



PyOtherSide: asynchronous Python/Qt 5 bindings

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Overview

- created by **Thomas Perl**
- lightweight Python bindings for QtQuick 2.0
- small compiled size (~150 kB), fast startup
- can be fully asynchronous
 - callbacks or message passing
- synchronous calls also supported
- image provider support

Get it & install it

- you need git, qmlscene and devel packages for Python 3 and Qt 5 declarative

```
git clone https://github.com/thp/pyotherside
```

```
cd pyotherside
```

```
qmake
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make
```

```
make install
```

- check the *examples* folder

```
cd examples
```

```
qmlscene helloworld.qml
```

Known to work on

- desktop Linux
 - tarballs available, packagers wanted :)
- available from default repos on Sailfish OS
 - package name: *pyotherside-qml-plugin-python3-qt5*
 - PyOtherSide using apps can be submitted to main application store
- BlackBerry 10
 - <http://pyotherside.readthedocs.org/en/latest/#building-for-blackberry-10>
- Ubuntu Touch (?)
 - <https://lists.launchpad.net/ubuntu-phone/msg04709.html>

Resources

- source

<https://github.com/thp/pyotherside>

- docs

<http://pyotherside.readthedocs.org/>

- project website

<https://thp.io/2011/pyotherside/>

- a Sailfish OS RPM of the modRana navigation system (WiP, using PyOtherSide):

<http://www.modrana.org/devconf2014/harbour-modrana-0.44.3-1.1.1.armv7hl.rpm>