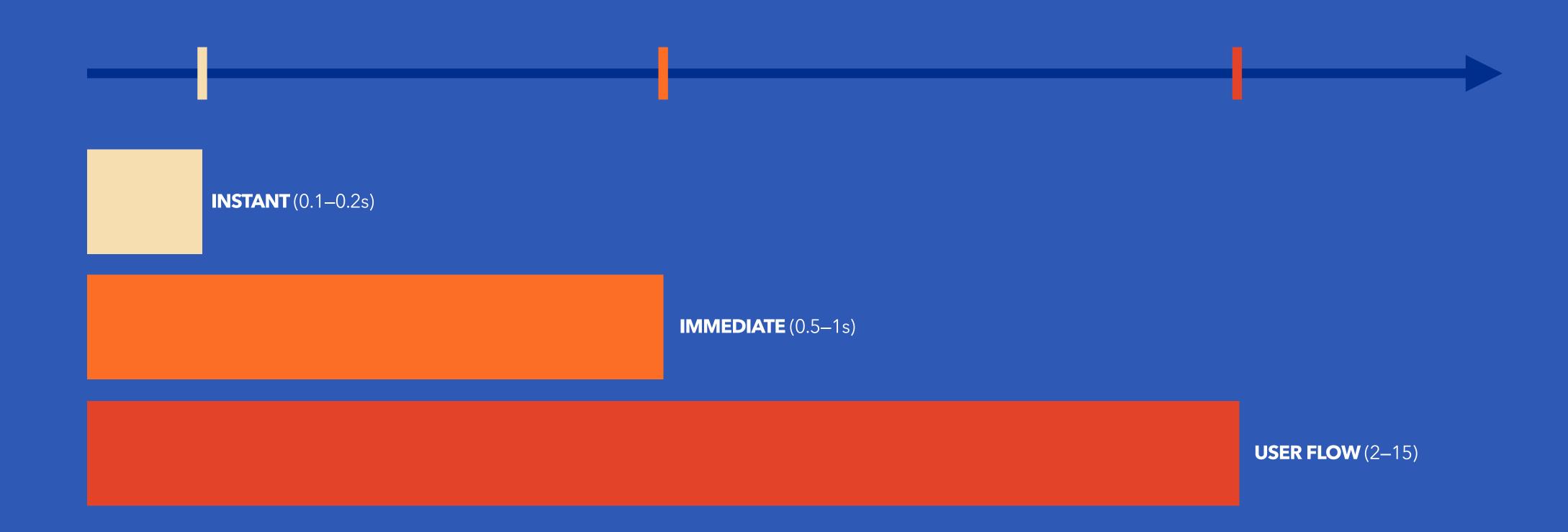
1.6 SECONDS

OPTION #2



2.0 SECONDS

1. PERFORMANCE BUDGET

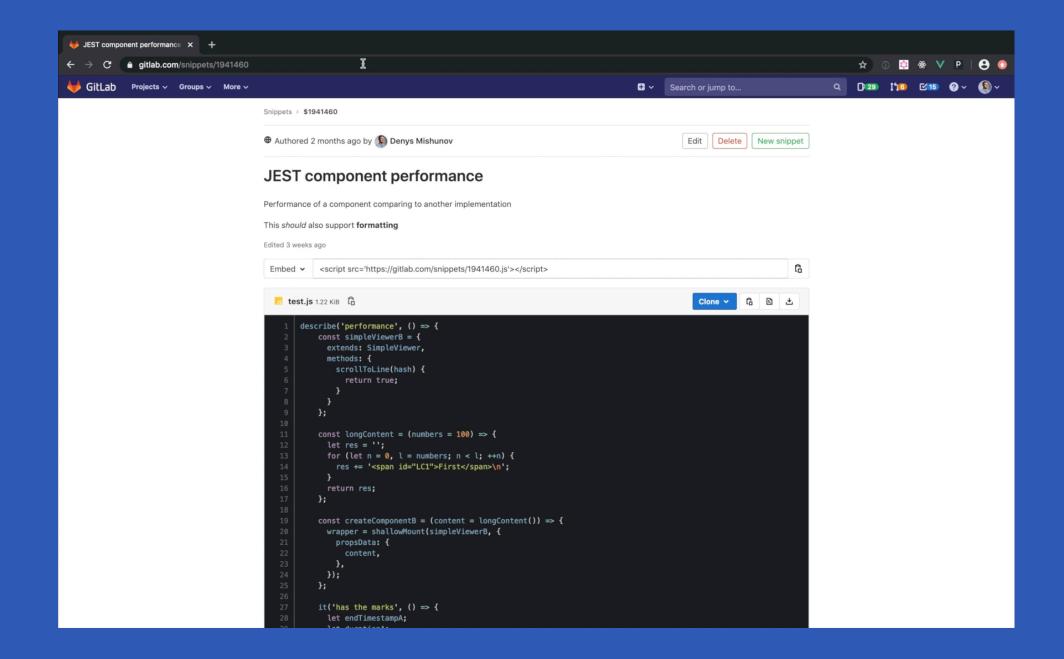


2. THE NEED

OPTIMISE TO IMPROVE BAD METRICS



OPTION #1



1.6 SECONDS

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   scrollToLine(hash) {
     return true;
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                                                          let endTimestampA;
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2.0 SECONDS

OPTION #2



1.6 SECONDS 2.0 SECONDS

WEBER-FECHNER LAW

JUST NOTICEABLE DIFFERENCE (JND)



EVENT

WEBER-FECHNER LAW

JUST NOTICEABLE DIFFERENCE (JND)



EVENT

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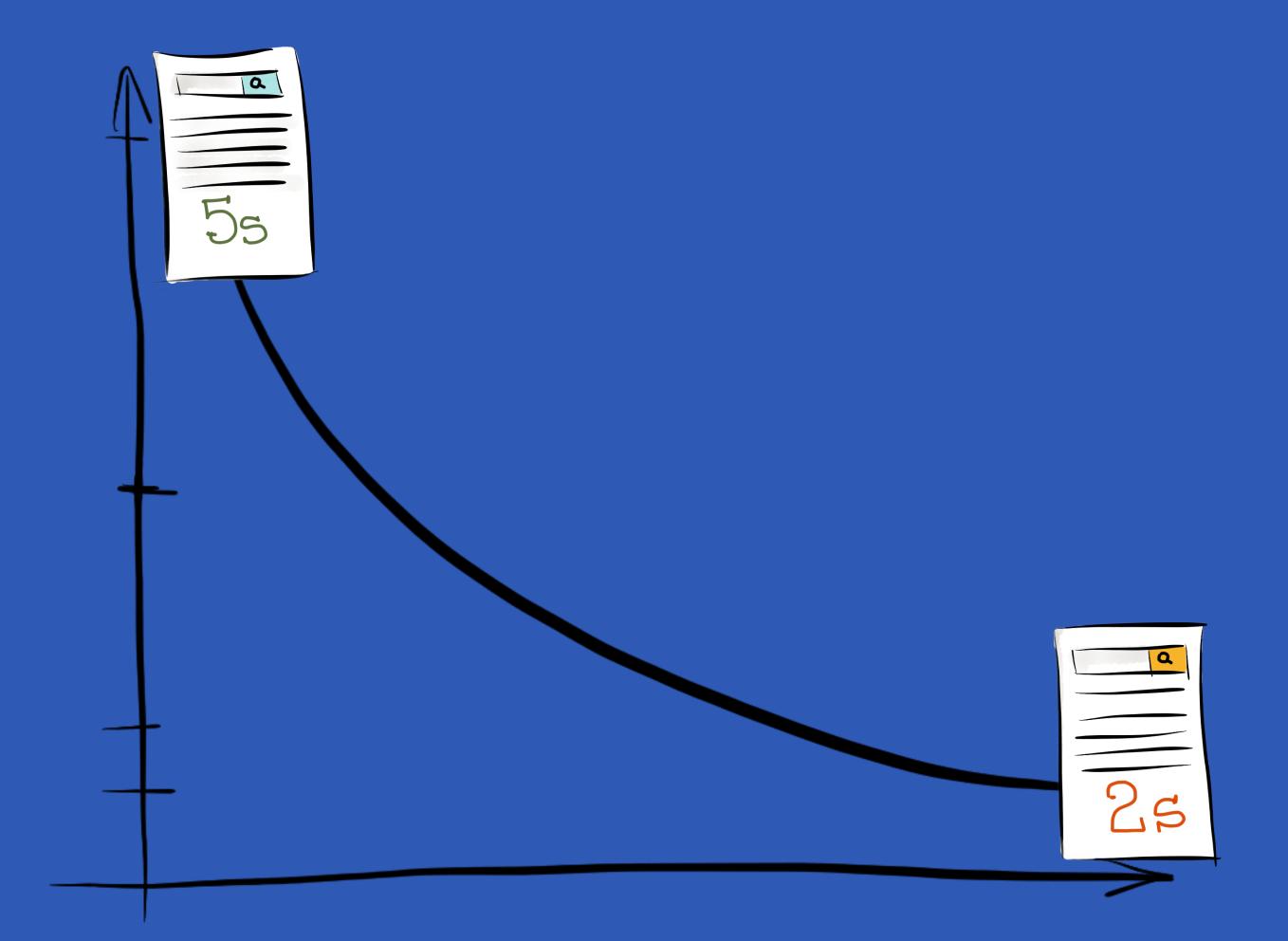
NOTICEABLE DIFFERENCE



OPTIMISE TO SURVIVE COMPETITION













ISIT NEEDED?

- 1. PERFORMANCE BUDGET
- 2, THENEED
- 3. CHASING THE LEADER



#thanks

TIME SPENT EDUCATING ME DURING THE COFFEE-CHATS VALUABLE COMMENTS AND HELP

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