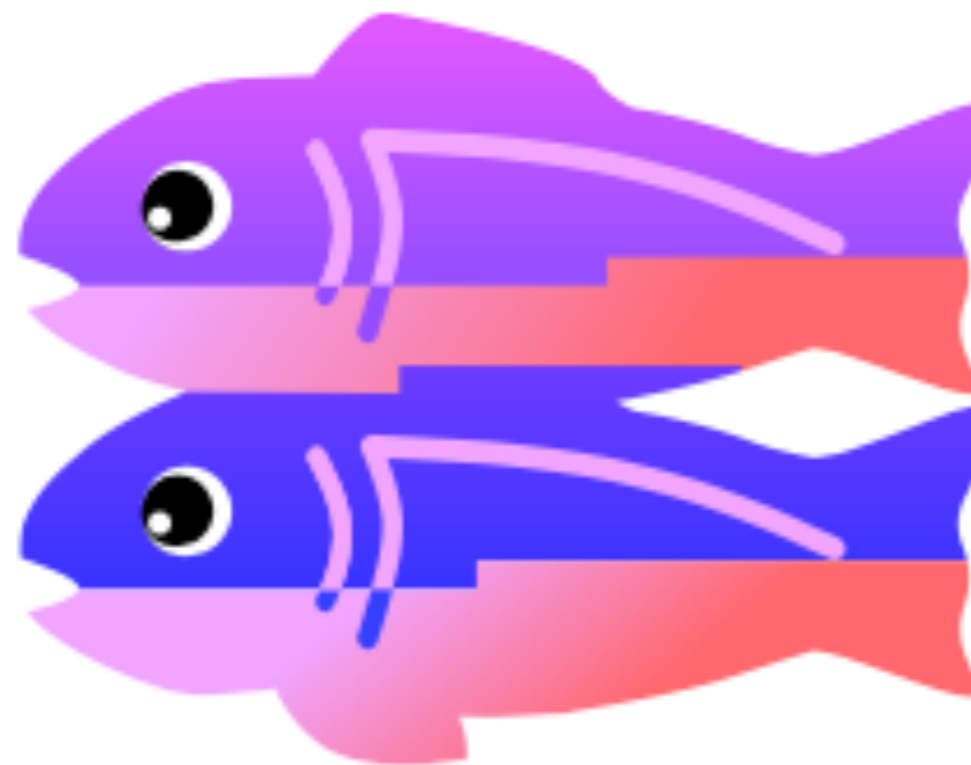


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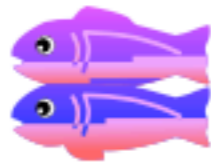
What is Glitch?

“Everybody has good ideas of things we want to make on the Internet. But honestly, it’s gotten too hard. Gomix fixes that.”

If you’re not a professional developer, the barriers are way too high. There are pretty good tools if you just want to make a marketing website or a blog, but if your idea is an app or a bot or something more interactive, you’re out of luck. It ought to be as easy to make an app as it is to edit a blog post or to change a formula in a spreadsheet.”



Anil Dash, December 6, 2016



<https://glitch.com/about/>

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 How it works in 2 minutes

Featured Apps



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Glitch Team



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Trigger multiple applets at once

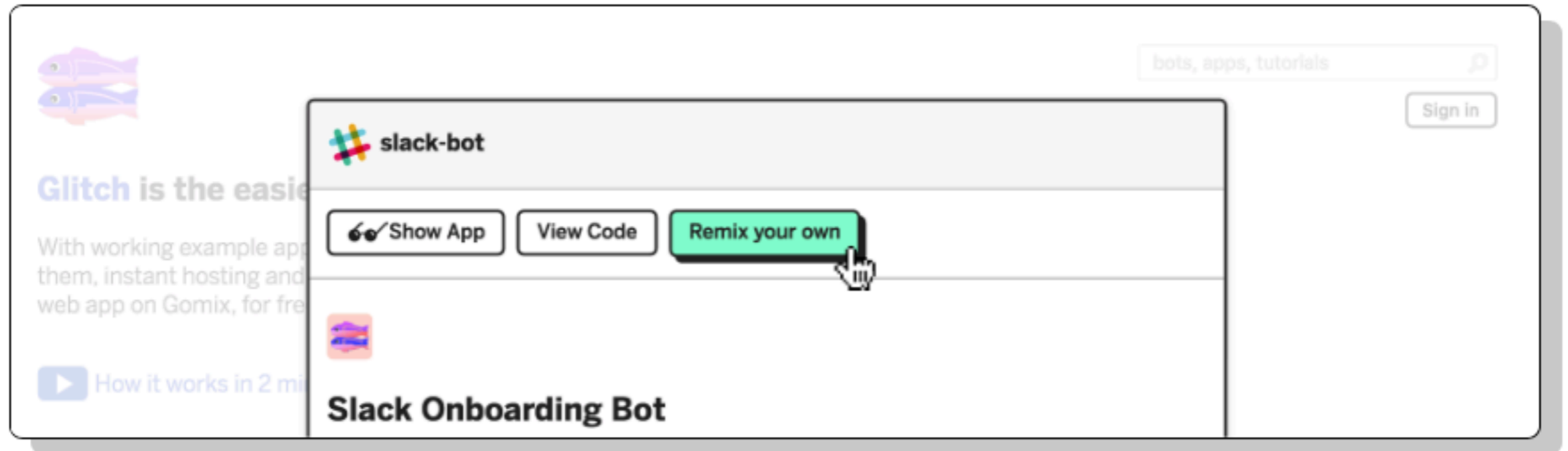


Make a Messenger bot in minutes



Start your own blog

Start by remixing



You never have to start from a blank slate. Remix a full, working app to personalize it for your needs, or build on the most popular and powerful developer frameworks to create your app.

Real collaboration



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57 ~    </li>
58 ~    <a class="page-scroll" href="#portfolio">Wotsits</a>
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68 ~ </nav>
69 ~
70 ~ <header>
71 ~   <div class="header-content">
72 ~     <div class="header-content-inner">
73 ~       <h1 id="homeHeading">Amazing Thingies and Wotsits</h1>
74 ~       <hr>
75 ~       <p>We've scoured the world to source you only the best artisanal thingies and wotsits</p>
76 ~       <a href="#about" class="btn btn-primary btn-xl page-scroll">Find Out More</a>
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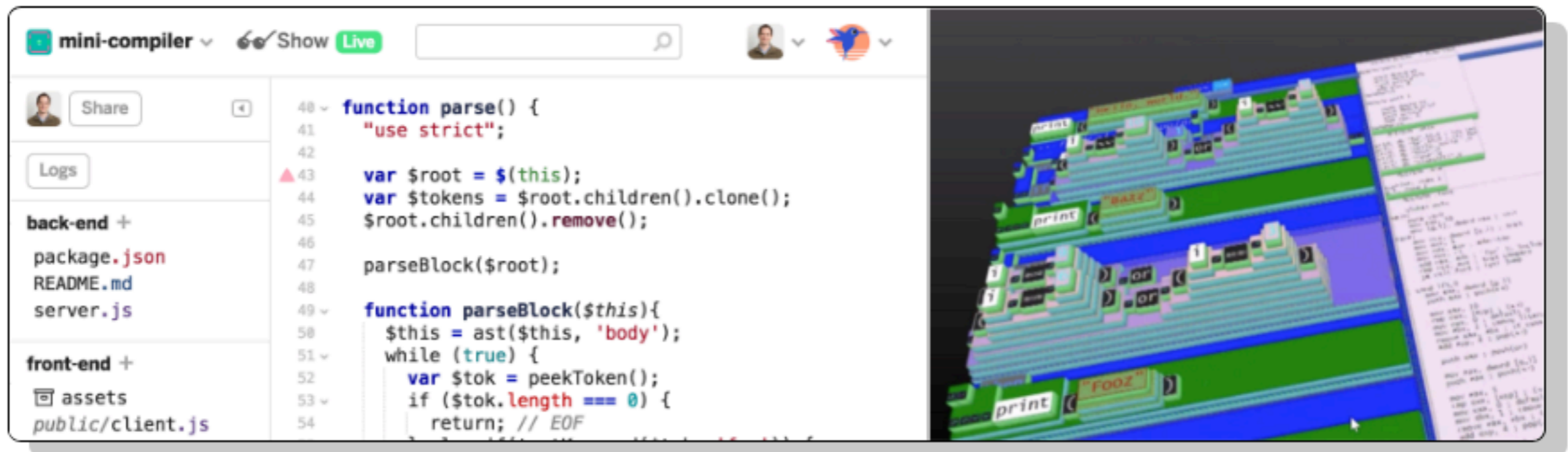
There's no need for complicated version control — the built-in editor lets you, and anybody else you invite, edit code all at once and undo mistakes as they happen. It's a lot like working together in Google Docs.

Glitch is for *everyone*



Too many coding tools put up big barriers to your creativity by requiring tons of setup, having lots of confusing and complicated features, or by letting jerks run rampant in the community. With Glitch, we're rolling out the red carpet to welcome creators just like you.

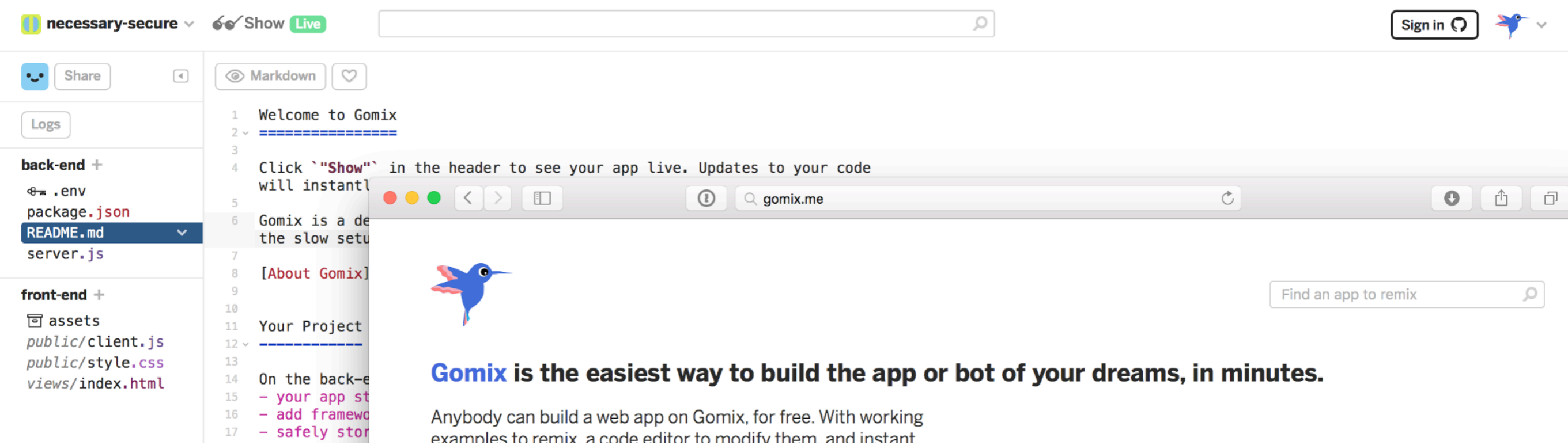
It's fun, but it's not a toy



Glitch isn't a "dumbed down" version of a real developer environment — your Glitch app runs on the exact same cloud infrastructure and Node.js engine that the best developers use to run their apps. We've just made it easier for you to get started.

While you work with Glitch, we seamlessly upgrade your servers in the background. There's no deployment or server provisioning - it all happens automatically.

Glitch handles the mess



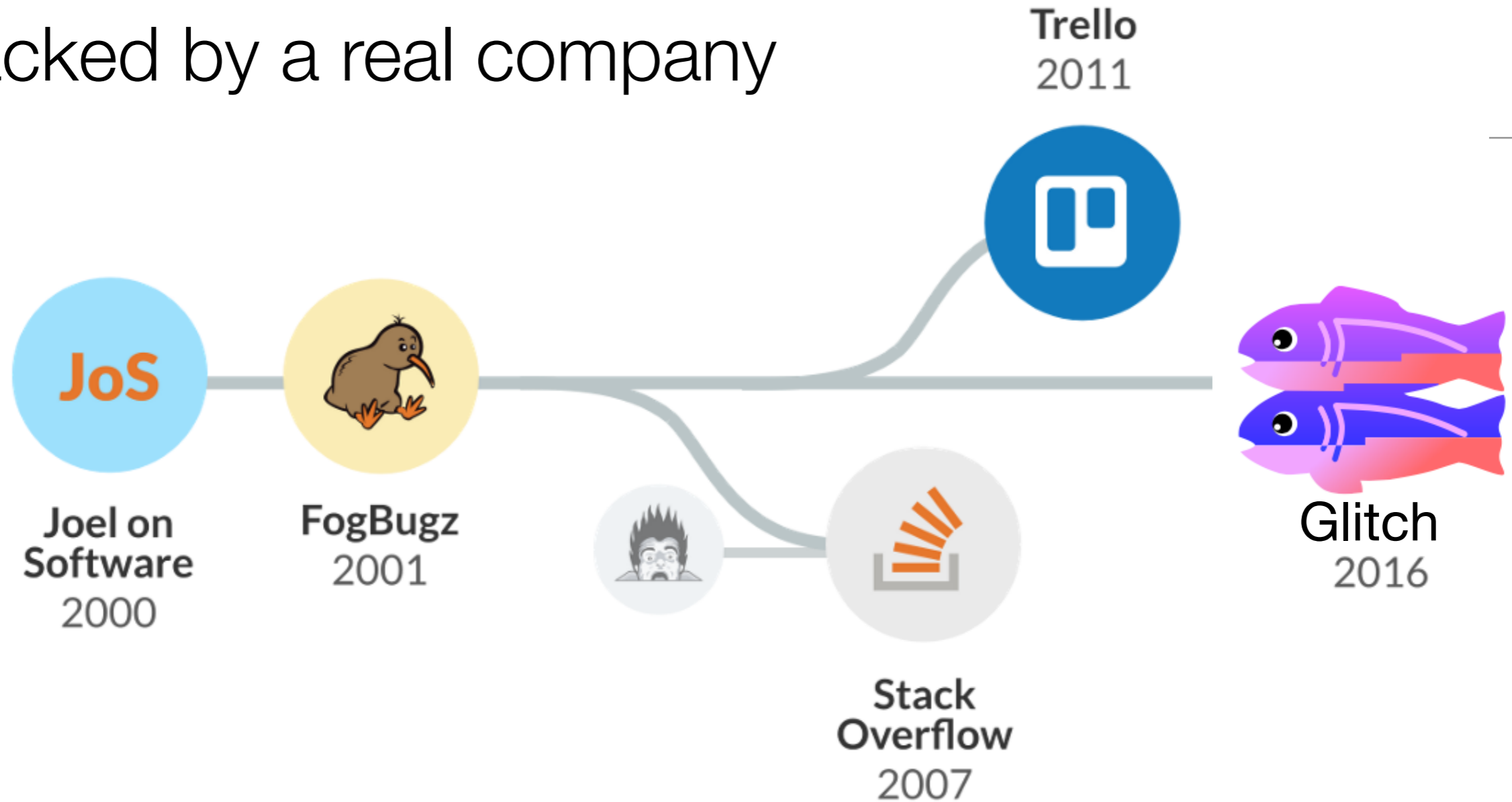
The screenshot displays the Glitch IDE interface. At the top, there's a header with the user name 'necessary-secure', a 'Show Live' button, and a search bar. Below the header, there's a 'Share' button and a 'Markdown' toggle. The main area is divided into three sections: a file explorer on the left, a code editor in the center, and a live preview window on the right. The file explorer shows a 'back-end' folder with files like '.env', 'package.json', 'README.md', and 'server.js', and a 'front-end' folder with 'assets', 'public/client.js', 'public/style.css', and 'views/index.html'. The code editor shows a README file with the following content:

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1 Welcome to Gomix
2 =====
3
4 Click "Show" in the header to see your app live. Updates to your code
5 will instantly update the app.
6
7 Gomix is a developer tool that makes it so easy to build web apps that
8 the slow setup of a traditional development environment is a thing of the
9 past.
10
11 [About Gomix]
12
13 Your Project
14 =====
15
16 On the back-end:
17 - your app starts automatically
18 - add frameworks like Express, React, or Vue
19 - safely store your data in a database
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The live preview window shows the 'gomix.me' website. It features the Gomix logo (a blue bird) and the text: 'Gomix is the easiest way to build the app or bot of your dreams, in minutes.' Below this, it says: 'Anybody can build a web app on Gomix, for free. With working examples to remix, a code editor to modify them, and instant updates to your code.' There is also a search bar with the text 'Find an app to remix'.

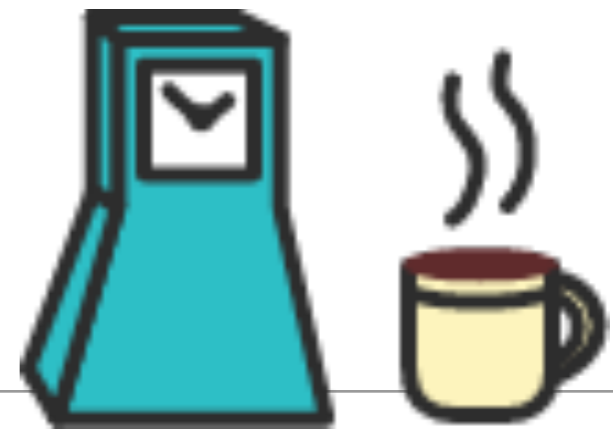
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Backed by a real company



- Glitch is made by Fog Creek, one of the most influential small tech companies in the world.
- They made Trello, FogBugz and co-created Stack Overflow.

Why did they make it



In some ways, Glitch is a throwback to an older era of software or the internet, when there were simpler ways to get started making cool stuff.

For people who were around at that time, they'll understand Glitch easily: It brings "View Source" back.

The ability to just look at the code behind something, and tweak it, and make your own thing, was essential to making the Internet fun, and weird, and diverse, in its early days.