



elixir



Ecto in Elixir: Exploring from the basics.

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What's new on Elixir

- Production release 1.8.1
 - Custom struct inspections
 - `@derive {Inspect, only: []}`
 - `@derive {Inspect, except: []}`
 - Calendar and Time zone functionality
 - Faster compilation time 5% faster on average.
 - Improved instrumentation `$callers` and `$ancestors` when working with processes.
 - Enhacements: Eex, ExUnit
 - <https://github.com/elixir-lang/elixir/releases>

Agenda

- What is Ecto
- Use cases
- Package Structure
- Main Components

What is?

- Integrated query language for Elixir
- Toolkit for data mapping

History

- Based on: Language Integrated Query (LINQ)

<https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/csharp/programming-guide/concepts/linq/>

Released 2007

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- Version 3.0.6
- 108 releases
- 474 contributors
- 958 forks
- 3 issues
- 3 pull requests

Package Info

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ecto 3.0.6

A toolkit for data mapping and language integrated query for Elixir

Links

[Online documentation](#) ([download](#))
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[3.0.6](#) December 31, 2018 ([docs](#))
[3.0.5](#) December 8, 2018 ([docs](#))
[3.0.4](#) November 29, 2018 ([docs](#))
[3.0.3](#) November 20, 2018 ([docs](#))
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Dependencies (3)

[decimal](#) ~> 1.6
[jason](#) ~> 1.0 (optional)
[poison](#) ~> 2.2 or ~> 3.0 (optional)

Config

`mix.exs`
 ✖

Checksum

`d33ab5b3f7553a41507d` ✖

Build Tools

`mix`

Owners

 ericmj
 josevalim
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Dependents (398)

[phoenix_ecto](#), [ex_machina](#),
[ecto](#) [sal](#). [sentriv](#). [crontab](#).

elixir-ecto/ecto: A database wrapper and language integrated query for Elixir <https://hexdocs.pm/ecto>

4,339 commits 6 branches 107 releases 468 contributors Apache-2.0

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File / Commit	Description	Time Ago
examples/friends	Move associations guide	3 months ago
guides	Optimize logo assets in Readme and guides (#2729)	3 months ago
integration_test	Only use text columns in Order schema	a day ago
lib	Add error clause result of rollback in multi trans (#2867)	3 hours ago
test	Add error clause result of rollback in multi trans (#2867)	3 hours ago
.formatter.exs	Remove "timestamps: 0" from .formatter.exs (#2527)	8 months ago
.gitignore	Move ecto_sql to a separate repository	3 months ago
.travis.yml	Move ecto_sql to a separate repository	3 months ago
CHANGELOG.md	Update CHANGELOG about the lock	8 days ago
ISSUE_TEMPLATE.md	Update ISSUE_TEMPLATE.md	10 months ago
LICENSE.md	Include the actual LICENSE under LICENSE	a month ago
README.md	Typo	a month ago

How Ecto is used?

- Interact with databases via `Ecto.Adapters.SQL` following the repository pattern.
 - Eg: Postgresql, MySQL, SQLite, Mnesia
- Map data from any source into Elixir Structs, regardless if are backed by a database or not

Database Access

- Repository
 - Single point of source to interact with DB
 - Splits behaviour and data
- Active Record
 - Objects carry both persistent data and behavior which operates on that data.
 - https://guides.rubyonrails.org/active_record_basics.html#the-active-record-pattern

Ecto package Structure

- ecto
 - Data structures
 - Data change tracking
- ecto_sql
 - Provides building blocks for writing SQL adapters for Ecto
 - Default implementations for Postgres and MySql
 - Test Sandbox
 - Migrations
 - Dependencies: ecto, telemetry

Main Components

- Repo
- Schema
- Changeset
- Query
- Multi

Ecto.Repo

- Repositories are wrappers around the data store. Via the repository, we can create, update, destroy and query existing entries. A repository needs an adapter and credentials to communicate to the database

Ecto.Schema

- Schemas are used to map any data source into an Elixir struct.

Ecto.Changeset

- Provide a way for developers to filter and cast external parameters, as well as mechanism to track and validate changes before they are applied to your data

Ecto.Query

- Written in Elixir syntax, queries are used to retrieve information from a given repository. Queries in Ecto are secure, avoiding common problems like SQL Injection, while still being composable, allowing developers to build queries piece by piece instead of all at once.

Ecto.Multi

- Used to run transactional operations.
- All or nothing

Testing

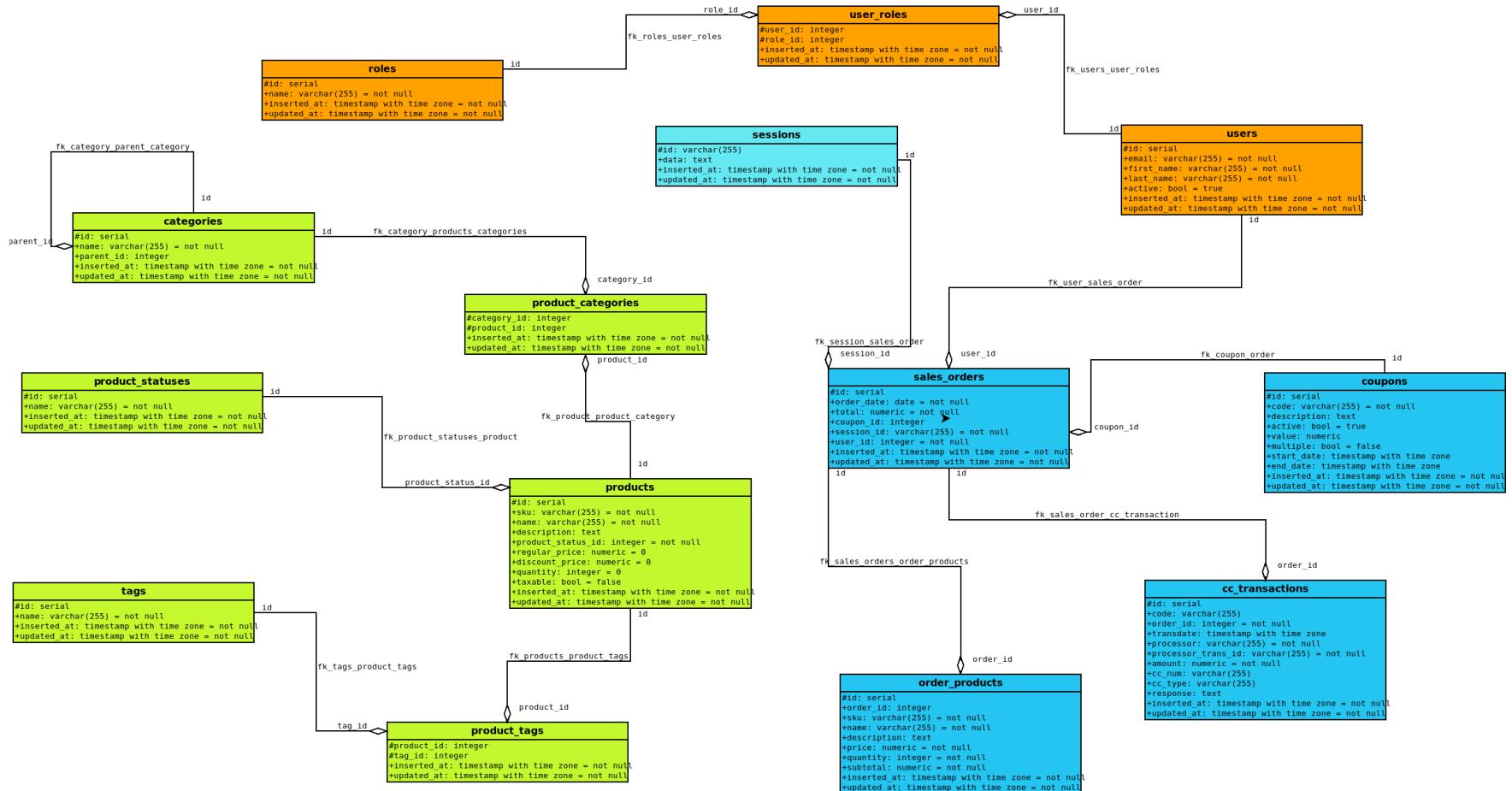
- Ecto.Adapters.SQL.Sandbox
 - A pool for concurrent transactional tests
 - Could be configured to run with one connection or shared connections.



Talk is cheap. Show me the code.

— *Linus Torvalds* —

e-commerce-db



<https://github.com/ramortegui/e-commerce-db>

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```
~/projects/elixir $ mix new mini_commerce --sup
* creating README.md
* creating .formatter.exs
* creating .gitignore
* creating mix.exs
* creating config
* creating config/config.exs
* creating lib
* creating lib/mini_commerce.ex
* creating lib/mini_commerce/application.ex
* creating test
* creating test/test_helper.exs
* creating test/mini_commerce_test.exs
```

Your Mix project was created successfully.
You can use "mix" to compile it, test it, and more:

```
cd mini_commerce
mix test
```

Run "mix help" for more commands.
~/projects/elixir \$

```
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24 use Mix.Project
23
22 def project do
21   [
20     app: :mini_commerce,
19     version: "0.1.0",
18     elixir: "~> 1.8",
17     start_permanent: Mix.env() == :prod,
16     deps: deps()
15   ]
14 end
13
12 # Run "mix help compile.app" to learn about applications.
11 def application do
10   [
9     extra_applications: [:logger],
8     mod: {MiniCommerce.Application, []}
7   ]
6 end
5
4 # Run "mix help deps" to learn about dependencies.
3 defp deps do
2   [
1     {:ecto_sql, ">= 3.0.4"},
0     {:postgrex, ">= 0.14.0"}
1     # {:dep_from_git, git: "https://github.com/elixir-lang/my_dep.git", tag: "0.1.0"}
mix.exs
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```
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce $ mix deps.get
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Resolving Hex dependencies...

Dependency resolution completed:

New:

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connection 1.0.4
db_connection 2.0.3
decimal 1.6.0
ecto 3.0.6
ecto_sql 3.0.4
postgrex 0.14.1
telemetry 0.3.0
```

```
* Getting ecto_sql (Hex package)
* Getting postgrex (Hex package)
* Getting connection (Hex package)
* Getting db_connection (Hex package)
* Getting decimal (Hex package)
* Getting ecto (Hex package)
* Getting telemetry (Hex package)
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~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce $ █
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~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce $ git init
Initialized empty Git repository in /home/ramortegui/projects/elixir/mini_commerce/.git/
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master #%] $ git add .
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master +] $ git commit -m "Initial commit"
[master (root-commit) e1988a0] Initial commit
 10 files changed, 165 insertions(+)
create mode 100644 .formatter.exs
create mode 100644 .gitignore
create mode 100644 README.md
create mode 100644 config/config.exs
create mode 100644 lib/mini_commerce.ex
create mode 100644 lib/mini_commerce/application.ex
create mode 100644 mix.exs
create mode 100644 mix.lock
create mode 100644 test/mini_commerce_test.exs
create mode 100644 test/test_helper.exs
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master] $
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File Edit View Search Terminal Help
Compiling 1 file (.ex)
Generated connection app
==> Compiling telemetry
==> decimal
Compiling 1 file (.ex)
Generated decimal app
==> db_connection
Compiling 16 files (.ex)
Generated db_connection app
==> ecto
Compiling 54 files (.ex)
warning: Inspect.Algebra.surround_many/5 is deprecated. Use Inspect.Algebra.container_doc/6 instead
Found at 3 locations:
  lib/ecto/changeset.ex:2755
  lib/ecto/query/inspect.ex:16
  lib/ecto/query/inspect.ex:30

Generated ecto app
==> postgrex
Compiling 61 files (.ex)
Generated postgrex app
==> ecto_sql
Compiling 23 files (.ex)
Generated ecto_sql app
==> mini_commerce
Compiling 2 files (.ex)
Generated mini_commerce app
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master] $ █
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lib/ecto/query/inspect.ex:30

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Generated ecto app
==> postgrex
Compiling 61 files (.ex)
Generated postgrex app
==> ecto_sql
Compiling 23 files (.ex)
Generated ecto_sql app
==> mini_commerce
Compiling 2 files (.ex)
Generated mini_commerce app
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master] $ mix ecto
Ecto v3.0.6
A toolkit for data mapping and language integrated query for Elixir.
```

Available tasks:

```
mix ecto.create      # Creates the repository storage
mix ecto.drop        # Drops the repository storage
mix ecto.dump        # Dumps the repository database structure
mix ecto.gen.migration # Generates a new migration for the repo
mix ecto.gen.repo     # Generates a new repository
mix ecto.load         # Loads previously dumped database structure
mix ecto.migrate      # Runs the repository migrations
mix ecto.migrations   # Displays the repository migration status
mix ecto.rollback      # Rolls back the repository migrations
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master] $ █
```

```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master] $ mix ecto.gen.repo -r MiniCommerce.Repo
* creating lib/mini_commerce
* creating lib/mini_commerce/repo.ex
* updating config/config.exs
Don't forget to add your new repo to your supervision tree
(typically in lib/mini_commerce/application.ex):
```

```
# For Elixir v1.5 and later
{MiniCommerce.Repo, []}
```

```
# For Elixir v1.4 and earlier
supervisor(MiniCommerce.Repo, [])
```

And to add it to the list of ecto repositories in your configuration files (so Ecto tasks work as expected):

```
config :mini_commerce,
  ecto_repos: [MiniCommerce.Repo]
```

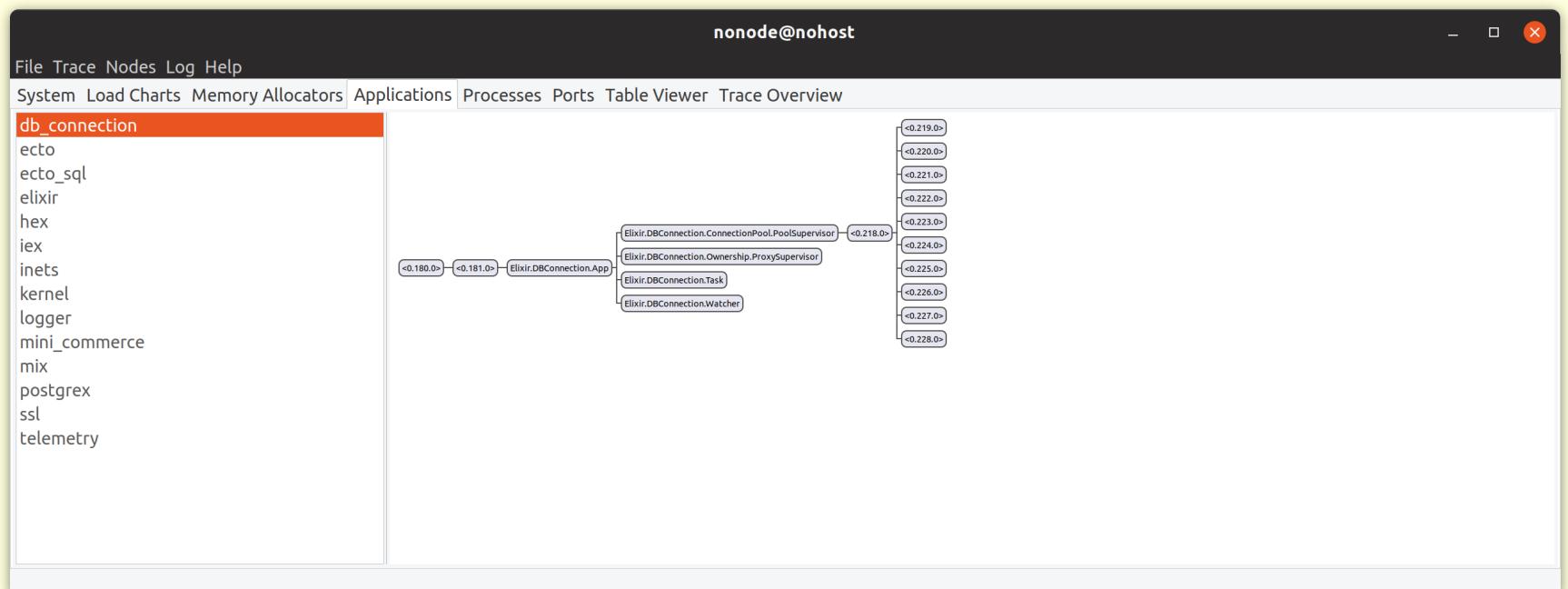
```
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $
```

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13 # This file is responsible for configuring your application
12 # and its dependencies with the aid of the Mix.Config module.
11 use Mix.Config
10
9 config :mini_commerce,
8   ecto_repos: [MiniCommerce.Repo]
7
6
5 config :mini_commerce, MiniCommerce.Repo,
4   database: "mini_commerce_repo",
3   username: "postgres",
2   password: "postgres",
1   hostname: "localhost"
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1 # This configuration is loaded before any dependency and is restricted
2 # to this project. If another project depends on this project, this
3 # file won't be loaded nor affect the parent project. For this reason,
4 # if you want to provide default values for your application for
5 # third-party users, it should be done in your "mix.exs" file.
6
7 # You can configure your application as:
8 #
9 #     config :mini_commerce, key: :value
10 #
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```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ clear
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ mix ecto.create
Compiling 3 files (.ex)
Generated mini_commerce app
The database for MiniCommerce.Repo has been created
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ psql -l | grep mini_commerce
mini_commerce_repo      | postgres   | UTF8    | en_CA.UTF-8 | en_CA.UTF-8 |
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ █
```

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~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ iex -S mix
Erlang/OTP 21 [erts-10.2.3] [source] [64-bit] [smp:8:8] [ds:8:8:10] [async-threads:1] [hipe]

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iex(1)> :observer.start
:ok
iex(2)> □
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```
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ mix ecto.gen.migration create_products
* creating priv/repo/migrations
* creating priv/repo/migrations/20190130060347_create_products.exs
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ █
```

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```
0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts do
1   use Ecto.Migration
2
3   def change do
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5   end
6 end
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priv/repo/migrations/20190130060347_create_products.exs
"priv/repo/migrations/20190130060347_create_products.exs" 7L, 106C

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```
0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts do
1   use Ecto.Migration
2
3   def change do
4     create table :products do
5       add :sku, :string, null: false
6       add :name, :string, null: false
7       add :description, :text, null: false
8       add :price, :float, null: false
9       add :taxable, :boolean, null: false
10
11     timestamps()
12   end
13 end
14 end
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0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts do
1   use Ecto.Migration
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3   def up do
4     create table :products do
5       add :sku, :string, null: false
6       add :name, :string, null: false
7       add :description, :text, null: false
8       add :price, :float, null: false
9       add :taxable, :boolean, null: false
10
11     timestamps()
12   end
13 end
14
15 def down do
16   drop table :products
17 end
18 end
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~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ mix ecto.migrate
23:13:28.968 [info] == Running 20190130060347 MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts.up/0 forward
23:13:28.969 [info] create table products
23:13:28.983 [info] == Migrated 20190130060347 in 0.0s
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $
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~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ mix ecto.migrate
23:13:28.968 [info] == Running 20190130060347 MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts.up/0 forward
23:13:28.969 [info] create table products
23:13:28.983 [info] == Migrated 20190130060347 in 0.0s
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ mix ecto.rollback
23:13:52.532 [info] == Running 20190130060347 MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateProducts.down/0 forward
23:13:52.532 [info] drop table products
23:13:52.534 [info] == Migrated 20190130060347 in 0.0s
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ █
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```
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ psql mini_commerce_repo
psql (10.6 (Ubuntu 10.6-0ubuntu0.18.10.1))
Type "help" for help.
```

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mini_commerce_repo=# \d
      List of relations
 Schema |        Name         |   Type   |  Owner
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 public | products          | table    | postgres
 public | products_id_seq  | sequence | postgres
 public | schema_migrations | table    | postgres
(3 rows)
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mini_commerce_repo=#
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Table "public.products"

Column	Type	Collation	Nullable	Default
s)	bigint		not null	nextval('products_id_seq')::regclas
sku	character varying(255)		not null	
name	character varying(255)		not null	
description	text		not null	
price	double precision		not null	
taxable	boolean		not null	
inserted_at	timestamp(0) without time zone		not null	
updated_at	timestamp(0) without time zone		not null	

Indexes:

"products_pkey" PRIMARY KEY, btree (id)

(END)

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```
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master *%] $ psql mini_commerce_repo
psql (10.6 (Ubuntu 10.6-0ubuntu0.18.10.1))
Type "help" for help.
```

```
mini_commerce_repo=# \d schema_migrations
          Table "public.schema_migrations"
   Column    |           Type           | Collation | Nullable | Default
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version | bigint |           |           | not null |
inserted_at | timestamp(0) without time zone |           |           |
Indexes:
  "schema_migrations_pkey" PRIMARY KEY, btree (version)
```

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mini_commerce_repo=# select * from schema_migrations
mini_commerce_repo-# ;
      version |     inserted_at
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 20190130060347 | 2019-01-30 06:14:14
(1 row)
```

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mini_commerce_repo=# █
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```
14 defmodule MiniCommerce.Product do
13   use Ecto.Schema
12
11   schema "products" do
10     field :sku, :string
 9     field :name, :string
 8     field :description, :string
 7     field :quantity, :integer
 6     field :price, :float
 5     field :taxable, :boolean
 4
 3     timestamps()
 2 end
 1 end
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lib/mini_commerce/products.ex

"lib/mini_commerce/products.ex" 15L, 270C written

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iex(1)> %MiniCommerce.Product{}
%MiniCommerce.Product{
  __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:built, "products">,
  description: nil,
  id: nil,
  inserted_at: nil,
  name: nil,
  quantity: nil,
  sku: nil,
  taxable: nil,
  updated_at: nil
}
iex(2)> MiniCommerce.Repo.insert(%MiniCommerce.Product{})

23:37:05.845 [debug] QUERY ERROR db=4.3ms queue=0.5ms
INSERT INTO "products" ("inserted_at", "updated_at") VALUES ($1,$2) RETURNING "id" [~N[2019-01-30 06:37:05], ~N[2019-01-30 06:37:05]]
** (Postgrex.Error) ERROR 23502 (not_nullViolation) null value in column "sku" violates not-null constraint
  table: products
  column: sku

Failing row contains (4, null, null, null, null, 0, null, 2019-01-30 06:37:05, 2019-01-30 06:37:05).
(ecto_sql) lib/ecto/adapters/sql.ex:620: Ecto.Adapters.SQL.raise_sql_call_error/1
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:651: Ecto.Repo.Schema.apply/4
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:264: anonymous fn/15 in Ecto.Repo.Schema.do_insert/3
iex(2)> █
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** (Ecto.ChangeError) value `10` for `MiniCommerce.Product.price` in `insert` does not match type :float
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:932: Ecto.Repo.Schema.dump_field!/6
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:941: anonymous fn/6 in Ecto.Repo.Schema.dump_fields!/5
(stdlib) maps.erl:257: :maps.fold_1/3
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:939: Ecto.Repo.Schema.dump_fields!/5
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:872: Ecto.Repo.Schema.dump_changes!/6
(ecto) lib/ecto/repo/schema.ex:257: anonymous fn/15 in Ecto.Repo.Schema.do_insert/3
iex(1)> MiniCommerce.Repo.insert(%MiniCommerce.Product{sku: "SU01", name: "SoftecUltra", description: "Sandal for beach.", taxable: false, quantity: 10, price: 10.0})
23:40:25.027 [debug] QUERY OK db=10.0ms decode=0.8ms queue=1.1ms
INSERT INTO "products" ("description", "name", "price", "quantity", "sku", "taxable", "inserted_at", "updated_at") VALUES ($1,$2,$3,$4,$5,$6,$7,$8) RETURNING "id" ["Sandal for beach.", "SoftecUltra", 10.0, 10, "SU01", false, ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25], ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25]]
{:ok,
%MiniCommerce.Product{
  __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
  description: "Sandal for beach.",
  id: 6,
  inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25],
  name: "SoftecUltra",
  price: 10.0,
  quantity: 10,
  sku: "SU01",
  taxable: false,
  updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25]
}}
iex(2)> █
```

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File Edit View Search Terminal Help
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master %] $ more .iex.exs
alias MiniCommerce.Repo
alias MiniCommerce.Product
~/projects/elixir/mini_commerce[master %] $ iex -S mix
Erlang/OTP 21 [erts-10.2.3] [source] [64-bit] [smp:8:8] [ds:8:8:10] [async-threads:1] [hipe]

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iex(1)> Repo.all(Product)

23:45:32.341 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=5.3ms decode=0.7ms queue=0.6ms
SELECT p0."id", p0."sku", p0."name", p0."description", p0."quantity", p0."price", p0."taxable", p0."inser
ted_at", p0."updated_at" FROM "products" AS p0 []
[
%MiniCommerce.Product{
  __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
  description: "Sandal for beach.",
  id: 6,
  inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25],
  name: "SoftecUltra",
  price: 10.0,
  quantity: 10,
  sku: "SU01",
  taxable: false,
  updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 06:40:25]
}
]
iex(2)> █
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0 alias MiniCommerce.Repo
1 alias MiniCommerce.Product
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3 Repo.insert(
4   %Product{
5     sku: "SU01",
6     name: "SoftecUltra",
7     description: "Sandal for beach.",
8     taxable: false,
9     price: 10.0,
10    quantity: 10}
11 )
12
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14 Repo.insert(
15   %Product{
16     sku: "SV01",
17     name: "SoftecVeteran",
18     description: "Sandal.",
19     taxable: true,
20     price: 10.0,
21     quantity: 1}
22 )
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priv/repo/seeds.exs
"priv/repo/seeds.exs" 23L, 368C
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```
0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateCategories do
1   use Ecto.Migration
2
3   def up do
4     create table "categories" do
5       add :name, :string, nil: false
6       add :category_id, references("categories")
7
8       timestamps()
9     end
10    end
11
12    def down do
13      drop table "categories"
14    end
15  end
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```
0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Repo.Migrations.CreateCategoriesProductsTable do
1   use Ecto.Migration
2
3   def change do
4     create table "products_categories" do
5       add :category_id, references("categories"), nil: false
6       add :product_id, references("products"), nil: false
7     end
8
9     create unique_index("products_categories", [:category_id, :product_id])
10    end
11  end
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0 defmodule MiniCommerce.Product do
1   use Ecto.Schema
2   import Ecto.Changeset
3
4   alias MiniCommerce.Category
5
6   schema "products" do
7     field :sku, :string
8     field :name, :string
9     field :description, :string
10    field :quantity, :integer
11    field :price, :float
12    field :taxable, :boolean
13
14    many_to_many :categories, Category, join_through: "products_categories"
15
16    timestamps()
17 end
18
19 def changeset(product, params) do
20   product
21   |> cast(params, [:sku, :name, :description, :quantity, :price, :taxable])
22   |> validate_required([:sku, :name, :description, :quantity, :price, :taxable])
23   |> unique_constraint(:sku)
24   |> validate_number(:quantity, greater_than: 0)
25   |> validate_number(:price, greater_than: 0)
```

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```
iex(16)> MiniCommerce.Category |> Repo.all
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01:34:12.278 [debug] QUERY OK source="categories" db=2.1ms
SELECT c0."id", c0."name", c0."category_id", c0."inserted_at", c0."updated_at" FROM "categories" AS c0 []
[
  %MiniCommerce.Category{
    __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "categories">,
    category: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :category is not loaded>,
    category_id: nil,
    id: 1,
    inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
    name: "Clothes",
    products: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :products is not loaded>,
    updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
  },
  %MiniCommerce.Category{
    __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "categories">,
    category: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :category is not loaded>,
    category_id: 1,
    id: 2,
    inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
    name: "Footwear",
    products: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :products is not loaded>,
    updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
  }
]
iex(17)>
```

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category_id: nil,
id: 1,
inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
name: "Clothes",
products: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :products is not loaded>,
updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
},
%MiniCommerce.Category{
__meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "categories">,
category: %MiniCommerce.Category{
__meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "categories">,
category: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :category is not loaded>,
category_id: nil,
id: 1,
inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
name: "Clothes",
products: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :products is not loaded>,
updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
},
category_id: 1,
id: 2,
inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
name: "Footwear",
products: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :products is not loaded>,
updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
}
]
iex(8)> MiniCommerce.Category |> Repo.all |> Repo.preload(:category)
```

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iex(21)> query = from p in Product, where: p.id > 1
#Ecto.Query<from p0 in MiniCommerce.Product, where: p0.id > 1>
iex(22)> Repo.all
all/1  all/2
iex(22)> Repo.all(query)

01:37:47.089 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=0.7ms queue=0.8ms
SELECT p0."id", p0."sku", p0."name", p0."description", p0."quantity", p0."price", p0."taxable", p0."inser
ted_at", p0."updated_at" FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []
[
  %MiniCommerce.Product{
    __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
    categories: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :categories is not loaded>,
    description: "Sandal.",
    id: 2,
    inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36],
    name: "SoftecVeteran",
    price: 10.0,
    quantity: 1,
    sku: "SV01",
    taxable: true,
    updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 08:18:36]
  }
]
iex(23)> █
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iex(46)> query = from p in "products", where: p.id > 1, select: [:name]  
#Ecto.Query<from p0 in "products", where: p0.id > 1, select: [:name]>  
iex(47)> Repo.all(query)
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01:41:25.737 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=0.8ms  
SELECT p0."name" FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []  
[%{name: "SoftecVeteran"}]  
iex(48)>
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iex(49)> query = from p in Product, where: p.id > 1, select: [:name]
#Ecto.Query<from p0 in MiniCommerce.Product, where: p0.id > 1, select: [:name]>
iex(50)> Repo.all(query)

01:42:13.387 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=1.5ms
SELECT p0."name" FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []
[
  %MiniCommerce.Product{
    __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
    categories: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :categories is not loaded>,
    description: nil,
    id: nil,
    inserted_at: nil,
    name: "SoftecVeteran",
    price: nil,
    quantity: nil,
    sku: nil,
    taxable: nil,
    updated_at: nil
  }
]
iex(51)> █
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#Ecto.Query<from p0 in MiniCommerce.Product, where: p0.id > 1, select: [:name]>
iex(50)> Repo.all(query)

01:42:13.387 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=1.5ms
SELECT p0."name" FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []
[
  %MiniCommerce.Product{
    __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
    categories: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :categories is not loaded>,
    description: nil,
    id: nil,
    inserted_at: nil,
    name: "SoftecVeteran",
    price: nil,
    quantity: nil,
    sku: nil,
    taxable: nil,
    updated_at: nil
  }
]
iex(51)> query = from p in "products", where: p.id > 1, select: [count(p.id)]
#Ecto.Query<from p0 in "products", where: p0.id > 1, select: [count(p0.id)]>
iex(52)> Repo.all(query)

01:42:53.576 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=1.0ms queue=1.4ms
SELECT count(p0."id") FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []
[[1]]
iex(53)>
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iex(64)> query = from p in "products", where: p.id > 1, select: [count(p.id)]  
#Ecto.Query<from p0 in "products", where: p0.id > 1, select: [count(p0.id)]>  
iex(65)> Repo.all(query)
```

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01:43:15.066 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=1.8ms  
SELECT count(p0."id") FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" > 1) []  
[[1]]  
iex(66)>
```

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Erlang/OTP 21 [erts-10.2.3] [source] [64-bit] [smp:8:8] [ds:8:8:10] [async-threads:1] [hipe]

Interactive Elixir (1.8.1) - press Ctrl+C to exit (type h() ENTER for help)
iex(1)> product = Repo.get!(Product, 1)

16:29:07.803 [debug] QUERY OK source="products" db=4.3ms decode=0.5ms queue=0.6ms
SELECT p0."id", p0."sku", p0."name", p0."description", p0."quantity", p0."price", p0."taxable", p0."inserted_at", p0."updated_at" FROM "products" AS p0 WHERE (p0."id" = $1) [1]
%MiniCommerce.Product{
  __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
  categories: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :categories is not loaded>,
  description: "Sandal for beach.",
  id: 1,
  inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 23:27:27],
  name: "SoftecUltra",
  price: 10.0,
  quantity: 10,
  sku: "SU01",
  taxable: false,
  updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 23:27:27]
}
iex(2)> █
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iex(2)> product_changeset = Product.changeset(product, %{name: "new name"})
#Ecto.Changeset<
  action: nil,
  changes: %{name: "new name"},
  errors: [],
  data: #MiniCommerce.Product<>,
  valid?: true
>
iex(3)> Repo.update(product_changeset)

16:29:36.362 [debug] QUERY OK db=14.6ms queue=0.6ms
UPDATE "products" SET "name" = $1, "updated_at" = $2 WHERE "id" = $3 ["new name", ~N[2019-01-30 23:29:36]
, 1]
{:ok,
%MiniCommerce.Product{
  __meta__: #Ecto.Schema.Metadata<:loaded, "products">,
  categories: #Ecto.Association.NotLoaded<association :categories is not loaded>,
  description: "Sandal for beach.",
  id: 1,
  inserted_at: ~N[2019-01-30 23:27:27],
  name: "new name",
  price: 10.0,
  quantity: 10,
  sku: "SU01",
  taxable: false,
  updated_at: ~N[2019-01-30 23:29:36]
}}
iex(4)>
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Ecto without DB

- Validate Data
- PdfCalendar



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PdfCalendar

Month

January

Year

2019

DOWNLOAD

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0 defmodule PdfCalendarWeb.PageController do
1   use PdfCalendarWeb, :controller
2
3   def index(conn, _params) do
4     changeset = PdfCalendar.Pcal.changeset(pdf_calendar_struct())
5     render(conn, "index.html", changeset: changeset)
6   end
7
8   def download(conn, params) do
9     changeset = PdfCalendar.Pcal.changeset(%PdfCalendar.Pcal{}, params["pcal"])
10
11  case changeset.valid? do
12    true ->
13      month = changeset.params["month"]
14      year = changeset.params["year"]
15      {:ok, output} = Pcal.generate_pdf(%Pcal{month: month, year: year, output: pdf_name()})
16      send_download(conn, {file, output}, filename: "#{month}_#{year}.pdf")
17
18    false ->
19      render(conn, "index.html", changeset: %{changeset | action: 'create'})
20  end
21 end
22
23 defp pdf_calendar_struct do
24   date = DateTime.utc_now()
25
26   %PdfCalendar.Pcal{
27     month: date.month,
28     year: date.year
29   }
30 end
```

Summary

- No surprises, all should be explicit.
- OTP application to connect with databases
- The user can map data and give access explicitly
- Give the opportunity to run tests with shared or independent connections
- Provide tools to evolve a database keeping tracking of the changes

Links

- ElixirConf 2017

Darin Wilson: Thinking In Ecto

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YQxopjai0CU>

- Code Beam STO 2018

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RT4p_g0SLUU

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