

Develop an App with the Odoo Framework

Or how to implement a plant nursery in a few minutes.

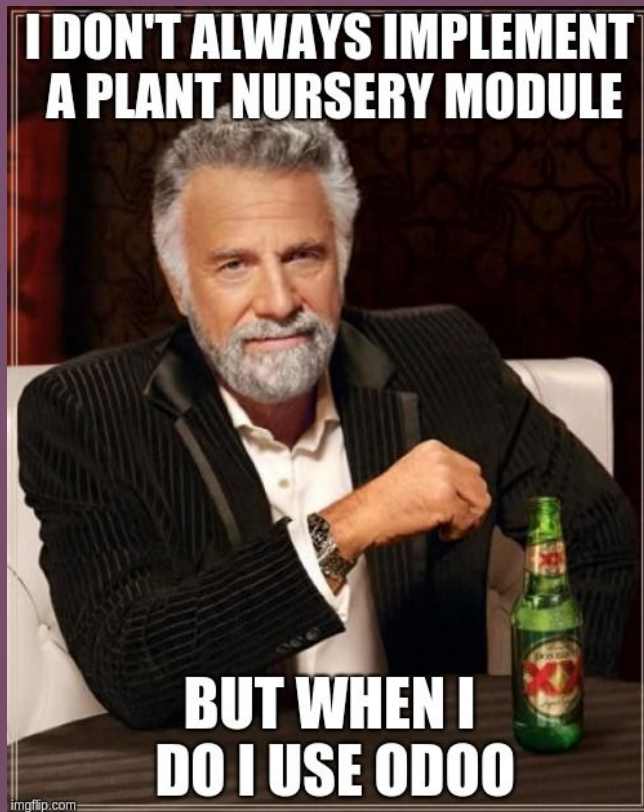
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The use case: **A Plant Nursery**



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Thanks Classy Cool Dev!
**But how could you be
so sure Odoo is the
perfect choice ?**



Architecture

- Three-tier
client/server/database
- Webclient in Javascript
- Server and backend modules
in Python
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Three-tier

- Presentation Layer (Client):
HTML5, JavaScript, CSS
- Application Layer (Server):
Python3
- Data Layer (database):
PostgreSQL



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MVC framework

- Model: data logic
- View: UI logic
- Controller: Interface



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ORM: Example

- Bridge the gap between python and postgresSQL
- Model definition :

```
class MyAwesomeCharacter(models.Model):  
    _name = 'my.awesome.character'  
  
    name = fields.Char(string="name", required=True)  
    friend = fields.Many2one('my.awesome.character', string='Best Friend')
```


ORM: Example

- Bridge the gap between python and postgresSQL
- Table definition :

```
Table "public.my_awesome_character"
  Column |          Type          | Collation | Nullable |          Default
-----+-----+-----+-----+-----
id       | integer                |           | not null | nextval('my_awesome_character_id_seq'::regclass)
name     | character varying      |           | not null |
friend   | integer                |           |          |
create_uid | integer                |           |          |
create_date | timestamp without time zone |           |          |
write_uid | integer                |           |          |
write_date | timestamp without time zone |           |          |
Indexes:
    "my_awesome_character_pkey" PRIMARY KEY, btree (id)
Foreign-key constraints:
    "my_awesome_character_create_uid_fkey" FOREIGN KEY (create_uid) REFERENCES res_users(id) ON DELETE SET NULL
    "my_awesome_character_friend_fkey" FOREIGN KEY (friend) REFERENCES my_awesome_character(id) ON DELETE SET NULL
    "my_awesome_character_write_uid_fkey" FOREIGN KEY (write_uid) REFERENCES res_users(id) ON DELETE SET NULL
Referenced by:
    TABLE "my_awesome_character" CONSTRAINT "my_awesome_character_friend_fkey"
    FOREIGN KEY (friend) REFERENCES my_awesome_character(id) ON DELETE SET NULL
```



ORM

- Bridge the gap between python and postgresSQL
- Pros
 - Less SQL
 - Abstracts the DB
 - Advanced Features (cache, security, ...)
 - Better SQL queries



ORM

- Bridge the gap between python and postgresSQL
- Cons
 - Performances ?
 - Training
 - Initial config
 - Less deep understanding

The Feature

- Manage a plant nursery:
 - List of plants
 - Manage orders
 - Keep a customers list



Technically

- You will learn:
 - Structure of a module
 - Definition of data models
 - Definition of views and menus





Structure of an **Odoo Module**

An Odoo module is:

- A manifest file
- Python code (models, logic)
- Data files, XML and CSV (base data, views, menus)
- Frontend resources (Javascript, CSS)



Plant Nursery

The manifest file __manifest__.py

```
# -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
# Part of Odoo. See LICENSE file for full copyright and licensing details.
{
    'name': 'Plant Nursery',
    'version': '1.0',
    'category': 'Tools',
    'summary': 'Plants and customers management',
    'depends': ['web'],
    'data': [
        'security/ir.model.access.csv',
        'data/data.xml',
        'views/views.xml',
    ],
    'demo': [
        'data/demo.xml',
    ],
    'css': [],
    'installable': True,
    'auto_install': False,
    'application': True,
}
```

Describe the models

plant_nursery/models.py

```
from odoo import fields, models
```

```
class Plants(models.Model):
```

```
    _name = 'nursery.plant'
```

```
    name = fields.Char("Plant Name")
```

```
    price = fields.Float()
```

```
class Customer(models.Model):
```

```
    _name = 'nursery.customer'
```

```
    name = fields.Char("Customer Name", required=True)
```

```
    email = fields.Char(help="To receive the newsletter")
```

<https://www.odoo.com/documentation/master/reference/orm.html>

Define the security

plant_nursery/security/ir.model.access.csv

```
id,name,model_id:id,group_id:id,perm_read,perm_write,perm_create,perm_unlink
access_nursery_plant,access_nursery_plant,plant_nursery.model_nursery_plant,base.group_user,1,1,1,1
access_nursery_customer,access_nursery_customer,plant_nursery.model_nursery_customer,base.group_user,1,1,1,1
```


Define the action

plant_nursery/views/nursery_views.xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<odoo>
  <record model="ir.actions.act_window" id="action_nursery_plant">
    <field name="name">Plants</field>
    <field name="res_model">nursery.plant</field>
    <field name="view_mode">tree,form</field>
  </record>

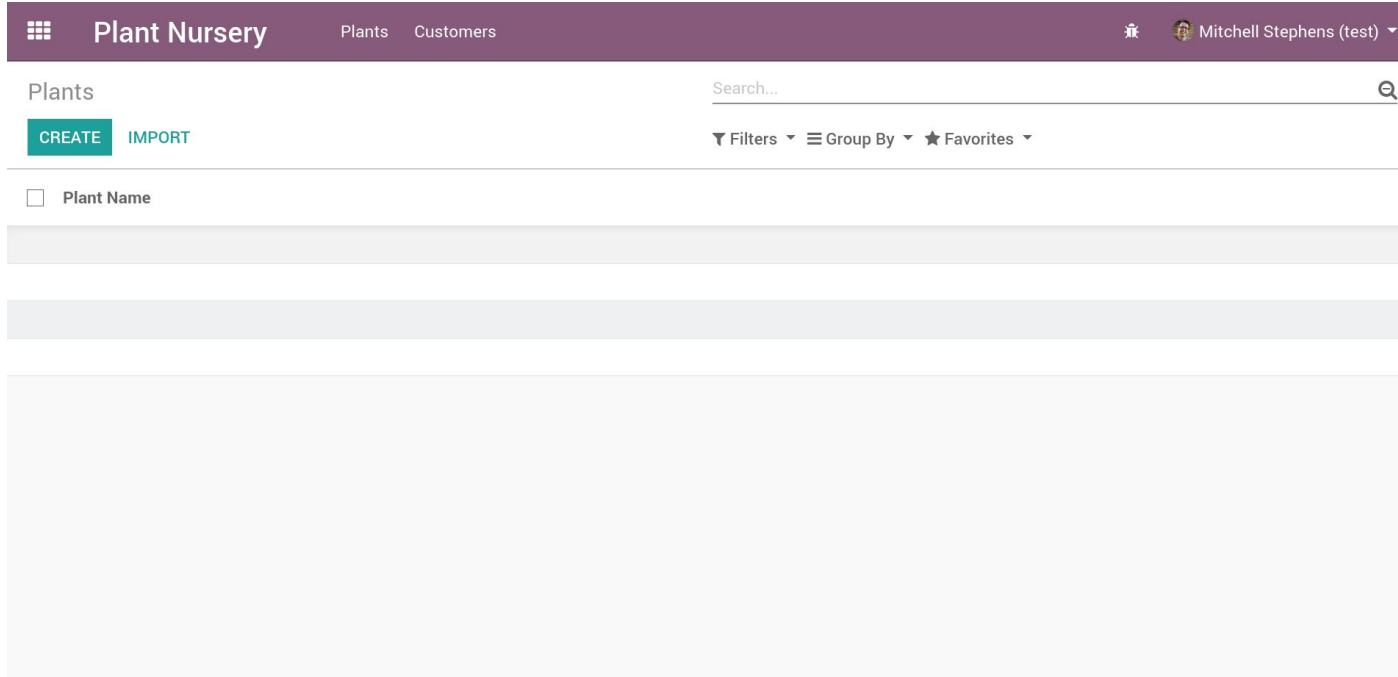
  <menuitem name="Plant Nursery" id="nursery_root_menu"
    web_icon="plant_nursery,static/description/icon.png"/>

  <menuitem name="Plants" id="nursery_plant_menu"
    parent="nursery_root_menu"
    action="action_nursery_plant"
    sequence="1"/>
</odoo>
```

<https://www.odoo.com/documentation/master/reference/orm.html#fields>

Watch the result

Auto generated views



The screenshot displays the Odoo web interface for a 'Plant Nursery' application. The top navigation bar is dark purple and contains a grid icon, the text 'Plant Nursery', and links for 'Plants' and 'Customers'. On the right side of the bar, there is a user profile icon and the name 'Mitchell Stephens (test)' with a dropdown arrow. Below the navigation bar, the main content area is titled 'Plants'. To the right of the title is a search bar labeled 'Search...' with a magnifying glass icon. Below the search bar, there are two buttons: 'CREATE' (highlighted in teal) and 'IMPORT' (in light blue). To the right of these buttons are three filter options: 'Filters' with a downward arrow, 'Group By' with a hamburger menu icon and a downward arrow, and 'Favorites' with a star icon and a downward arrow. Below the filters, there is a checkbox labeled 'Plant Name'. The main area below the filters is a large, empty light gray rectangle, representing the list of plants.

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Complex Views

Define a form view

plant_nursery/views/nursery_views.xml

```
<record model="ir.ui.view" id="nursery_plant_view_form">
  <field name="name">nursery.plant.view.form</field>
  <field name="model">nursery.plant</field>
  <field name="arch" type="xml">
    <form string="Plant">
      <sheet>
        <h1>
          <field name="name" placeholder="Plant Name"/>
        </h1>
        <notebook>
          <page string="Shop">
            <group>
              <field name="price"/>
            </group>
          </page>
        </notebook>
      </sheet>
    </form>
  </field>
</record>
```

Watch the result



Plant Nursery

Plants

Customers



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Plants / New

SAVE

DISCARD

Amaryllis

Shop

Price

7.45



Relations between models

Relations

- Many2one
- One2many
- Many2many



Relations

```
class Order(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.order'

    plant_id = fields.Many2one("nursery.plant", required=True)
    customer_id = fields.Many2one("nursery.customer")

class Plants(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.plant'

    order_ids = fields.One2many("nursery.order", "plant_id", string="Orders")
```

Watch the result



Plant Nursery

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Orders / nursery.order,1

EDIT

CREATE

Action ▾

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Plant

Amaryllis

Customer

Norbert Brant



ORM Interactions

Basic Operations

- Read
- Write
- Create
- Unlink
- Search



ORM Interactions

```
class Order(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.order'

    name = fields.Datetime(default=fields.Datetime.now)
    plant_id = fields.Many2one("nursery.plant", required=True)
    customer_id = fields.Many2one("nursery.customer")
    state = fields.Selection([
        ('draft', 'Draft'),
        ('confirm', 'Confirmed'),
        ('cancel', 'Canceled')
    ], default='draft')
    last_modification = fields.Datetime(readonly=True)
```


ORM Interactions

```
class Order(model.Models):
    _name = 'nursery.order'

    def write(self, values):
        # helper to "YYYY-MM-DD"
        values['last_modification'] = fields.Datetime.now()

        return super(Order, self).write(values)

    def unlink(self):
        # self is a recordset
        for order in self:
            if order.state == 'confirm':
                raise UserError("You can not delete confirmed orders")

        return super(Order, self).unlink()
```

ORM Interactions

```
<record model="ir.ui.view" id="nursery_order_form">
  <field name="name">Order Form View</field>
  <field name="model">nursery.order</field>
  <field name="arch" type="xml">
    <form string="Plant Order">
      <header>
        <field name="state" widget="statusbar" options="{ 'clickable': '1' }"/>
      </header>
      <sheet>
        <group col="4">
          <group colspan="2">
            <field name="plant_id" />
            <field name="customer_id" />
          </group>
          <group colspan="2">
            <field name="last_modification" />
          </group>
        </group>
      </sheet>
    </form>
  </field>
</record>
```

Watch the result



Plant Nursery

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Orders / 2018-09-06 11:06:52

EDIT

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CONFIRMED

CANCELED

Plant

Amaryllis

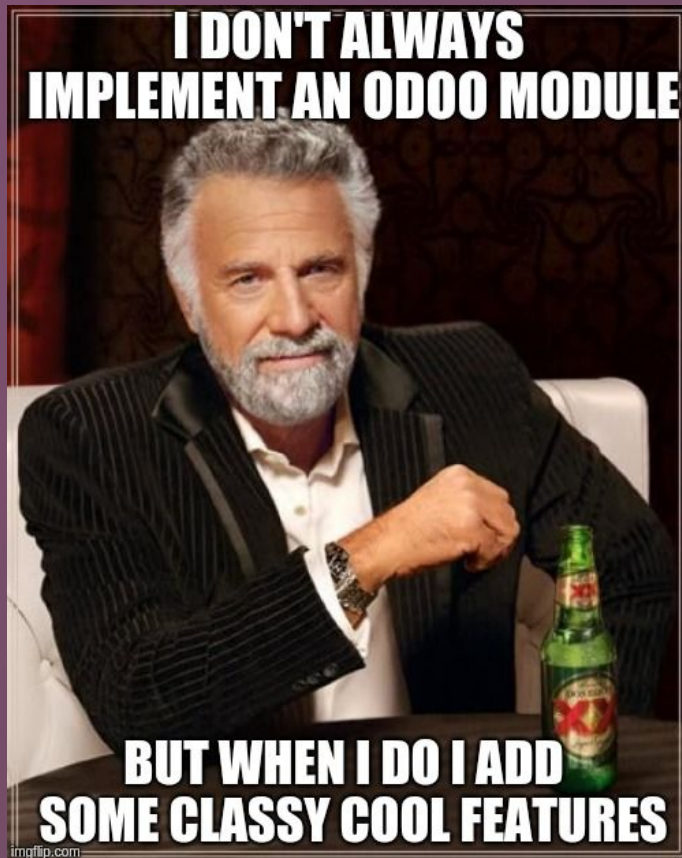
Last Modification

09/06/2018 11:07:49

Customer

Norbert Brant

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Thanks Classy Cool Dev!
**What else could you
show us ?**

Computed Fields

- For complex values
- Trigger for recompute
- Stored or not in database



Computed Fields

```
class Plants(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.plant'

    order_count = fields.Integer(compute='_compute_order_count',
                                store=True,
                                string="Total sold")

    @api.depends('order_ids')
    def _compute_order_count(self):
        for plant in self:
            plant.order_count = len(plant.order_ids)
```

Model Constraints

- Triggered after every creation or modification
- Instead of overriding create & write



Model Constraints

```
class Plants(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.plant'

    number_in_stock = fields.Integer()

    @api.constrains('order_count', 'number_in_stock')
    def _check_available_in_stock(self):
        for plant in self:
            if plant.number_in_stock and \
                plant.order_count > plant.number_in_stock:
                raise UserError("There is only %s %s in stock but %s were sold"
                                % (plant.number_in_stock, plant.name, plant.order_count))
```

Kanban View

- Display information in a tile
- Add a picture of the plant
- Aggregated view to visualize the flow (will need a search view)



Define a Kanban View

```
class Plants(models.Model):  
    _name = 'nursery.plant'  
  
    image = fields.Binary("Plant Image", attachment=True)
```

```
<record model="ir.actions.act_window" id="action_nursery_order">  
    <field name="name">Orders</field>  
    <field name="res_model">nursery.order</field>  
    <field name="view_mode">kanban,tree,form</field>  
</record>
```

Define a Kanban View

```
<record id="nursery_plant_view_kanban" model="ir.ui.view">
  <field name="name">nursery.plant.view.kanban</field>
  <field name="model">nursery.plant</field>
  <field name="arch" type="xml">
    <kanban>
      <field name="id"/>
      <field name="image"/>
      <templates>
        <t t-name="kanban-box">
          <div class="oe_kanban_global_click">
            <div class="o_kanban_image">
              
            </div>
            <div class="oe_kanban_details">
              <strong class="o_kanban_record_title"><field name="name"/></strong>
              <ul><li><strong>Price: <field name="price"></field></strong></li></ul>
            </div>
          </div>
        </t>
      </templates>
    </kanban>
  </field>
</record>
```

Watch the result



Plant Nursery

Plants

Customers

Orders



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Plants

Search...



CREATE

IMPORT

⌵ Filters ▾ ≡ Group By ▾ ★ Favorites ▾

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Amaryllis

Price: 7.45

Watch the result



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Orders

Search...



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IMPORT

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Joel Willis



09/06/2018 11:06:52

Norbert Brant



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Norbert Brant



Define a Search View

```
<record id="nursery_order_view_search" model="ir.ui.view">
  <field name="name">nursery.order.view.search</field>
  <field name="model">nursery.order</field>
  <field name="arch" type="xml">
    <search string="Search Orders">
      <field name="plant_id" string="Plant"/>
      <field name="customer_id" string="Customer"/>
      <field name="state"/>
      <filter string="Confirmed" name="confirmed"
        domain="['state', '=', 'confirm']"/>
      <separator />
      <group expand="0" string="Group By">
        <filter string="State" name="group_by_state"
          domain="[]" context="{ 'group_by': 'state' }"/>
      </group>
    </search>
  </field>
</record>
```

Display all the states

```
class Order(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.order'

    state = fields.Selection([
        ('draft', 'Draft'),
        ('confirm', 'Confirmed'),
        ('cancel', 'Canceled')
    ], default='draft', group_expand="_expand_states")

    def _expand_states(self, states, domain, order):
        return [key for key, val in type(self).state.selection]
```


Always group by state

```
<record model="ir.actions.act_window" id="action_nursery_order">  
  <field name="name">Orders</field>  
  <field name="res_model">nursery.order</field>  
  <field name="view_mode">kanban,tree,form</field>  
  <field name="context">{'search_default_group_by_state': 1}</field>  
</record>
```

Watch the result



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Orders



State ✕

Search...



CREATE

IMPORT

Filters ▾

Group By ▾

★ Favorites ▾



Draft

09/06/2018 12:36:59

Norbert Brant



Confirmed

09/06/2018 11:06:52

Norbert Brant



09/06/2018 11:00:26

Joel Willis



Canceled

Onchange methods

```
class Customer(models.Model):
    _name = 'nursery.customer'
    _description = 'Nursery Customer'

    name = fields.Char('Customer Name', required=True)
    email = fields.Char(help="To receive the newsletter")
    mobile = fields.Char('Mobile')
    image = fields.Binary('Photo', attachment=True)
    address = fields.Char('Address')
    country_id = fields.Many2one('res.country', string='Country')
    partner_id = fields.Many2one('res.partner', string='Customer Address')
```

Onchange methods

```
@api.onchange('partner_id')
def _onchange_partner_id(self):
    if self.partner_id:
        if self.partner_id.image_1920:
            self.image = self.partner_id.image_1920
        if self.partner_id.email:
            self.email = self.partner_id.email
        if self.partner_id.mobile:
            self.mobile = self.partner_id.mobile
        if self.partner_id.country_id:
            self.country_id = self.partner_id.country_id.id
        if not self.address:
            self.address =
self.partner_id.with_context(show_address_only=True,
address_inline=True)._get_name()
```

Watch the result



Plant Nursery

Plants

Customers

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Customers / New

SAVE

DISCARD

Norbert Brant



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azure.Interior24@example.com

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Chaussée de Namur 40, Gd Rosiere, 1367 R:

Country

United States ▾



Customer Address

Azure Interior ▾




ir.sequence

```
<!-- Sequences for plant.orders -->  
<record id="seq_plant_order" model="ir.sequence">  
  <field name="name">Plant Orders</field>  
  <field name="code">plant.order</field>  
  <field name="prefix">Order</field>  
  <field name="padding">3</field>  
  <field name="company_id" eval="False"/>  
</record>
```


ir.sequence

```
@api.model
def create(self, vals):
    if vals.get('name', _('New')) == _('New'):
        if 'company_id' in vals:
            vals['name'] = self.env['ir.sequence'].with_context(
                force_company=vals['company_id']
            ).next_by_code('plant.order') or _('New')
        else:
            vals['name'] = self.env['ir.sequence'].next_by_code('plant.order') or _('New')
    return super(Order, self).create(vals)
```

Watch the result

 **Plant Nursery**

PlantsCustomersOrdersConfiguration

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Orders / Order002

EDITCREATE

Action ▾

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CONFIRM

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Order002

Responsible	Mitchell Admin	Company	YourCompany
Category		Amount	7.00 €
Customer	Norbert	Confirmation date	

Plant	Price
My Plant	7.00

Thank you.

<https://github.com/tivisse/odoodays-2019>



#odooexperience

Based on work from Thibault DELAVALLEE and Martin TRIGAUX, that was based on work from Damien BOUVY