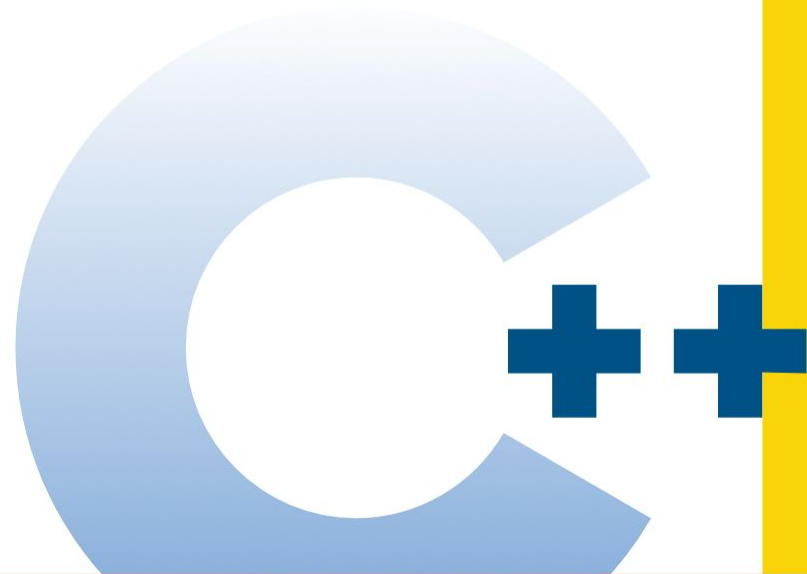




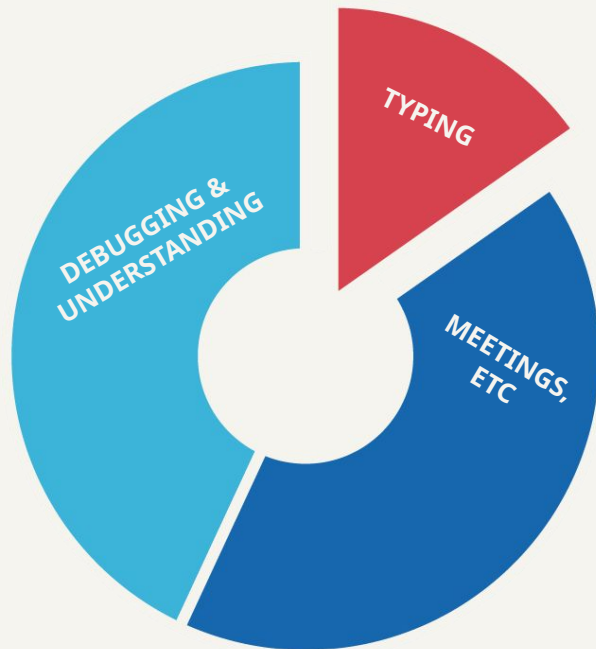
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Agentic Time-Travel

Debugging



Just
15%
of time spent
typing in the code



THE #1 PROGRAMMER EXCUSE
FOR LEGITIMATELY SLACKING OFF:

"MY ^{debug} build's COMPILING."



Fantasy

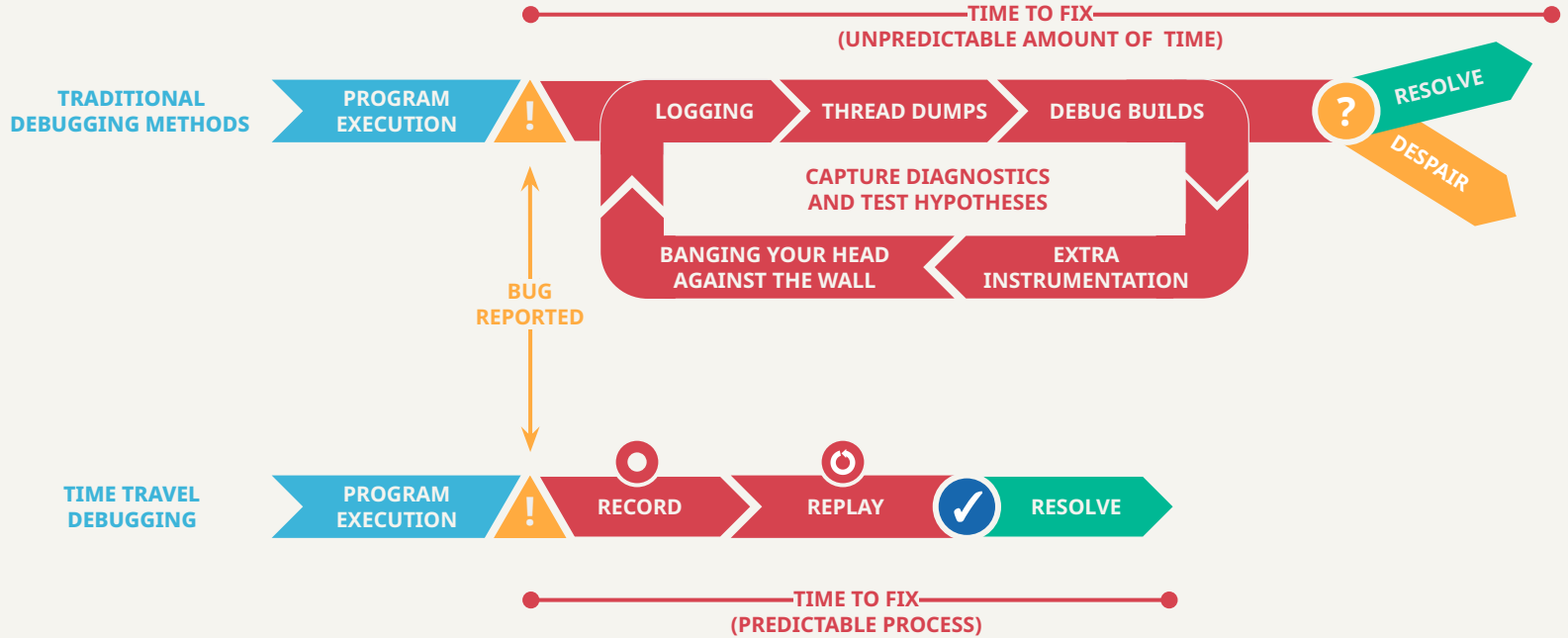
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STEP BY STEP DEBUGGING



Reality

Why is debugging hard?



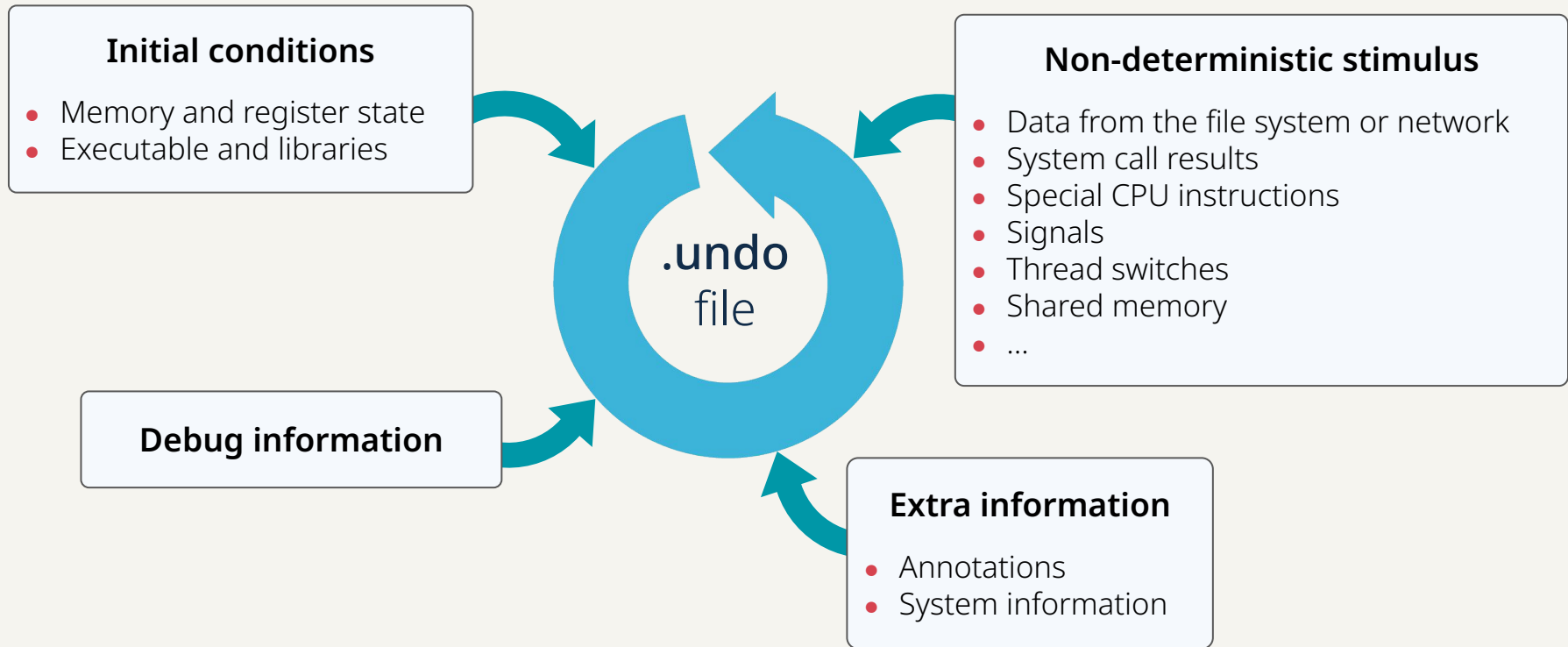
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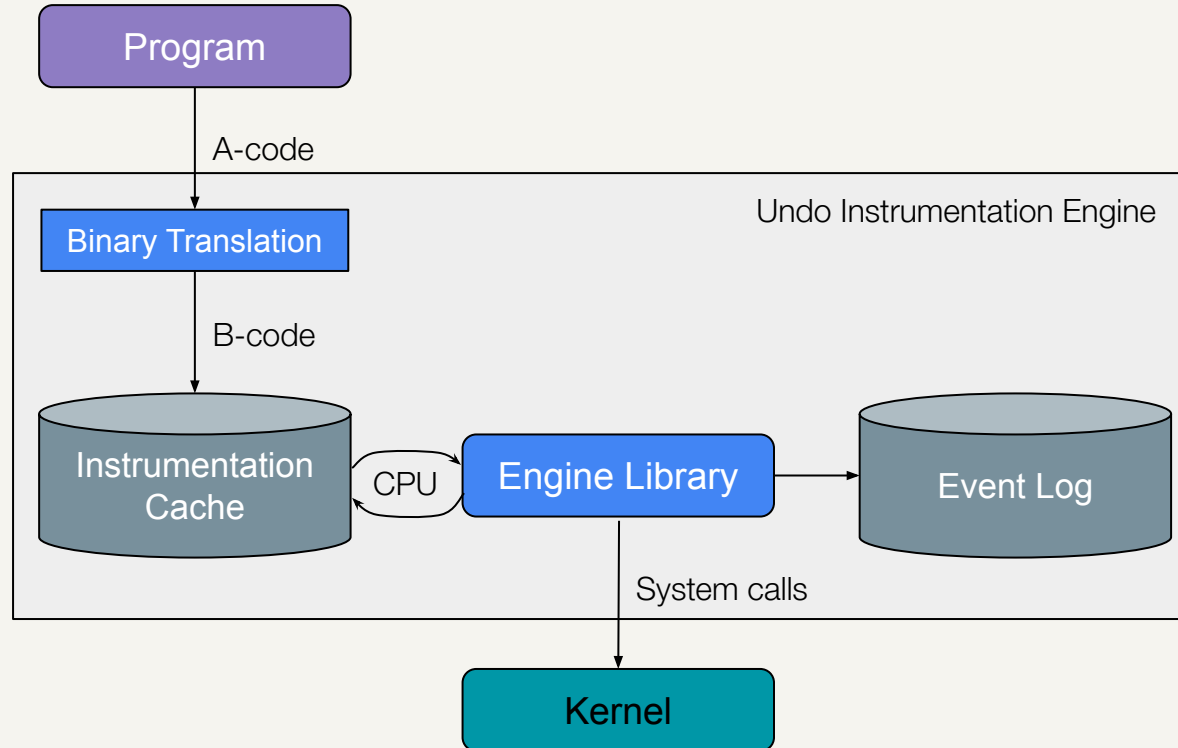
Time-Travel Debugging for C/C++

- **GDB** — built-in reverse execution (slow, but it's there)
- **rr** — open-source record & replay for Linux
- **WinDbg TTD** — Microsoft's solution for Windows
- **UDB/LiveRecorder** — Undo's commercial offering for Linux

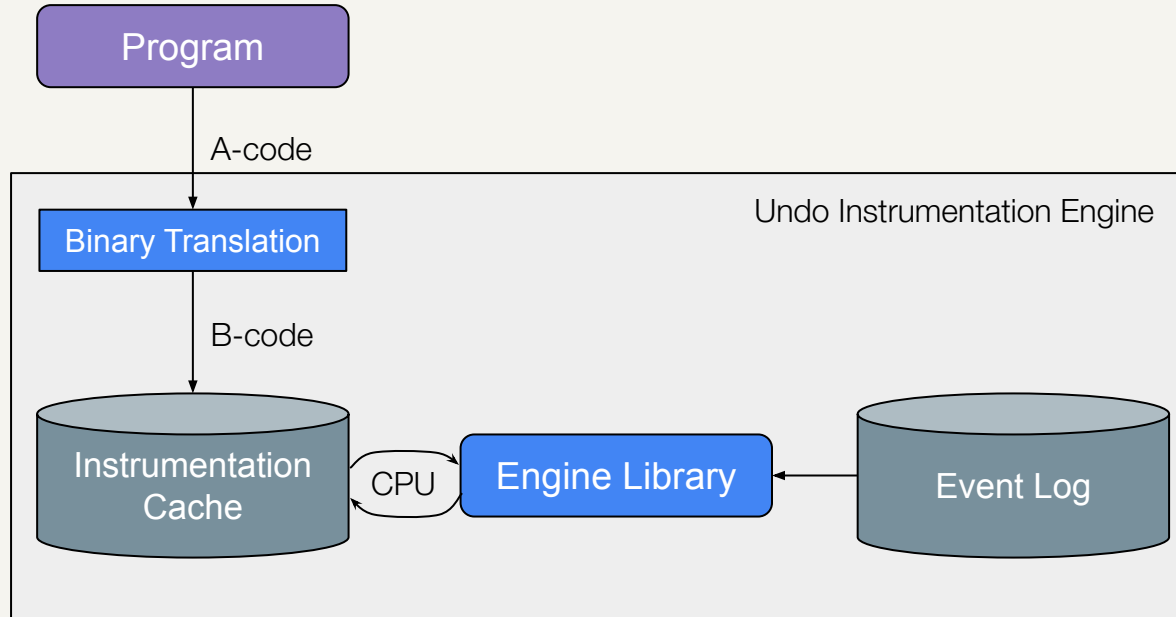
What's saved in an Undo recording?




How Undo records



How Undo replays





Reanimating zombies



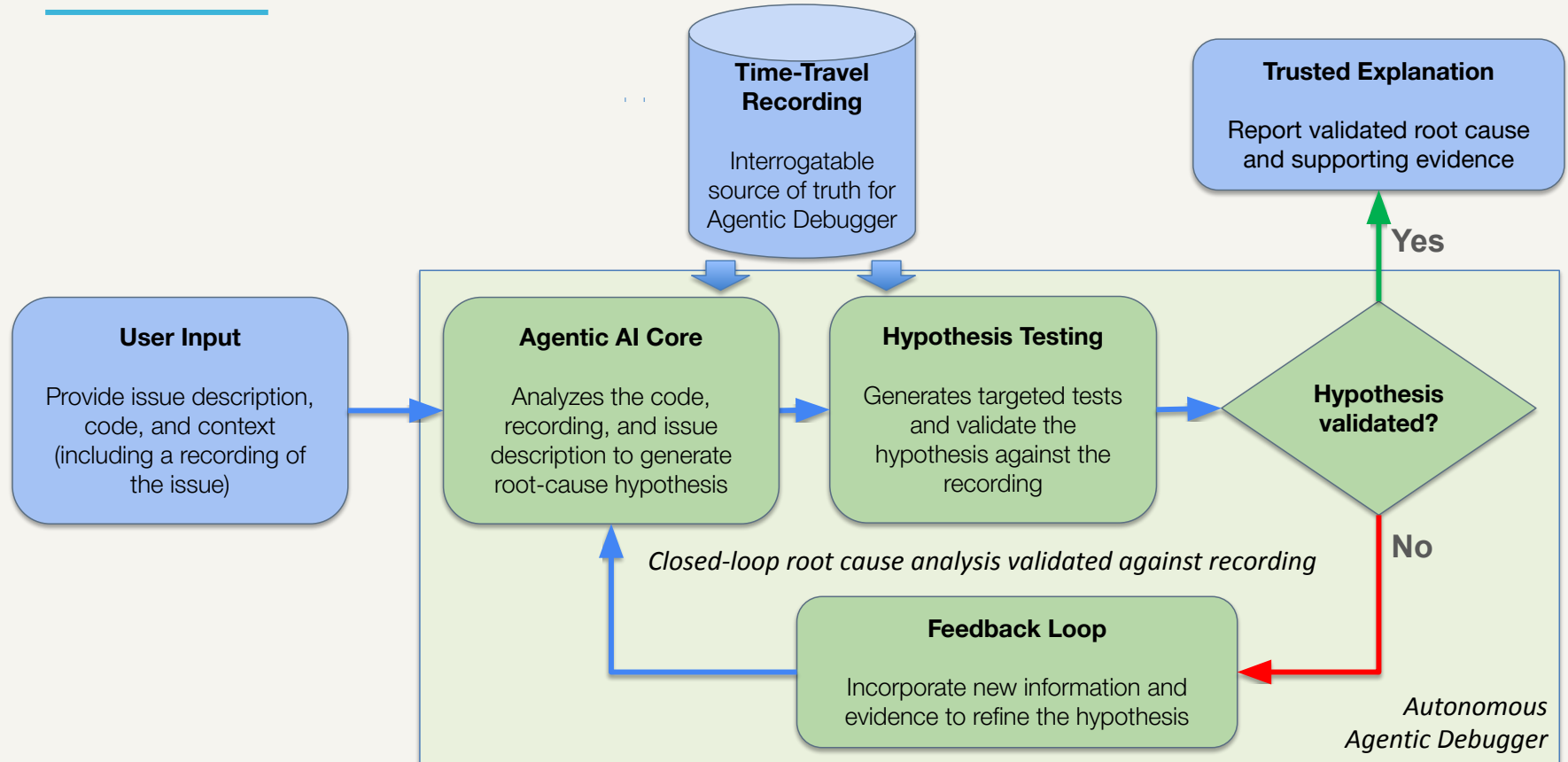
Agentic Time-Travel Debugging

AGENTIC DEBUGGING

- Give AI access to time travel debugging tools and let it **autonomously** root cause issues for you
- The recording provides:
 - Means to explore the code in a directed way
 - Rich information about dynamic behaviour
 - *A ground truth* for both the AI and the developer

Closing the loop to enable reliable agentic root cause analysis

Agentic Time-Travel Debugging





Playing with trains (agenticallly)

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