

Testing

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Introduction

Occasionally, you may need to update an existing model or create a new model if no matching model exists. Like the firstOrCreate method, the updateOrCreate method persists the model, so there's no need to manually call the save method.

In the example below, if a flight exists with a departure location of Oakland and a destination location of San Diego, its price and discounted columns will be updated. If no such flight exists, a new flight will be created which has the attributes resulting from merging the first argument array with the second argument array:

\$flight = Flight::updateOrCreate(['departure' => 'Oakland', 'destination' => 'San Diego'], ['price' => 99, 'discounted' => 1]);

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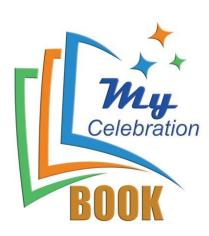
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