

Doctrine 1.1

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# My First Project

#### Introduction

This is a tutorial & how-to on creating your first project using the fully featured PHP Doctrine ORM. This tutorial

uses the the ready to go Doctrine sandbox package. It requires a web server, PHP and PDO  $\pm$  Sqlite.

#### Download

To get started, first download the latest Doctrine sandbox package: http://www.phpdoctrine.org/download<sup>1</sup>. Second, extract

the downloaded file and you should have a directory named Doctrine-x.x.x-Sandbox. Inside of that directory is a simple

example implementation of a Doctrine based web application.

## **Package Contents**

The files/directory structure should look like the following

```
$ cd Doctrine-0.10.1-Sandbox
$ ls
config.php doctrine index.php migrations schema
data doctrine.php lib models
```

The sandbox does not require any configuration, it comes ready to use with a sqlite database. Below is a description of

each of the files/directories and what its purpose is.

 doctrine - Shell script for executing the command line interface. Run with ./doctrine to see a list of command or

./doctrine help to see a detailed list of the commands

 doctrine.php - Php script which implements the Doctrine command line interface which is included in the above doctrine

http://www.phpdoctrine.org/download

#### shell script

- index.php Front web controller for your web application
- migrations Folder for your migration classes
- schema Folder for your schema files
- models Folder for your model files
- lib Folder for the Doctrine core library files

## Running the CLI

If you execute the doctrine shell script from the command line it will output the following:

```
Listing $ ./doctrine
    Doctrine Command Line Interface
    ./doctrine build-all
    ./doctrine build-all-load
    ./doctrine build-all-reload
    ./doctrine compile
    ./doctrine create-db
    ./doctrine create-tables
    ./doctrine dql
    ./doctrine drop-db
    ./doctrine dump-data
    ./doctrine generate-migration
    ./doctrine generate-migrations-db
    ./doctrine generate-migrations-models
    ./doctrine generate-models-db
    ./doctrine generate-models-yaml
    ./doctrine generate-sql
    ./doctrine generate-yaml-db
    ./doctrine generate-yaml-models
    ./doctrine load-data
    ./doctrine migrate
    ./doctrine rebuild-db
```

## **Defining Schema**

Below is a sample yaml schema file to get started. You can place the yaml file in schemas/schema.yml. The command

line interface looks for all \*.yml files in the schemas folder.

```
User:
    columns:
    id:
        primary: true
        autoincrement: true
        type: integer(4)
        username: string(255)
        password: string(255)
    relations:
        Groups:
        class: Group
        refClass: UserGroup
```

```
foreignAlias: Users
Group:
  tableName: groups
  columns:
    id:
      primary: true
      autoincrement: true
      type: integer(4)
    name: string(255)
UserGroup:
  columns:
    user id: integer(4)
    group_id: integer(4)
  relations:
    User:
      onDelete: CASCADE
    Group:
      onDelete: CASCADE
```

#### Test Data Fixtures

Below is a sample yaml data fixtures file. You can place this file in data/fixtures/data.yml. The command line

interface looks for all \*.yml files in the data/fixtures folder.

```
Listing
User:
  zyne:
    username: zYne-
    password: changeme
    Groups: [founder, lead, documentation]
  jwage:
    username: jwage
    password: changeme
    Groups: [lead, documentation]
Group:
  founder:
    name: Founder
  lead:
    name: Lead
  documentation:
    name: Documentation
```

## **Building Everything**

Now that you have written your schema files and data fixtures, you can now build everything and begin working with your

models. Run the command below and your models will be generated in the models folder.

```
$ ./doctrine build-all-reload build-all-reload - Are you sure you wish to drop your databases? (y/n)

y
```

```
build-all-reload - Successfully dropped database for connection "sandbox"
at path "/Users/jwage/Sites/doctrine/branches/0.10/tools/sandbox/
sandbox.db"
build-all-reload - Generated models successfully from YAML schema
build-all-reload - Successfully created database for connection "sandbox"
at path "/Users/jwage/Sites/doctrine/branches/0.10/tools/sandbox/
sandbox.db"
build-all-reload - Created tables successfully
build-all-reload - Data was successfully loaded
```

Take a peak in the models folder and you will see that the model classes were generated for you. Now you can begin coding

in your index.php to play with Doctrine itself. Inside index.php place some code like the following for a simple test.

## **Running Tests**

```
Listing $query = new Doctrine_Query();
$query->from('User u, u.Groups g');

$users = $query->execute();

echo '';
print_r($users->toArray(true));
```

The print\_r() should output the following data. You will notice that this is the data that we populated by placing

the yaml file in the data/fixtures files. You can add more data to the fixtures and rerun the build-all-reload

command to reinitialize the database.

```
Listing Array
         [0] => Array
                  [id] => 1
                  [username] => zYne-
                  [password] => changeme
                  [Groups] => Array
                      (
                           [0] => Array
                                    [id] => 1
                                    [name] => Founder
                               )
                           [1] => Array
                                    [id] => 2
                                    [name] => Lead
                               )
                           [2] => Array
                                    [id] \Rightarrow 3
                                    [name] => Documentation
```

Listing

```
)
                  )
         )
    [1] => Array
         (
              [id] \Rightarrow 2
              [username] => jwage
              [password] => changeme
              [Groups] => Array
                  (
                       [0] => Array
                                 [id] \Rightarrow 2
                                 [name] => Lead
                       [1] => Array
                            (
                                 [id] => 3
                                 [name] => Documentation
                            )
                  )
         )
)
```

You can also issue DQL queries directly to your database by using the dql command line function. It is used like the following.

```
jwage:sandbox jwage$ ./doctrine dql "FROM User u, u.Groups g"
dql - executing: "FROM User u, u.Groups g" ()
dql - -
dql -
        id: 1
dql -
        username: zYne-
dql -
        password: changeme
dql -
        Groups:
dql -
dql -
             id: 1
dql -
             name: Founder
dql -
dql -
             id: 2
dql -
            name: Lead
dql -
dql -
            id: 3
            name: Documentation
dql -
dql - -
dql -
        id: 2
dql -
        username: jwage
dql -
        password: changeme
dql -
        Groups:
dql -
dql -
            id: 2
```

```
dql - name: Lead
dql - -
dql - id: 3
dql - name: Documentation
```

#### **User CRUD**

Now we can demonstrate how to implement Doctrine in to a super simple module for managing users and passwords. Place

the following code in your index.php and pull it up in your browser. You will see the simple application.

```
Listing require_once('config.php');
    Doctrine::loadModels('models');
    $module = isset($ REQUEST['module']) ? $ REQUEST['module']:'users';
    $action = isset($ REQUEST['action']) ? $ REQUEST['action']:'list';
    if ($module == 'users') {
        $userId = isset($ REQUEST['id']) && $ REQUEST['id'] > 0 ?
    $ REQUEST['id']:null;
        $userTable = Doctrine::getTable('User');
        if ($userId === null) {
            $user = new User();
        } else {
            $user = $userTable->find($userId);
        }
        switch ($action) {
            case 'edit':
            case 'add':
                echo '<form action="index.php?module=users&action=save"
    method="POST">
                      <fieldset>
                         <legend>User</legend>
                         <input type="hidden" name="id" value="' . $user->id .
    '"/>
                        <label for="username">Username</label> <input</pre>
    type="text" name="user[username]" value="' . $user->username . '" />
                         <label for="password">Password</label> <input</pre>
    type="text" name="user[password]" value="' . $user->password . '" />
                        <input type="submit" name="save" value="Save" />
                      </fieldset
                       </form>';
                break:
            case 'save':
                $user->merge($ REQUEST['user']);
                $user->save():
                header('location: index.php?module=users&action=edit&id=' .
    $user->id);
                break:
            case 'delete':
                $user->delete();
```

```
header('location: index.php?module=users&action=list');
           break;
       default:
           $query = new Doctrine_Query();
           $query->from('User u')
                 ->orderby('u.username');
           $users = $query->execute();
           echo '';
           foreach ($users as $user) {
              echo '<a href="index.php?module=users&action=edit&id='
. $user->id . '">' . $user->username . '</a> &nbsp; <a
href="index.php?module=users&action=delete&id=' . $user->id .
'">[X]</a>';
           echo '';
   }
   echo '
           <a href="index.php?module=users&action=add">Add</a>
           <a href="index.php?module=users&action=list">List</a>
         ';
} else {
   throw new Exception('Invalid module');
```

## symfony 1.1 and Doctrine

So, you want to give Doctrine a try with symfony 1.1 eh? First we will need to setup a new symfony 1.1 project and install the sfDoctrinePlugin for 1.1. Execute the following commands below and continue reading:

#### Setup

```
$ mkdir symfony1.1Doctrine
$ cd symfony1.1Doctrine
$ /path/to/symfony generate:project symfony1.1Doctrine
$ svn co http://svn.symfony-project.com/plugins/sfDoctrinePlugin/trunk
plugins/sfDoctrinePlugin
$ php symfony cc
```

Now, type the following command to list all the new commands that `sfDoctrinePlugin` provides. You will notice that it gives you all the same commands as `sfPropelPlugin` and lots more!

```
Listing $ php symfony list doctrine
    Available tasks for the "doctrine" namespace:
                                   Generates Doctrine model, SQL and
    initializes the database (doctrine-build-all)
      :build-all-load
                                    Generates Doctrine model, SQL, initializes
    database, and load data (doctrine-build-all-load)
      :build-all-reload
                                    Generates Doctrine model, SQL, initializes
    database, and load data (doctrine-build-all-reload)
      :build-all-reload-test-all
                                   Generates Doctrine model, SQL, initializes
    database, load data and run all test suites
    (doctrine-build-all-reload-test-all)
                                    Creates database for current model
      :build-db
    (doctrine-build-db)
      :build-forms
                                    Creates form classes for the current model
    (doctrine-build-forms)
      :build-model
                                    Creates classes for the current model
    (doctrine-build-model)
      :build-schema
                                    Creates a schema.xml from an existing
    database (doctrine-build-schema)
      :build-sql
                                    Creates SQL for the current model
    (doctrine-build-sql)
      :data-dump
                                   Dumps data to the fixtures directory
    (doctrine-dump-data)
      :data-load
                                    Loads data from fixtures directory
```

```
(doctrine-load-data)
                               Execute a DQL query and view the results
  :dql
(doctrine-dql)
                               Drops database for current model
  :drop-db
(doctrine-drop-db)
                               Generates a Doctrine CRUD module
  :generate-crud
(doctrine-generate-crud)
  :generate-migration
                               Generate migration class
(doctrine-generate-migration)
  :generate-migrations-db
                               Generate migration classes from existing
database connections (doctrine-generate-migrations-db,
doctrine-gen-migrations-from-db)
  :generate-migrations-models Generate migration classes from an existing
set of models (doctrine-generate-migrations-models,
doctrine-gen-migrations-from-models)
                                Initializes a Doctrine admin module
  :init-admin
(doctrine-init-admin)
                                Inserts SQL for current model
  :insert-sql
(doctrine-insert-sql)
                               Migrates database to current/specified
  :migrate
version (doctrine-migrate)
  :rebuild-db
                               Creates database for current model
(doctrine-rebuild-db)
```

First, `sfDoctrinePlugin` currently requires that at least one application be setup, so lets just instantiate a `frontend` application now.

```
$ php symfony generate:app frontend
```

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## Setup Database

Now lets setup our database configuration in `config/databases.yml`. Open the file in your favorite editor and place the YAML below inside. For this test we are simply using a SQLite database. Doctrine is able to create the SQLite database at the `config/doctrine.db` path for you which we will do once we setup our schema and some data fixtures.

```
all:
doctrine:
class: sfDoctrineDatabase
param:
dsn: sqlite
```

### Setup Schema

Now that we have our database configured, lets define our YAML schema files in `config/doctrine/schema.yml`. In this example we are setting up a simple `BlogPost` model which `hasMany` `Tags`.

```
BlogPost:
actAs:
Sluggable:
fields: [title]
```

```
Timestampable:
  columns:
    title: string(255)
    body: clob
    author: string(255)
  relations:
    Tags:
      class: Tag
      refClass: BlogPostTag
      foreignAlias: BlogPosts
BlogPostTag:
  columns:
    blog post id:
      type: integer
      primary: true
    tag id:
      type: integer
      primary: true
Tag:
  actAs: [Timestampable]
  columns:
    name: string(255)
```

Now that we have our Doctrine schema defined, lets create some test data fixtures in `data/ fixtures/data.yml`. Open the file in your favorite editor and paste the below YAML in to the file.

```
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BlogPost:
BlogPost_1:
title: symfony + Doctrine
body: symfony and Doctrine are great!
author: Jonathan H. Wage
Tags: [symfony, doctrine, php]

Tag:
symfony:
name: symfony
doctrine:
name: doctrine
php:
name: php
```

#### **Build Database**

Ok, now for the fun stuff. We have our schema, and we have some data fixtures, so lets run one single Doctrine command and create your database, generate your models, create tables and load the data fixtures.

```
Listing $ php symfony doctrine-build-all-reload frontend
>> doctrine Are you sure you wish to drop your databases? (y/n)
y
>> doctrine Successfully dropped database f...1.1Doctrine/config/doctrine.db"
```

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```
>> doctrine Successfully created database f...1.1Doctrine/config/
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine Generated models successfully
>> doctrine Created tables successfully
>> doctrine Data was successfully loaded
```

Now your `doctrine.db` SQLite database is created, all the tables for your schema were created, and the data fixtures were populated in to the tables. Now lets do a little playing around with the data to see how we can use the Doctrine Query Language to retrieve data.

```
$ php symfony doctrine:dql frontend "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags t"
>> doctrine executing: "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags t" ()
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
               id: 1
               title: symfony + Doctrine
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
               body: symfony and Doctrine are great!
>> doctrine
               author: Jonathan H. Wage
               slug: symfony-doctrine
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
               created at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
               updated at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
               Tags:
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                   id: 1
>> doctrine
                   name: symfony
                   created at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                   updated at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                   id: 2
                   name: doctrine
>> doctrine
                   created at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                   updated at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                   id: 3
>> doctrine
                   name: php
>> doctrine
                   created_at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
>> doctrine
                   updated at: 2008-06-16 12:28:57
```

Now, lets do a little explaining of the data that was returned. As you can see the models have a created\_at, updated\_at and slug column which were not defined in the schema files. These columns are added by the behaviors attached to the schema information under the actAs setting. The `created\_at` and `updated\_at` column are automatically set `onInsert` and `onUpdate`, and the slug column is a url friendly string that is created from the value of the name column. Doctrine has a few behaviors that are included in core such as `Sluggable` and `Timestampable`, but the behavior system is built to allow anyone to easily write behaviors for their models to re-use over and over.

#### **Admin Generators**

Now we have our data model all setup and populated with some test fixtures so lets generate an admin generator to manage the blog posts and tags.

```
$ php symfony doctrine:init-admin frontend blog_posts BlogPost
$ php symfony doctrine:init-admin frontend tags Tag
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```

Now go open up your web browser and check out the 'frontend' application and the 'blog posts' and 'tags' modules. It should be located at a url like the following:

```
Listing http://localhost/symfony1.1Doctrine/web/frontend_dev.php/blog_posts http://localhost/symfony1.1Doctrine/web/frontend_dev.php/tags
```

Now, with a little configuration of the blog post admin generator, we can control the associated blog post tags by checking checkboxes when editing a blog post. Open `apps/frontend/modules/blog\_posts/config/generator.yml` and replace the contents with the YAML from below.

```
Listina - - -
    generator:
                            sfDoctrineAdminGenerator
      class:
      param:
        model class:
                            BlogPost
                            default
        theme:
        list:
          display:
                            [=title, author]
          object_actions:
             _edit:
             delete:
        edit:
                            [author, title, body, Tags]
          display:
          fields:
             author:
               type:
                            input tag
             title:
               type:
                            input tag
             body:
                            textarea tag
               type:
                            size=50x10
               params:
             Tags:
                            doctrine admin check list
               type:
                            through class=BlogPostTag
               params:
```

Now refresh the blog post list and you will see it is cleaned up a little bit. Edit a blog post by clicking the edit icon or the title and you can see below you can check the tags associated to the blog post.

All of the features you get in Propel work 99% the same way with Doctrine, so it should be fairly easy to get the hang of if you are coming from propel. sfDoctrinePlugin implements all the same functionality as sfPropelPlugin as well as several additional features which sfPropelPlugin is not capable of. Below you can find some more information on the major features that Doctrine supports:

## Helpful Links

- Behaviors http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/ 0\_11?chapter=plugins<sup>2</sup> - Easily create reusable behaviors for your Doctrine models.
- Migrations http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/ 0\_11?chapter=migration<sup>3</sup> Deploy database schema changes to your production environment through a programmatic interface.

<sup>2.</sup> http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?chapter=plugins

<sup>3.</sup> http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/

<sup>0 11?</sup>chapter=migration

- $\begin{array}{lll} \bullet & \text{Doctrine} & \text{Query Language http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/} \\ & 0\_11? \text{chapter=dql-doctrine-query-language}^4 \text{ Build your database queries through a fluent OO interface} \end{array}$
- Validators http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/ 0\_11?chapter=basic-schema-mapping#constraints-and-validators<sup>5</sup> - Turn on column validators for both database and code level validation.
- Hierarchical Data http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/  $0_11$ ?chapter=hierarchical-data $^6$  Turn your models in to nested sets easily with the flip of a switch.
- Caching http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?chapter=caching<sup>7</sup>
   Tune performance by caching your DQL query parsing and the result sets of queries.

If this short tutorial sparked your interest in Doctrine you can check out some other Doctrine resources below to learn more about Doctrine:

- Full User Manual http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?one-page  $^8$
- API Documentation http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/api/0 11<sup>9</sup>
- Cheatsheet http://www.phpdoctrine.org/Doctrine-Cheat-Sheet.pdf<sup>10</sup>
- Blog http://www.phpdoctrine.org/blog<sup>11</sup>
- Community http://www.phpdoctrine.org/community<sup>12</sup>
- Frequently Asked Questions http://www.phpdoctrine.org/fag<sup>13</sup>
- Download http://www.phpdoctrine.org/download 14

<sup>4.</sup> http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?chapter=dqldoctrine-query-language
5. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?chapter=basicschema-mapping#constraints-and-validators
6. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/
0\_11?chapter=hierarchical-data
7. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?chapter=caching
8. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/manual/0\_11?one-page
9. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/documentation/api/0\_11
10. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/Doctrine-Cheat-Sheet.pdf
11. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/blog
12. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/community
13. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/faq
14. http://www.phpdoctrine.org/download

# symfony 1.1 and Doctrine Migrations

The PHP Doctrine ORM offers a fully featured database migration utility that makes it easy to upgrade your databases for both schema and

data changes without having to manually write or keep up with SQL statements.

Database migrations essentially allow you to have multiple versions of your schema. A single Doctrine migration class represents one

version of the schema. Each migration class must have an up() and a down() method defined and the down() must negate everything done in

the up() method. Below I will show you an example of how to use Doctrine to control your database.

Listing This tutorial is written for symfony 1.1 but the same functionality exists for the 1.0 version of sfDoctrinePlugin but in the 1.0 style task system.

## Setting up your database

First thing we need to do is define your database and create it. Edit config/databases.yml and setup your mysql database. Copy and paste the yaml below in to the file.

```
Listing ---
all:
doctrine:
class: sfDoctrineDatabase
param:
dsn: mysql
```

## Define your schema

In this example we are going to use a traditional Blog model. Open config/doctrine/schema.yml and copy and paste the yaml contents from below in to the file.

```
3-3 BlogPost:
actAs:
```

```
Sluggable:
      fields: [title]
  columns:
    title: string(255)
    body: clob
    author: string(255)
  relations:
    Tags:
      class: Tag
      refClass: BlogPostTag
      foreignAlias: BlogPosts
BlogPostTag:
  columns:
    blog_post_id:
      type: integer
      primary: true
    tag id:
      type: integer
      primary: true
Tag:
  columns:
    name: string(255)
Place the below data fixtures in to data/fixtures/data.yml
                                                                                  Listing
BloaPost:
  BlogPost 1:
    slug: symfony-doctrine
    author: Jonathan H. Wage
    title: symfony + Doctrine
    body: symfony and Doctrine are great!
    Tags: [symfony, doctrine, php]
Tag:
  symfony:
    name: symfony
  doctrine:
    name: doctrine
  php:
    name: php
```

#### **Build Database**

Now with one simple command Doctrine is able to create the database, the tables and load the data fixtures for you. Doctrine works

with any [PDO](http://www.php.net/pdo<sup>15</sup>) driver and is able to drop and create databases for any of them.

```
$ ./symfony doctrine-build-all-reload frontend
>> doctrine Are you sure you wish to drop your databases? (y/n)
y
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```

<sup>15.</sup> http://www.php.net/pdo

```
>> doctrine
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine
Successfully created database f...1.1Doctrine/config/
doctrine.db"
>> doctrine
Generated models successfully
>> doctrine
Created tables successfully
>> doctrine
Data was successfully loaded
```

Now your database, models and tables are created for you so easily. Lets run a simple DQL query to see the current data that is in the database so we can compare it to the data after the migration has been performed.

```
Listing $ ./symfony doctrine-dql frontend "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags t"
   >> doctrine executing: "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags t" ()
   >> doctrine
   >> doctrine
                  id: 1
   >> doctrine
                  title: symfony + Doctrine
   >> doctrine
                  body: symfony and Doctrine are great!
   >> doctrine
                  author: Jonathan H. Wage
                  slug: symfony-doctrine
   >> doctrine
   >> doctrine
                  Tags:
   >> doctrine
   >> doctrine
                       id: 1
   >> doctrine
                       name: symfony
   >> doctrine
   >> doctrine
                      id: 2
   >> doctrine
                      name: doctrine
   >> doctrine
   >> doctrine
                      id: 3
   >> doctrine
                      name: php
```

## Setup Migration

Now what if a few months later you want to change the schema to split out the BlogPost.author column to an Author model that is related to BlogPost.author\_id. First lets add the new model to your config/doctrine/schema.yml.

Replace your schema yaml with the schema information from below.

```
Listing ---
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BlogPost:
actAs:
```

```
Sluggable:
    fields: [title]

columns:
    title: string(255)
    body: clob
    author: string(255)
    author_id: integer

relations:
    Author:
        foreignAlias: BlogPosts
    Tags:
        class: Tag
        refClass: BlogPostTag
        foreignAlias: BlogPosts
```

```
BlogPostTag:
    columns:
        blog_post_id:
        type: integer
        primary: true
    tag_id:
        type: integer
        primary: true

Tag:
    columns:
        name: string(255)

Author:
    columns:
        name: string(255)
```

Rebuild your models now with the following command.

```
$ ./symfony doctrine-build-model
>> doctrine Generated models successfully
```

Listing 3-8

Listing

As you see we have added a new Author model, and changed the author column to author\_id and integer for a foreign key to the Author

model. Now lets write a new migration class to upgrade the existing database without losing any data. Run the following commands

to create skeleton migration classes in lib/migration/doctrine. You will see a file generated named 001 add author.class.php and

002\_migrate\_author.class.php. Inside them are blank up() and down() method for you to code your migrations for the schema changes above.

```
$ ./symfony doctrine:generate-migration frontend AddAuthor
>> doctrine Generated migration class: AddA...Doctrine/lib/migration/
doctrine
$ ./symfony doctrine:generate-migration frontend MigrateAuthor
>> doctrine Generated migration class: Migr...Doctrine/lib/migration/
doctrine
```

Now we have 2 blank migration skeletons to write our migration code in. Below I have provided the code to migrate the author column

to an Author model and automatically relate blog posts to the newly created author id.

```
// 001 add author.class.php
/**
 * This class has been auto-generated by the Doctrine ORM Framework
class AddAuthor extends Doctrine Migration
    public function up()
      // Create new author table
      $columns = array('id'
                              => array('type'
                                                        => 'integer',
                                        'length'
                                                        =>4,
                                        'autoincrement' => true),
                                                        => 'string',
                       'name' => array('type'
                                        'length'
                                                        => 255));
```

```
$this->createTable('author', $columns, array('primary' =>
array('id')));
    // Add author_id to the blog_post table
    $this->addColumn('blog_post', 'author_id', 'integer', array('length'
=> 4));
    }
    public function down()
      // Remove author table
    $this->dropTable('author');
    // Remove author id column from blog post table
    $this->removeColumn('blog_post', 'author_id');
}
// 002_migrate_author.class.php
 * This class has been auto-generated by the Doctrine ORM Framework
class MigrateAuthor extends Doctrine_Migration
  public function preUp()
  {
    $q = Doctrine Query::create()
          ->select('p.id, p.author')
          ->from('BlogPost p');
    $blogPosts = $q->execute();
    foreach ($blogPosts as $blogPost)
      $author =
Doctrine::getTable('Author')->findOneByName($blogPost->author);
      if ( ! ($author instanceof Author && $author->exists()))
        $author = new Author();
        $author->name = $blogPost->author;
        $author->save();
      $blogPost->author id = $author->id;
      $blogPost->save();
    }
  }
    public function up()
    $this->removeColumn('blog post', 'author');
    public function down()
      $this->addColumn('blog_post', 'author', 'string', array('length' =>
255));
    }
}
```

Now run the following command and Doctrine will automatically perform the migration process and update the database.

## **Run Migration**

```
$ ./symfony doctrine-migrate frontend
>> doctrine migrated successfully to version #2
Listing
3-11
```

Now the database is updated with the new schema information and data migrated. Give it a check and you will see that we have a new

author table, the blog\_post.author column is gone and we have a new blog\_post.author\_id column that is set to the appropriate author id value.

The #2 migration removed the author column from the blog\_post table, but we left it in the model definition so that while it still

existed, before the #2 migration began we copied the contents of the author column to the author table and related the blog post to

the author id. You can now remove the author: string(255) column definition from the config/doctrine/schema.yml and rebuild the models.

Here is the new BlogPost model definition.

```
- - -
                                                                                   3-12
BlogPost:
  actAs:
    Sluggable:
      fields: [title]
  columns:
    title: string(255)
    body: clob
    author id: integer
  relations:
    Author:
      foreignAlias: BlogPosts
      class: Tag
      refClass: BlogPostTag
      foreignAlias: BlogPosts
```

Re-build the models now since we removed the author column from the model definition and the table in the database.

```
$ ./symfony doctrine-build-model
>> doctrine Generated models successfully
Listing
3-13
```

Now lets run a DQL query from the command line to see the final product.

```
$ ./symfony doctrine:dql frontend "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags, p.Author a"
                                                                              Listing
>> doctrine executing: "FROM BlogPost p, p.Tags, p.Author a" ()
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
               id: 1
>> doctrine
               title: symfony + Doctrine
>> doctrine
               body: symfony and Doctrine are great!
>> doctrine
               author id: 1
>> doctrine
               slug: symfony-doctrine
>> doctrine
               Tags:
```

```
>> doctrine
                  id: 1
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                  name: symfony
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                  id: 2
>> doctrine
                  name: doctrine
>> doctrine
                  id: 3
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                 name: php
>> doctrine Author:
>> doctrine
>> doctrine
                id: 1
                name: Jonathan H. Wage
```

If you compare the data returned here, to the data that was returned in the beginning of this tutorial you will see that the author column was removed and migrated to an Author model.

## Code Igniter and Doctrine

This tutorial will get you started using Doctrine with Code Igniter

#### **Download Doctrine**

First we must get the source of Doctrine from svn and place it in the system/database folder.

```
$ cd system/database

$ svn co http://svn.phpdoctrine.org/branches/0.11/lib doctrine

$ cd ..

// If you use svn in your project you can set Doctrine

// as an external so you receive bug fixes automatically from svn

$ svn propedit svn:externals database

// In your favorite editor add the following line

// doctrine http://svn.phpdoctrine.org/branches/0.11/lib
```

### Setup Doctrine

Now we must setup the configuration for Doctrine and load it in system/application/config/database.php

```
$ vi application/config/database.php
                                                                                  Listing
The code below needs to be added under this line of code
$db['default']['cachedir'] = "";
                                                                                  Listing
Add this code
// Create dsn from the info above
                                                                                  Listing
$db['default']['dsn'] = $db['default']['dbdriver'] .
                          '://' . $db['default']['username'] .
                          ':' . $db['default']['password'].
                          '@' . $db['default']['hostname'] .
                          '/' . $db['default']['database'];
// Require Doctrine.php
require_once(realpath(dirname(__FILE__) . '/../..') . DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR
. 'database/doctrine/Doctrine.php');
```

```
// Set the autoloader
    spl autoload register(array('Doctrine', 'autoload'));
    // Load the Doctrine connection
    Doctrine Manager::connection($db['default']['dsn'],
    $db['default']['database']);
    // Set the model loading to conservative/lazy loading
    Doctrine Manager::getInstance()->setAttribute('model loading',
    'conservative');
    // Load the models for the autoloader
    Doctrine::loadModels(realpath(dirname( FILE ) . '/..') .
    DIRECTORY SEPARATOR . 'models');
    Now we must make sure system/application/config/database.php is included in your front
    controller. Open your front controller in your favorite text editor.
Listing $ cd ..
    $ vi index.php
    Change the last 2 lines of code of index.php with the following
Listing require once APPPATH. 'config/database.php';
    require once BASEPATH.'codeigniter/CodeIgniter'.EXT;
    Setup Command Line Interface
    Create the following file: system/application/doctrine and chmod the file so it can be
    executed. Place the code below in to the doctrine file.
Listing $ vi system/application/doctrine
    Place this code in system/application/doctrine
Listing #!/usr/bin/env php
    define('BASEPATH','.'); // mockup that this app was executed from ci ;)
    chdir(dirname( FILE ));
    include('doctrine.php');
    Now create the following file: system/application/doctrine.php. Place the code below in to the
    doctrine.php file.
Listing require_once('config/database.php');
    // Configure Doctrine Cli
    // Normally these are arguments to the cli tasks but if they are set here
    the arguments will be auto-filled
    $config = array('data fixtures path'
                                                 dirname( FILE ) .
    DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR . '/fixtures',
                                                 dirname( FILE ) .
                     'models path'
                                             =>
    DIRECTORY SEPARATOR . '/models',
                     'migrations_path'
                                                 dirname( FILE ) .
    DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR . '/migrations',
```

'sql path'

dirname( FILE ) .

=>

```
DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR . '/sql',
                 'yaml schema path'
                                        => dirname( FILE ) .
DIRECTORY SEPARATOR . '/schema');
$cli = new Doctrine Cli($config);
$cli->run($ SERVER['argv']);
Now we must create all the directories for Doctrine to use
// Create directory for your yaml data fixtures files
                                                                                  Listing
                                                                                   4-10
$ mkdir system/application/fixtures
// Create directory for your migration classes
$ mkdir system/application/migrations
// Create directory for your yaml schema files
$ mkdir system/application/schema
// Create directory to generate your sql to create the database in
$ mkdir system/application/sql
Now you have a command line interface ready to go. If you execute the doctrine shell script
with no argument you will get a list of available commands
$ cd system/application
                                                                                  Listing
                                                                                   4-11
$ ./doctrine
Doctrine Command Line Interface
./doctrine build-all
./doctrine build-all-load
./doctrine build-all-reload
./doctrine compile
./doctrine create-db
./doctrine create-tables
./doctrine dql
./doctrine drop-db
./doctrine dump-data
./doctrine generate-migration
./doctrine generate-migrations-db
./doctrine generate-migrations-models
./doctrine generate-models-db
./doctrine generate-models-yaml
./doctrine generate-sql
./doctrine generate-yaml-db
./doctrine generate-yaml-models
./doctrine load-data
./doctrine migrate
./doctrine rebuild-db
$
On Microsoft Windows, call the script via the PHP binary (because the script won't invoke it
automatically:
php.exe doctrine
                                                                                  Listina
```

## Start Using Doctrine

It is simple to start using Doctrine now. First we must create a yaml schema file. (save it at schema with filename like : user.yml)

```
Listing - - -
    User:
       columns:
         id:
            primary: true
           autoincrement: true
            type: integer(4)
         username: string(255)
         password: string(255)
       relations:
         Groups:
            class: Group
                                         # Class name. Optional if alias is the
    class name
            local: user id
                                         # Local
           foreign: group_id  # Foreign
refClass: UserGroup  # xRefClass for relating Users to Groups
foreignAlias: Users  # Opposite relationship alias. Group
            foreign: group_id
    hasMany Users
    Group:
       tableName: groups
       columns:
         id:
            primary: true
            autoincrement: true
            type: integer(4)
         name: string(255)
    UserGroup:
       columns:
         user_id:
            type: integer(4)
            primary: true
         group id:
            type: integer(4)
            primary: true
       relations:
         User:
            local: user_id
                                  # Local key
           foreign: id # Foreign key
onDelete: CASCADE # Database constraint
         Group:
            local: group_id
            foreign: id
            onDelete: CASCADE
```

Now if you run the following command it will generate your models in system/application/models

```
4-14 $ ./doctrine generate-models-yaml generate-models-yaml - Generated models successfully from YAML schema
```

Now check the file system/application/models/generated/BaseUser.php. You will see a compclass definition like below.

```
Listing
* This class has been auto-generated by the Doctrine ORM Framework
abstract class BaseUser extends Doctrine Record
  public function setTableDefinition()
    $this->setTableName('user');
    $this->hasColumn('id', 'integer', 4, array('primary' => true,
'autoincrement' => true));
    $this->hasColumn('username', 'string', 255);
$this->hasColumn('password', 'string', 255);
  }
  public function setUp()
    $this->hasMany('Group as Groups', array('refClass' => 'UserGroup',
                                               'local' => 'user id',
                                               'foreign' => 'group id'));
    $this->hasMany('UserGroup', array('local' => 'id',
                                         'foreign' => 'user id'));
  }
}
// Add custom methods to system/application/models/User.php
/**
* This class has been auto-generated by the Doctrine ORM Framework
*/
class User extends BaseUser
  public function setPassword($password)
    $this->password = md5($password);
  }
}
/**
 * This class has been auto-generated by the Doctrine ORM Framework
class UserTable extends Doctrine Table
  public function retrieveAll()
    $query = new Doctrine Query();
    $query->from('User u');
    $query->orderby('u.username ASC');
    return $query->execute();
  }
}
```

Now we can create some sample data to load in to our application(this step requires you have a valid database configured and ready to go. The build-all-reload task will drop and recreate the database, create tables, and load data fixtures

Create a file in system/application/fixtures/users.yml

```
Listing 4-16 $ vi fixtures/users.yml

Add the following yaml to the file

Listing 4-17 User:
    jwage:
    username: jwage
    password: test
```

Now run the build-all-reload task to drop db, build models, recreate

```
$ ./doctrine build-all-reload
build-all-reload - Are you sure you wish to drop your databases? (y/n)
y
build-all-reload - Successfully dropped database named: "jwage_codeigniter"
build-all-reload - Generated models successfully from YAML schema
build-all-reload - Successfully created database named: "jwage_codeigniter"
build-all-reload - Created tables successfully
build-all-reload - Data was successfully loaded
```

Now we are ready to use Doctrine in our actual actions. Lets open our system/application/views/welcome\_message.php and somewhere add the following code somewhere.

```
Listing $user = new User();
$user->username = 'zYne-';
$user->setPassword('password');
$user->save();

$userTable = Doctrine::getTable('User');
$user = $userTable->findOneByUsername('zYne-');

echo $user->username; // prints 'zYne-'

$users = $userTable->retrieveAll();

echo $users->count(); // echo '2''

foreach ($users as $user)
{
    echo $user->username;
}
```

# Plug and Play Schema Information With Templates

Doctrine templates essentially allow you to extract schema information so that it can be plugged in to multiple Doctrine classes without having to duplicate any code. Below we will show some examples of what a template could be used for and how it can make your schema easier to maintain.

Let's get started. Imagine a project where you have multiple records which must have address attributes. Their are two basic approaches to solving this problem. One is to have a single table to store all addresses and each record will store a foreign key to the address record it owns. This is the "normalized" way of solving the problem. The "de-normalized" way would be to store the address attributes with each record. In this example a template will extract the attributes of an address and allow you to plug them in to as many Doctrine classes as you like.

First we must define the template so that we can use it in our Doctrine classes.

```
class Doctrine_Template_Address extends Doctrine_Template
{
    public function setTableDefinition()
    {
        $this->hasColumn('address1', 'string', 255);
        $this->hasColumn('address2', 'string', 255);
        $this->hasColumn('address3', 'string', 255);
        $this->hasColumn('city', 'string', 255);
        $this->hasColumn('state', 'string', 2);
        $this->hasColumn('zipcode', 'string', 15);
    }
}
```

Now that we have our template defined, lets define some basic models that need to have address attributes added to them. Lets start first with a User.

```
class User extends Doctrine_Record
{
    public function setTableDefinition()
    {
          $this->hasColumn('username', 'string', 255);
          $this->hasColumn('password', 'string', 255);
}

public function setUp()
{
```

```
$this->actAs('Address');
}
```

Now we also have a Company model which also must contain an address.

```
Listing class Company extends Doctrine_Record
{
    public function setTableDefinition()
    {
        $this->hasColumn('name', 'string', 255);
        $this->hasColumn('description', 'clob');
    }
    public function setUp()
    {
        $this->actAs('Address');
    }
}
```

Now lets generate the SQL to create the tables for the User and Company model. You will see that the attributes from the template are automatically added to each table.

```
Listing CREATE TABLE user (id BIGINT AUTO INCREMENT,
    username VARCHAR(255),
    password VARCHAR(255),
    address1 VARCHAR(255),
    address2 VARCHAR(255),
    address3 VARCHAR(255),
    city VARCHAR(255),
    state VARCHAR(2),
    zipcode VARCHAR(15),
    PRIMARY KEY(id)) ENGINE = INNODB
    CREATE TABLE company (id BIGINT AUTO_INCREMENT,
    name VARCHAR(255),
    description LONGTEXT,
    address1 VARCHAR(255),
    address2 VARCHAR(255),
    address3 VARCHAR(255),
    city VARCHAR(255),
    state VARCHAR(2),
    zipcode VARCHAR(15),
    PRIMARY KEY(id)) ENGINE = INNODB
```

That's it. Now you can maintain your Address schema information from one place and use the address functionality in as many places as you like.

# Taking Advantage of Column Aggregation Inheritance

First, let me give a brief explanation of what column aggregation inheritance is and how it works. With column aggregation inheritance all classes share the same table, and all columns must exist in the parent. Doctrine is able to know which class each row in the database belongs to by automatically setting a "type" column so that Doctrine can cast the correct class when hydrating data from the database. Even if you query the top level column aggregation class, the collection will return instances of the class that each row belongs to.

Now that you have a basic understand of column aggregation inheritance lets put it to use. In this example we will setup some models which will allow us to use one address table for storing all of our addresses across the entire application. Any record will be able to have multiple addresses, and all the information will be stored in one table. First lets define our Address

Note the option set above to only export tables because we do not want to export any foreign key constraints since record\_id is going to relate to many different records.

We are going to setup a User so it can have multiple addresses, so we will need to setup a UserAddress child class that User can relate to.

```
Listing class UserAddress extends Address
        public function setUp()
             $this->hasOne('User', array('local' => 'record id',
                                           'foreign' => 'id'));
        }
    }
    Now lets define our User and link it to the UserAddress model so it can have multiple
    addresses.
Listing class User extends Doctrine_Record
        public function setTableDefinition()
             $this->hasColumn('username', 'string', 255);
             $this->hasColumn('password', 'string', 255);
        }
        public function setUp()
             $this->hasMany('UserAddress as Addresses', array('local'
    'id',
                                                                  'foreign' =>
    'record id'));
    Now say we have a Company record which also needs ot have many addresses. First we need
    to setup the CompanyAddress child class
Listing class CompanyAddress extends Address
    {
        public function setUp()
             $this->hasOne('Company', array('local' => 'record id',
                                               foreign' => 'id'));
        }
    }
    Now lets define our Company and link it to the CompanyAddress model so it can have
    multiple addresses.
Listing class Company extends Doctrine Record
        public function setTableDefinition()
             $this->hasColumn('name', 'string', 255);
        public function setUp()
             $this->hasMany('CompanyAddress as Addresses', array('local'
    'id',
                                                                     'foreign'
                                                                                =>
    'record id'));
```

```
}
```

Now both Users and Companies can have multiple addresses and the data is all stored in one address table.

Now lets create the tables and insert some records

```
Doctrine::createTablesFromArray(array('User', 'Company', 'Address'));
                                                                                 Listina
$user = new User();
$user->username = 'jwage';
$user->password = 'changeme';
$user->Addresses[0]->address1 = '123 Road Dr.';
$user->Addresses[0]->city = 'Nashville';
$user->Addresses[0]->state = 'TN';
$user->save();
$company = new Company();
$company->name = 'centre{source}';
$company->Addresses[0]->address1 = '123 Road Dr.';
$company->Addresses[0]->city = 'Nashville';
$company->Addresses[0]->state = 'TN';
$company->save();
Query for the user and its addresses
                                                                                 Listing
$users = Doctrine Query::create()
          ->from('User u')
          ->leftJoin('u.Addresses a')
          ->execute();
echo $users[0]->username; // jwage
echo $users[0]->Addresses[0]->address1 = '123 Road Dr.';
echo get class($users[0]->Addresses[0]); // UserAddress
Query for the company and its addresses
$companies = Doctrine Query::create()
                                                                                 Listing
          ->from('Company c')
          ->leftJoin('c.Addresses a')
          ->execute();
echo $companies[0]->name; // centre{source}
echo $companies[0]->Addresses[0]->address1 = '123 Road Dr.';
echo get class($companies[0]->Addresses[0]); // CompanyAddress
Now lets query the Addresses directly and you will notice each child record returned is
hydrated as the appropriate child class that created the record initially.
```