How to do it...

1. Let’s create @app/controllers/ContestController. php with the following code: <?php

namespace app\controllers; use app\models\Contest; use app\models\ContestPrizeAssn; use app\models\Prize; use Yii;

use yii\base\Model;

use yii\helpers\VarDumper;

use yii\web\Controller;

class ContestController extends Controller {

public function actionCreate()

{

$contestName = 'Happy New Year';

$firstPrize = new Prize();

$firstPrize->name = 'Iphone 6s';

$firstPrize->amount = 4;

$secondPrize = new Prize();

$secondPrize->name = 'Sony Playstation 4';

$secondPrize->amount = 2;

$contest = new Contest();

$contest->name = $contestName;

$prizes = [$firstPrize, $secondPrize];

if ($contest->validate() && Model::validateMultiple($prizes)) { $contest->save(false); foreach ($prizes as $prize) {

$prize->save(false);

$contestPrizeAssn = new ContestPrizeAssn(); $contestPrizeAssn->prize\_id = $prize->id; $contestPrizeAssn->contest\_id = $contest>id; $contestPrizeAssn->save(false);

}

return $this->renderContent(

'All prizes have been successfully saved!'

);

} else {

return $this->renderContent(

VarDumper::dumpAsString($contest->getErrors())

);

}

}

public function actionUpdate()

{

$prizes = Prize::find()->all();

if (Model::loadMultiple($prizes, Yii::$app->request->post()) && Model::validateMultiple($prizes)) {

foreach ($prizes as $prize) {

$prize->save(false);

}

return $this->renderContent(

'All prizes have been successfully saved!'

);

}

return $this->render('update', ['prizes' => $prizes]);

}

}

2. Create @app/views/contest/update.php and place the following code inside it:

<?php