### **ELFUTILS - libraries**

- libelf
  - Unix "standard" library, following ELF spec.
    - Coordination with others (mainly Solaris)
- libdw
  - dwarf\_\* Low-level DWARF reader
  - dwfl\_\* High-level process (or kernel) "layout"
  - dwelf\_\* Utility functions
- libasm
  - Mostly abandoned, does x86 and bpf only

#### **ELFUTILS - tools**

- binutils "replacements"
  - eu-addr2line, eu-ar, eu-nm, eu-ranlib, eu-size,
     eu-objdump, eu-readelf, eu-strip, etc.
- elfutils extensions
  - eu-stack, eu-elfcompress, eu-elflint, eu-elfcmp, eu-unstrip
- debuginfod, client library and server
  - New in 0.178, extended and improved in 0.179

# valgrind

- A framework for heavyweight Dynamic Binary Instumentation
- Whole program instrumentation (feels magic)
  - i686, x86\_64, s390x, arm[64], ppc[64][le], mips
- Mainly used for memcheck, undefined memory usage, invalid memory accesses and leaks.
  - cachegrind, calgrind, massif, helgrind/drd, dhat

## **Valgrind - 3.16.0**

- Not released yet. Should have been...
  - About 7 active maintainers
- More dynamic –help-dyn-options
  - (gdb) monitor v.clo –trace-children=yes
  - #include <valgrind/valgrind.h> VALGRIND\_CLO\_CHANGE("--trace-signals");
- Various new syscalls (including 20 32bit time64)
- s390x -z14 miscellaneous instructions

## **Valgrind - 3.16.0**

- Various gcc10 "fixes"
  - Mostly is test programs
  - Make various instruction emulations more accurate because gcc became "too smart".
  - Extreme case "grail"

```
int result;
bool ok = compute (&result);
if (ok && result == 42) { ... }
```

^ compiler might swap these!