



Web development that doesn't hurt

Ruby on Rails® is an open-source web framework that's optimized for programmer happiness and sustainable productivity. It lets you write beautiful code by favoring convention over configuration.

[Rails 3.0: Beta 4](#), [RailsConf '10](#), [Rails 2.3.8](#), [Rails 2.3: Templates, Engines, Rack, Metal, much more!](#)

Get Excited

```
class PostsController <
  # GET /posts
  # GET /posts.xml
  def index
    @posts = Post.find(

    respond_to do |form
      format.html # ind
      format.xml { ren
      format.json { ren
      format.atom

    end
  end
end
```

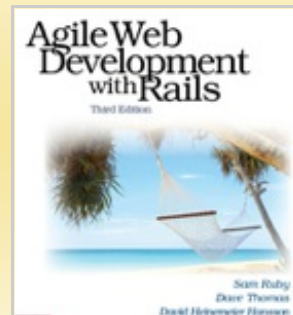
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[2.3.8 released May 25, 2010](#)

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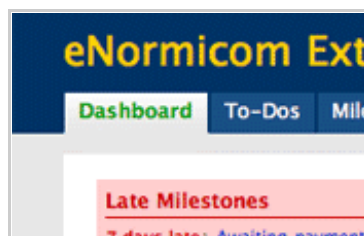
“Ruby on Rails is a breakthrough in lowering the barriers of entry to programming. Powerful web applications that formerly might have taken weeks or months to develop can be produced in a matter of days.”

-Tim O'Reilly, Founder of O'Reilly Media

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Who is already on Rails?

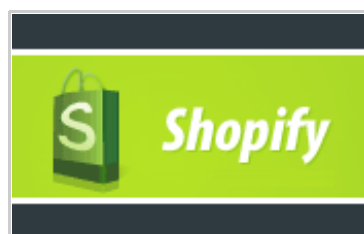
Tens of thousands of Rails applications are already live. People are using Rails in the tiniest part-time operations to the biggest companies.



[Basecamp](#): The original Rails app.



[Twitter](#): Stay connected.



[Shopify](#): E-commerce made easy.



[Yellow Pages](#): Find it locally.



[Github](#): Git repo hosting.



[Lighthouse](#): Simple bug tracking.

See more [amazing applications](#) done with Ruby on Rails.

Who is behind it?

Rails was created in 2003 by [David Heinemeier Hansson](#) and has since been extended by the [Rails core team](#), [more than 1,400 contributors](#), and supported by a [vibrant ecosystem](#).

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