

Code Management

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Code Management through Subversion

We currently use Subversion (a.k.a. SVN) to manage all source code.

Code Repositories and Code Trees

The trunk code repositories as of August 2016 are:

- usr - Utility scripts and batch jobs that deployed to the target system directories under `/usr/local/`.
- php - All PHP code
- sql - Database-related SQL scripts, which includes table, view, trigger and stored procedure groups
- rabbit - RabbitMQ messenger scripts

USR Code Tree



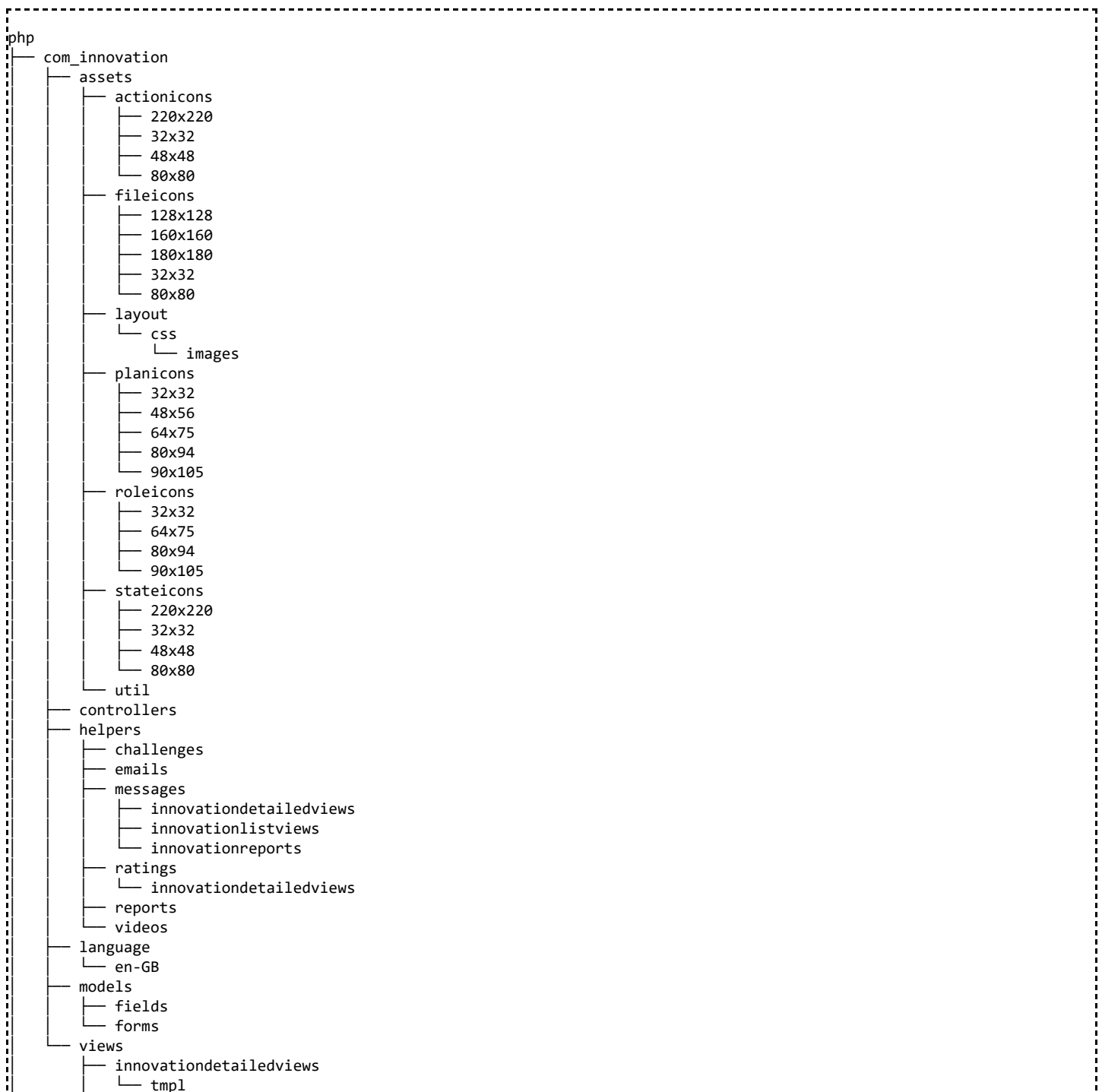
Deployment of the USR code tree

[sandbox]/usr/local/bin contains both server-side processes and client-side developer utilities. Deploy the contents of this directory on both servers and development workstations to the local /usr/local/bin directory. Do the same for the directories [sandbox]/usr/local/lib and [sandbox]/usr/local/share directories.

[sandbox]/usr/local/sbin contains daemon processes. These need to be deployed only on servers that will execute these daemons in the respective /usr/local/sbin directories.

[sandbox]/usr/local/etc/cron contains cron job scripts. Some of the cron job scripts invoke processes in /usr/local/bin and /usr/local/sbin directories. Cron job scripts are also only deployed on servers that are assigned to execute them. A deployed cron jobs is assigned to executing to the certain execution pattern by adding a symbolic link to the cron script in any of the directories /etc/cron.hourly, /etc/cron.daily, /etc/cron.weekly or /etc/cron.monthly.

PHP Code Tree





Deployment of the PHP code tree

(TODO)

SQL Code Tree

```
sql
├── charts
├── data
├── design
├── etl
├── hacks
├── storedprocs
├── tables
├── triggers
└── views
```

Deployment of the SQL code tree

(TODO)

Rabbit Code Tree

(not is use yet)

Subversion Methods

More details about Subversion here: <http://svnbook.red-bean.com>

Creating a Sandbox

Create a new Sandbox directory when starting with a new sub-project, e.g. for the PHP code tree do this:

```
$ mkdir TEC-1107
$ cd TEC-1107
$ svn checkout http://mapp01/svn/matchi/trunk/php
```

Updating Code into your Sandbox

You can update an entire directory and its child directories by going to the relevant directory and doing an update from there:

```
$ svn update
```

Or you can update a specific file only into your sandbox:

```
$ svn update [file]
```

Adding a file to the code base

This step only marks the file(s) or directory for later checking-in, you still need to perform a check-in / commit before the file is properly lodged in Subversion.

```
$ svn add [file1] [file2] [file3] ...
```

You should also include in a comment section in each file a keyword string that automatically expands the check-in version details when the file is eventually committed:

- Add the following in a comment in the top of each file:

For PHP Code:

```
// $Id: $
```

For SQL scripts:

```
-- $Id: $
```

For BASH and Perl scripts:

```
# $Id: $
```

This will expand on check-in to something similar to this:

```
# $Id: scan_appcode.sh 3467 2016-03-05 13:47:16Z gerrit $
```

Also set the "Id" property so that Subversion knows that the keyword string "\$Id: \$" needs to be expanded:

```
$ svn propset svn:keywords "Id" [file]
```

Special case: For executable files like batch scripts and cron scripts, the executable flag needs to be set and needs to persist in Subversion, so for BASH and Perl command-line scripts, we also need to do this:

```
$ svn propset svn:executable on [file]
```

A utility exists that sets this correct properties on all files in the current directory: `/usr/local/bin/svnpropset.sh`. Simply run it before checking brand new files in:

```
$ svnpropset.sh
```

Checking in / Committing code changes

Code changes need to be associated with a Change Issue Id that is recorded in JIRA. See <http://jira.matchi.biz>. The Change Issue Id is in the form TEC-[number] and needs to be included in the comment when one or more files are checked into Subversion:

```
$ svn ci -m "TEC-[xxxx] [optional further comment]" [file1] [file2] [file3] ...
```

It is necessary to specify the actual file names: If you don't all files that have been changed will automatically be selected and checked-in.

```
$ svn ci -m "TEC-[xxxx] [optional further comment]"
```

Compare two versions of a file that are already checked-in in Subversion

```
$ svn diff -r [release_1_id]:[release_2_id] [filename]
```

Compare the current working file to the last version that was checked in

You might want to do this

```
$ svn diff [file]
```

If you want to highlight the differences in colour, get Subversion to use the diff-tool of your choice rather than the default one and then pipe it through a colourizer like colourdiff:

```
$ svn diff --diff-cmd /usr/bin/diff -x --ignore-all-space [file] | colordiff
```

A utility program exists in `/usr/local/bin/svndiff.sh` that does the same thing.

Compare a file to the previous checked in version

```
$ svn diff -r PREV [file]
```

If you want to highlight the differences in colour, get Subversion to use the diff-tool of your choice rather than the default one and then pipe it through a colourizer like colourdiff:

```
$ svn diff --diff-cmd /usr/bin/diff -x --ignore-all-space -r PREV [file] | colordiff
```

A utility program exists in `/usr/local/bin/svnprev.sh` that does the same thing.

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