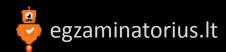
Composer

Dependency management

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What is Composer?

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Command-line utility

Dependency manager

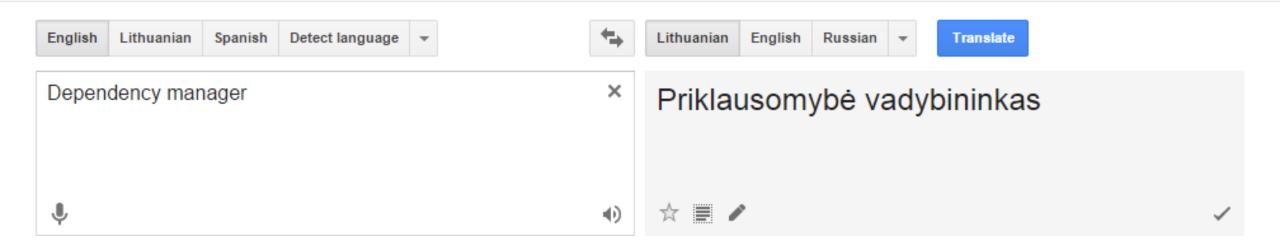
Autoloader generator

Project bootstrapper

Requirements

PHP
Git (Mercurial, Subversion)
Command line

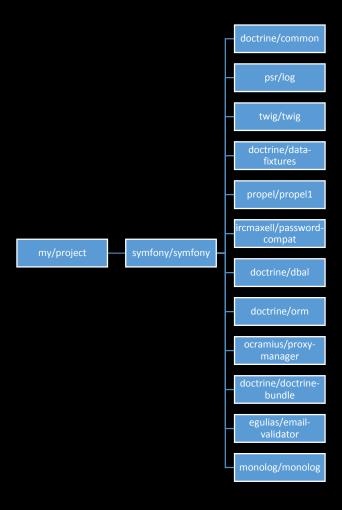
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my/project

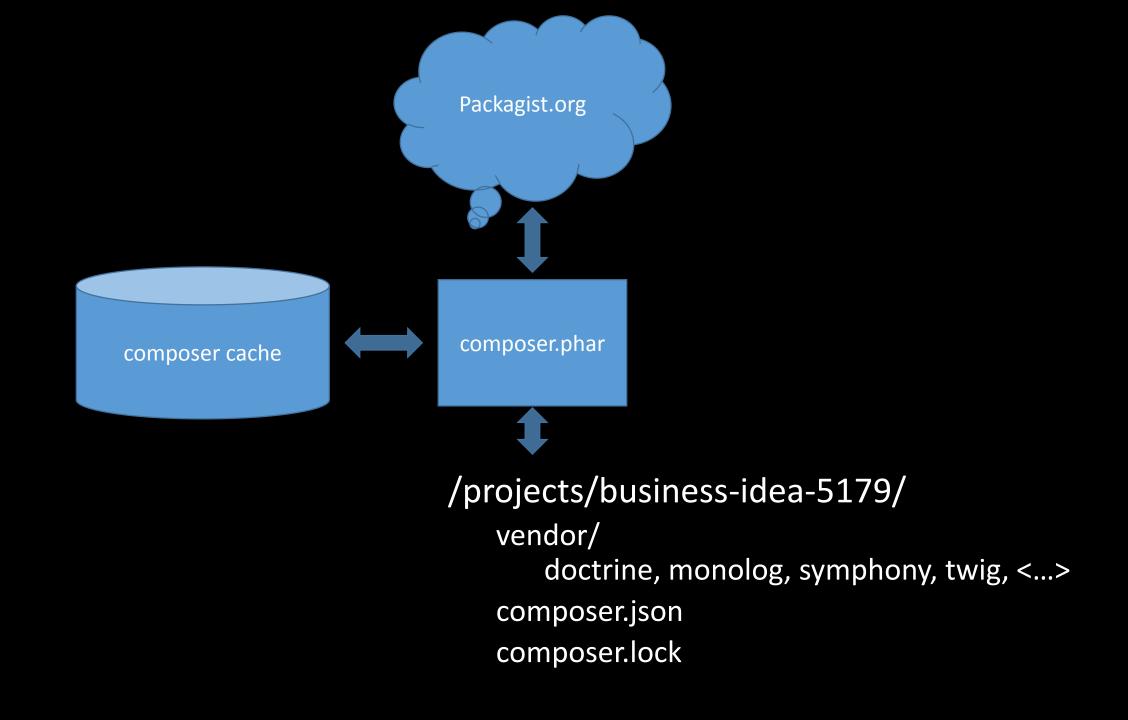
my/project

symfony/symfony









Command-line utility

- > composer install
- > composer update
- > composer init
- > composer require
- > composer create-project

composer.json

```
"require": {
    "symfony/console": "~2.5"
```

composer install

Generating autoload files

```
Installing dependencies (including require-dev)
  - Installing symfony/console (v2.5.5)
    Loading from cache

symfony/console suggests installing symfony/event-dispatcher ()
symfony/console suggests installing psr/log (For using the console logger)
Writing lock file
```

Loading composer repositories with package information

composer.json

```
"require": {
    "symfony/console": "~2.5",
    "monolog/monolog": "~1.10"
```

composer install

Loading composer repositories with package information
Installing dependencies (including require-dev) from lock file
Warning: The lock file is not up to date with the latest changes in composer.json. You may be getting outdated dependencies. Run update to update
Nothing to install or update

composer update

```
Loading composer repositories with package information
Updating dependencies (including require-dev)
  - Installing psr/log (1.0.0)
    Loading from cache
  - Installing monolog/monolog (1.11.0)
    Loading from cache
monolog/monolog suggests installing graylog2/gelf-php (Allow sending log messages to a GrayLog2 server)
monolog/monolog suggests installing raven/raven (Allow sending log messages to a Sentry server)
monolog/monolog suggests installing doctrine/couchdb (Allow sending log messages to a CouchDB server)
monolog/monolog suggests installing ruflin/elastica (Allow sending log messages to an Elastic Search server)
monolog/monolog suggests installing videlalvaro/php-amqplib (Allow sending log messages to an AMQP server using php-amqplib)
monolog/monolog suggests installing ext-ampp (Allow sending log messages to an AMQP server (1.0+ required))
monolog/monolog suggests installing ext-mongo (Allow sending log messages to a MongoDB server)
monolog/monolog suggests installing aws/aws-sdk-php (Allow sending log messages to AWS services like DynamoDB)
monolog/monolog suggests installing rollbar/rollbar (Allow sending log messages to Rollbar)
Writing lock file
Generating autoload files
```

Project folder

- vendor/
 - composer/
 - monolog/
 - psr/
 - symfony/
 - autoload.php
- composer.json
- composer.lock

Version control

vendor/ composer/ monolog/ opsr/ symfony/ autoload.php composer.json composer.lock

```
<?php
require 'vendor/autoload.php';
use Symfony\Component\Console\Application;
$application = new Application();
$application->run();
```

```
<?php
require 'vendor/autoload.php';
use Monolog\Logger;
use Monolog\Handler\StreamHandler;
use Symfony\Component\Console\Application;
$logger = new Logger('console_log');
$logger->pushHandler(new StreamHandler(dirname($_SERVER['SCRIPT_FILENAME']) . '/logs/console.log'));
$logger->info('A command was called.');
$application = new Application();
$application->run();
```

composer.json

```
"require": {
    "symfony/console": "~2.5",
    "monolog/monolog": "~1.10"
},
"autoload": {
    "psr-4": {
        "": "src/"
```

```
<?php
require 'vendor/autoload.php';
use Kewlar\DataToolsBundle\Command;
use Monolog\Logger;
use Monolog\Handler\StreamHandler;
use Symfony\Component\Console\Application;
$logger = new Logger('console log');
$logger->pushHandler(new StreamHandler(dirname($_SERVER['SCRIPT_FILENAME']) . '/logs/console.log'));
$logger->info('A command was called.');
$application = new Application();
$application->add(new Command\DatabaseStatsCommand);
$application->add(new Command\DatabaseCopyCommand);
$application->add(new Command\TableCopyCommand);
$application->add(new Command\DataImportCommand);
$application->add(new Command\DataExportCommand);
$application->add(new Command\DataNormalizeCommand);
$application->run();
```

Package names

Packagist

Popular Packages

monolog/monolog Sends your logs to files, sockets, inboxes, databases and various web services	④ 6 865 606 ★ 65
psr/log Common interface for logging libraries	③ 6 267 737 ★ 28
swiftmailer/swiftmailer Swiftmailer, free feature-rich PHP mailer	⊙ 5 667 995 ★ 41
symfony/event-dispatcher Symfony EventDispatcher Component	⊙ 5 328 366 ★ 6
symfony/console Symfony Console Component	④ 4 886 135 ★ 28
doctrine/annotations Docblock Annotations Parser	● 4 541 603 ★ 3
twig/twig Twig, the flexible, fast, and secure template language for PHP	④ 4 834 193 ★ 63
doctrine/lexer Base library for a lexer that can be used in Top-Down, Recursive Descent Parsers.	● 4341263 ★ 1

Other sources

- PEAR
- Git
- Mercurial
- Subversion

Versions

- 1.0.2
- >=1.0 >=1.0,<2.0 >=1.0,<1.1 | >=1.2
- 1.2.*
- ~1.2
- dev-master

Project bootstrapper

Symfony

Silex

Laravel

Yii

Monolog

SwiftMailer

Twig

Doctrine

d:\www\spikes\composer\symfony>composer create-project symfony/framework-standard-edition .

composer.json

```
"name": "symfony/framework-standard-edition",
"license": "MIT",
 "type": "project",
"description": "The \"Symfony Standard Edition\" distribution",
"autoload": {
        "psr-0": { "": "src/", "SymfonyStandard": "app/" }
  "require": {
      "php": ">=5.3.3",
"symfony/symfony": "2.5.*",
"doctrine/orm": "~2.2,>=2.2.3",
         "doctrine/doctrine-bundle": "~1.2",
         "twig/extensions": "~1.0",
        "symfony/assetic-bundle": "~2.3",
        "symfony/swiftmailer-bundle": "~2.3",
         "symfony/monolog-bundle": "~2.4",
          "sensio/framework-extra-bundle": "~3.0",
          "incenteev/composer-parameter-handler": "~2.0"
        "sensio/generator-bundle": "~2.3"
 "scripts": {
        "post-root-package-install": [
                  "SymfonyStandard\\Composer::hookRootPackageInstall"
                 "Incenteev\\ParameterHandler\\ScriptHandler::buildParameters",
                  "Sensio\Bundle\DistributionBundle\Composer\ScriptHandler::buildBootstrap",
                  "Sensio\Bundle\DistributionBundle\Composer\ScriptHandler::clearCache",
                   "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installAssets",
                  "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installRequirementsFile",
                  "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::removeSymfonyStandardFiles'
                  "Incenteev\\ParameterHandler\\ScriptHandler::buildParameters",
                   "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::buildBootstrap",
                  "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::clearCache".
                  "Sensio\Bundle\Composer\ScriptHandler::installAssets",
                  "Sensio\Bundle\Composer\ScriptHandler::installRequirementsFile", and the property of the composer of the com
 "config": {
        "bin-dir": "bin"
        "symfony-app-dir": "app",
        "symfony-web-dir": "web",
        "incenteev-parameters": {
          "branch-alias": {
                "dev-master": "2.5-dev"
```

```
"name": "symfony/framework-standard-edition",
"license": "MIT",
"type": "project",
"description": "The \"Symfony Standard Edition\" distribution",
"autoload": {
   "psr-0": { "": "src/", "SymfonyStandard": "app/" }
"require": {
   "php": ">=5.3.3",
   "symfony/symfony": "2.5.*",
   "doctrine/orm": "~2.2,>=2.2.3",
   "doctrine/doctrine-bundle": "~1.2",
   "twig/extensions": "~1.0",
   "symfony/assetic-bundle": "~2.3",
   "symfony/swiftmailer-bundle": "~2.3",
   "symfony/monolog-bundle": "~2.4",
   "sensio/distribution-bundle": "~3.0",
   "sensio/framework-extra-bundle": "~3.0",
   "incenteev/composer-parameter-handler": "~2.0"
"require-dev": {
   "sensio/generator-bundle": "~2.3"
"scripts": {
   "post-root-package-install": [
       "SymfonyStandard\\Composer::hookRootPackageInstall"
   "post-install-cmd": [
       "Incenteev\\ParameterHandler\\ScriptHandler::buildParameters",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::buildBootstrap",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::clearCache",
        "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installAssets",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installRequirementsFile",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::removeSymfonyStandardFiles"
   "post-update-cmd": [
       "Incenteev\\ParameterHandler\\ScriptHandler::buildParameters",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::buildBootstrap",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::clearCache",
       "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installAssets",
        "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::installRequirementsFile",
        "Sensio\\Bundle\\DistributionBundle\\Composer\\ScriptHandler::removeSymfonyStandardFiles"
"config": {
   "bin-dir": "bin"
"extra": {
   "symfony-app-dir": "app",
   "symfony-web-dir": "web",
   "incenteev-parameters": {
       "file": "app/config/parameters.yml"
   "branch-alias": {
       "dev-master": "2.5-dev"
```

Other useful commands

- > composer init
 - Create a basic composer.json interactively
- > composer require
 - Add and install a package requirement interactively
- > composer search
 Search for packages
- > composer show
 - Show information about packages

Common problems

The package is not on Packagist

- Add to src/, or
- Make it a package
- (and, optionally, publish it)

composer install/update fails

- Check your dependencies
- Try using HTTP instead of HTTPS
- Clear cache

Questions?

Resources

- https://getcomposer.org/
- https://packagist.org/