LARA-FILES

We are working on a file-system to database system. The user will keep using his file system organization and our app will create a database and a nice UI for the user to find the documents. The user will not use any app for creating, renaming, deleting or moving folders or files. The app needs to watch changes in the file system to map them into the database.

We will use Laravel and the Spatie's package laravel-event-sourcing (v7) and Spatie's file-system-watcher package for real time watching.

Folder app\Events

```
app\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryCreated.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
class DirectoryCreated extends FileSystemEvent
    public function __construct(string $path, string $origin = 'real-time')
        parent::__construct($path, $origin);
app\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryDeleted.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
class DirectoryDeleted extends FileSystemEvent
    public function __construct(string $path, string $origin = 'real-time')
        parent::__construct($path, $origin);
```

```
app\Events\FileSystem\FileCreated.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
class FileCreated extends FileSystemEvent
    public function __construct(
       string $path,
        string $origin = 'real-time',
        ?string $hash = null,
        ?\DateTime $modifiedAt = null,
        ?int $size = null
    ) {
       parent::__construct($path, $origin, $hash, $modifiedAt, $size);
app\Events\FileSystem\FileDeleted.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
class FileDeleted extends FileSystemEvent
    public function __construct(string $path, string $origin = 'real-time')
```

```
parent::__construct($path, $origin);
app\Events\FileSystem\FileModified.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
class FileModified extends FileSystemEvent
    public ?string $previousHash;
    public function __construct(
        string $path,
        string $origin = 'real-time',
        ?string $hash = null,
        ?\DateTime $modifiedAt = null,
        ?int $size = null,
        ?string $previousHash = null
    ) {
        parent::__construct($path, $origin, $hash, $modifiedAt, $size);
        $this->previousHash = $previousHash;
    public function toArray(): array
       return array_merge(parent::toArray(), [
```

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'previous hash' => $this->previousHash,
       ]);
app\Events\FileSystem\FileSystemEvent.php
<?php
namespace App\Events\FileSystem;
use Spatie\EventSourcing\StoredEvents\ShouldBeStored;
abstract class FileSystemEvent extends ShouldBeStored
    public string $path;
    public string $origin; // 'initial', 'real-time', 'reconciled'
    public ?string $hash;
    public ?\DateTime $modifiedAt;
    public ?int $size;
    private array $metadata = [];
    public function __construct(
        string $path,
       string $origin = 'real-time',
        ?string $hash = null,
        ?\DateTime $modifiedAt = null,
        ?int $size = null
    ) {
```

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$this->path = $path;
   $this->origin = $origin;
   $this->hash = $hash;
   $this->modifiedAt = $modifiedAt;
   $this->size = $size;
public function toArray(): array
   $data = [
        'path' => $this->path,
        'origin' => $this->origin,
        'hash' => $this->hash,
        'modified at' => $this->modifiedAt?->format('Y-m-d H:i:s'),
        'size' => $this->size,
        'type' => $this->getEventType(),
   ];
   return $data;
private function getEventType(): string
   $className = get_class($this);
   if (str_contains($className, 'Directory')) {
        return 'directory';
```

```
if (str_contains($className, 'File')) {
    return 'file';
}

return 'unknown';
}

public function addMetadata(array $data): void
{
    $this->metadata = array_merge($this->metadata, $data);
}
```

Folder app\Services

```
app\Services\FileSystemReconciler.php
<?php
namespace App\Services;
use SplFileInfo;
use Carbon\Carbon;
use RecursiveIteratorIterator;
use RecursiveDirectoryIterator;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\DB;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileCreated;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileModified;
use App\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryCreated;
use Spatie\EventSourcing\StoredEvents\Models\EloquentStoredEvent;
class FileSystemReconciler
    private string $basePath;
    private array $discrepancies = [];
    public function __construct(string $basePath)
        $this->basePath = rtrim($basePath, '/\\');
```

```
public function execute(): array
   Log::info("Starting file system reconciliation", ['path' => $this->basePath]);
   $currentState = $this->crawlFileSystem();
   $eventTimeline = $this->getEventTimeline();
   $this->compareStates($currentState, $eventTimeline);
    $generatedEvents = $this->generateReconciliationEvents();
   Log::info("Reconciliation completed", [
        'items scanned' => count($currentState),
        'discrepancies found' => count($this->discrepancies),
        'events generated' => $generatedEvents
   ]);
   return [
        'scanned' => count($currentState),
        'discrepancies' => count($this->discrepancies),
        'events created' => $generatedEvents
    ];
private function crawlFileSystem(): array
   $currentState = [];
   $iterator = new RecursiveIteratorIterator(
        new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($this->basePath, RecursiveDirectoryIterator::SKIP DOTS),
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RecursiveIteratorIterator::SELF FIRST
   );
   foreach ($iterator as $item) {
       $path = $item->getPathname();
       $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($path);
        $currentState[$relativePath] = [
            'type' => $item->isDir() ? 'directory' : 'file',
            'path' => $relativePath,
            'modified_at' => Carbon::createFromTimestamp($item->getMTime()),
            'size' => $item->isFile() ? $item->getSize() : 0,
            'hash' => $item->isFile() ? $this->calculateFileHash($path) : null
       ];
   return $currentState;
private function getEventTimeline(): array
 $events = EloquentStoredEvent::query()
      ->where('event_class', 'LIKE', '%FileSystem%')
      ->orderBy('created_at', 'desc')
      ->get(['event class', 'event properties', 'created at']);
   $timeline = [];
   foreach ($events as $event) {
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$props = $event->event properties;
        $path = $props['path'] ?? null;
       if (!$path) continue;
       // Only keep the most recent event per path
       if (!isset($timeline[$path])) {
            $timeline[$path] = [
                'type' => $this->getEventType($event->event class),
                'event class' => $event->event class,
                'created_at' => $event->created_at,
                'properties' => $props
           ];
   return $timeline;
private function compareStates(array $currentState, array $eventTimeline): void
   foreach ($currentState as $path => $current) {
        $event = $eventTimeline[$path] ?? null;
       if (!$event) {
           // Item exists but has no recorded event
            $this->discrepancies[$path] = [
                'type' => $current['type'],
                'reason' => 'missing event',
```

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'current' => $current,
        'event' => null
    ];
    continue;
if ($this->isDeleteEvent($event['event_class'])) {
    // Item exists but was deleted in event history
    $this->discrepancies[$path] = [
        'type' => $current['type'],
        'reason' => 'deleted_but_exists',
        'current' => $current,
        'event' => $event
    1;
    continue;
if ($current['type'] === 'file') {
    $eventTime = Carbon::parse($event['created_at']);
    $currentTime = $current['modified_at'];
    if ($currentTime->gt($eventTime)) {
        // File modified after last event
        $this->discrepancies[$path] = [
            'type' => 'file',
            'reason' => 'modified after event',
            'current' => $current,
            'event' => $event
        ];
```

```
private function generateReconciliationEvents(): int
   count = 0;
   foreach ($this->discrepancies as $path => $discrepancy) {
       try {
            switch ($discrepancy['reason']) {
                case 'missing_event':
                case 'deleted_but_exists':
                    if ($discrepancy['type'] === 'directory') {
                        event(new DirectoryCreated($path, 'reconciled'));
                       $count++;
                   } else {
                        event(new FileCreated(
                            $path,
                            'reconciled',
                            $discrepancy['current']['hash'],
                            $discrepancy['current']['modified_at'],
                            $discrepancy['current']['size']
                       ));
                       $count++;
                   break;
```

```
case 'modified after event':
                event(new FileModified(
                    $path,
                    'reconciled',
                    $discrepancy['current']['hash'],
                    $discrepancy['current']['modified_at'],
                    $discrepancy['current']['size'],
                    $discrepancy['event']['properties']['hash'] ?? null
                ));
                $count++;
                break;
        Log::debug("Generated reconciliation event", [
            'path' => $path,
            'reason' => $discrepancy['reason'],
            'type' => $discrepancy['type']
        ]);
    } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Failed to generate reconciliation event", [
            'path' => $path,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        ]);
return $count;
```

```
private function getRelativePath(string $absolutePath): string
   return str_replace($this->basePath . DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR, '', $absolutePath);
private function calculateFileHash(string $path): ?string
   if (!is_file($path)) return null;
   try {
        return hash_file('sha256', $path);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::warning("Could not calculate file hash", ['path' => $path]);
       return null;
private function getEventType(string $className): string
   if (str_contains($className, 'Directory')) return 'directory';
   if (str_contains($className, 'File')) return 'file';
   return 'unknown';
private function isDeleteEvent(string $className): bool
   return str_contains($className, 'Deleted');
```

```
app\Services\FileSystemScanner.php
<?php
namespace App\Services;
use App\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryCreated;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileCreated;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
use RecursiveDirectoryIterator;
use RecursiveIteratorIterator;
use SplFileInfo;
class FileSystemScanner
    private string $basePath;
    private int $totalItems = 0;
    private int $processedItems = 0;
    private array $stats = [
        'directories' => 0,
        'files' => 0,
        'total size' => 0,
        'errors' => 0,
    ];
    public function __construct(string $basePath)
       $this->basePath = rtrim($basePath, '/\\');
```

```
public function scan(callable $progressCallback = null): array
   Log::info("Starting initial file system scan", ['path' => $this->basePath]);
   if (!is_dir($this->basePath)) {
       throw new \InvalidArgumentException("Path does not exist or is not a directory: {$this->basePath}");
   }
   // First pass: count total items for progress tracking
   $this->countItems();
   // Second pass: process items and emit events
   $this->processItems($progressCallback);
   Log::info("File system scan completed", $this->stats);
   return $this->stats;
private function countItems(): void
   try {
       $iterator = new RecursiveIterator(
           new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($this->basePath, RecursiveDirectoryIterator::SKIP DOTS),
           RecursiveIteratorIterator::SELF FIRST
       );
       $this->totalItems = iterator count($iterator);
```

```
} catch (\Exception $e) {
            Log::error("Error counting items", ['error' => $e->getMessage()]);
            $this->totalItems = 0;
    private function processItems(callable $progressCallback = null): void
        try {
            $iterator = new RecursiveIteratorIterator(
                new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($this->basePath, RecursiveDirectoryIterator::SKIP_DOTS),
                RecursiveIteratorIterator::SELF FIRST
            );
            foreach ($iterator as $fileInfo) {
                try {
                    $this->processItem($fileInfo);
                    $this->processedItems++;
                    if ($progressCallback && $this->totalItems > 0) {
                        $progress = ($this->processedItems / $this->totalItems) * 100;
                        $progressCallback($progress, $this->processedItems, $this->totalItems,
$fileInfo->getPathname());
                } catch (\Exception $e) {
                    $this->stats['errors']++;
                    Log::error("Error processing item", [
                        'path' => $fileInfo->getPathname(),
                        'error' => $e->getMessage()
```

```
]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error during file system scan", ['error' => $e->getMessage()]);
       throw $e;
private function processItem(SplFileInfo $fileInfo): void
   $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($fileInfo->getPathname());
   if ($fileInfo->isDir()) {
       $this->processDirectory($relativePath);
   } else {
       $this->processFile($fileInfo, $relativePath);
private function processDirectory(string $relativePath): void
    event(new DirectoryCreated($relativePath, 'initial'));
   $this->stats['directories']++;
private function processFile(SplFileInfo $fileInfo, string $relativePath): void
   $hash = $this->calculateFileHash($fileInfo->getPathname());
```

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$modifiedAt = new \DateTime('@' . $fileInfo->getMTime());
    $size = $fileInfo->getSize();
    event(new FileCreated(
        $relativePath,
        'initial',
        $hash,
        $modifiedAt,
        $size
   ));
   $this->stats['files']++;
   $this->stats['total size'] += $size;
private function calculateFileHash(string $filePath): ?string
   try {
        // For large files, we might want to use a more efficient method
        if (filesize($filePath) > 100 * 1024 * 1024) { // 100MB
            return hash file('md5', $filePath);
        return hash_file('sha256', $filePath);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::warning("Could not calculate hash for file", [
            'path' => $filePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        ]);
        return null;
```

```
private function getRelativePath(string $absolutePath): string
        return str_replace($this->basePath . DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR, '', $absolutePath);
    public function getStats(): array
        return $this->stats;
    public function getProgress(): float
       return $this->totalItems > 0 ? ($this->processedItems / $this->totalItems) * 100 : 0;
app\Services\FileSystemWatcher.php
<?php
namespace App\Services;
use App\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryCreated;
use App\Events\FileSystem\DirectoryDeleted;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileCreated;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileDeleted;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileModified;
```

```
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
use Spatie\Watcher\Watch;
class FileSystemWatcher
    private string $basePath;
    private array $fileHashes = [];
    public function construct(string $basePath)
        $this->basePath = rtrim($basePath, '/\\');
        $this->loadExistingHashes();
    public function start(): void
        Log::info("Starting file system watcher", ['path' => $this->basePath]);
       Watch::path($this->basePath)
            ->onFileCreated(function (string $path) {
                $this->handleFileCreated($path);
            })
            ->onFileUpdated(function (string $path) {
                $this->handleFileUpdated($path);
            })
            ->onFileDeleted(function (string $path) {
                $this->handleFileDeleted($path);
            })
            ->onDirectoryCreated(function (string $path) {
```

```
$this->handleDirectoryCreated($path);
       })
        ->onDirectoryDeleted(function (string $path) {
            $this->handleDirectoryDeleted($path);
       })
        ->start();
}
private function handleFileCreated(string $absolutePath): void
   try {
        $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($absolutePath);
       if (!file exists($absolutePath)) {
            Log::warning("File creation event received but file doesn't exist", ['path' => $absolutePath]);
            return;
        $hash = $this->calculateFileHash($absolutePath);
        $modifiedAt = new \DateTime('@' . filemtime($absolutePath));
        $size = filesize($absolutePath);
        // Store hash for future comparison
        $this->fileHashes[$relativePath] = $hash;
        event(new FileCreated($relativePath, 'real-time', $hash, $modifiedAt, $size));
        Log::info("File created", [
            'path' => $relativePath,
```

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'size' => $size,
            'hash' => substr($hash, 0, 8) . '...'
       ]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error handling file creation", [
            'path' => $absolutePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
       ]);
private function handleFileUpdated(string $absolutePath): void
   try {
        $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($absolutePath);
        if (!file exists($absolutePath)) {
            Log::warning("File update event received but file doesn't exist", ['path' => $absolutePath]);
            return;
        $newHash = $this->calculateFileHash($absolutePath);
        $modifiedAt = new \DateTime('@' . filemtime($absolutePath));
        $size = filesize($absolutePath);
        $previousHash = $this->fileHashes[$relativePath] ?? null;
        // Only emit event if content actually changed
        if ($newHash !== $previousHash) {
```

```
$this->fileHashes[$relativePath] = $newHash;
            event(new FileModified(
                $relativePath,
                'real-time',
                $newHash,
                $modifiedAt,
                $size,
                $previousHash
            ));
            Log::info("File modified", [
                'path' => $relativePath,
                'size' => $size,
                'old_hash' => $previousHash ? substr($previousHash, 0, 8) . '...' : 'unknown',
                'new_hash' => substr($newHash, 0, 8) . '...'
            ]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error handling file update", [
            'path' => $absolutePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        ]);
private function handleFileDeleted(string $absolutePath): void
```

```
try {
        $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($absolutePath);
       // Remove from hash tracking
        unset($this->fileHashes[$relativePath]);
        event(new FileDeleted($relativePath, 'real-time'));
        Log::info("File deleted", ['path' => $relativePath]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error handling file deletion", [
            'path' => $absolutePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
       ]);
private function handleDirectoryCreated(string $absolutePath): void
   try {
        $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($absolutePath);
        event(new DirectoryCreated($relativePath, 'real-time'));
        Log::info("Directory created", ['path' => $relativePath]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error handling directory creation", [
```

```
'path' => $absolutePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        ]);
private function handleDirectoryDeleted(string $absolutePath): void
   try {
        $relativePath = $this->getRelativePath($absolutePath);
        // Remove all file hashes for files in this directory
        $this->fileHashes = array_filter(
            $this->fileHashes,
            fn($path) => !str_starts_with($path, $relativePath . '/'),
            ARRAY_FILTER_USE_KEY
        );
        event(new DirectoryDeleted($relativePath, 'real-time'));
        Log::info("Directory deleted", ['path' => $relativePath]);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::error("Error handling directory deletion", [
            'path' => $absolutePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        ]);
```

```
private function calculateFileHash(string $filePath): ?string
    try {
        // For large files, use MD5 for performance
        if (filesize($filePath) > 100 * 1024 * 1024) { // 100MB
            return hash_file('md5', $filePath);
        return hash file('sha256', $filePath);
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        Log::warning("Could not calculate hash for file", [
            'path' => $filePath,
            'error' => $e->getMessage()
        1);
        return null;
private function getRelativePath(string $absolutePath): string
    return str_replace($this->basePath . DIRECTORY_SEPARATOR, '', $absolutePath);
private function loadExistingHashes(): void
   // TODO: Load existing file hashes from database/cache
   // This would help detect modifications during watcher downtime
   Log::info("Loading existing file hashes for comparison");
```

}		

Folder app\Listeners

```
app\Listeners\FileSystemEventListener.php
<?php
namespace App\Listeners;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileSystemEvent;
use Illuminate\Contracts\Queue\ShouldQueue;
use Spatie\EventSourcing\StoredEvents\StoredEvent;
class FileSystemEventListener implements ShouldQueue
    public function handle($event)
       if (!$event instanceof FileSystemEvent) {
            return;
        // Enhance event properties with additional metadata
       $event->addMetadata([
            'file_type' => $this->determineFileType($event),
            'event type' => class basename($event),
            'origin' => $event->origin,
        ]);
```

```
private function determineFileType(FileSystemEvent $event): string
       $eventClass = class_basename($event);
       if (str_contains($eventClass, 'Directory')) {
            return 'directory';
       }
       if (str_contains($eventClass, 'File')) {
            return 'file';
       return 'unknown';
app\Listeners\LogFileSystemEvent.php
<?php
namespace App\Listeners;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileSystemEvent;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
class LogFileSystemEvent
   public function handle(FileSystemEvent $event)
       Log::info("FileSystemEvent received", [
```

Folder app\Console\Commands

```
app\Console\Commands\InitialFileSystemScan.php
<?php
namespace App\Console\Commands;
use App\Services\FileSystemScanner;
use Illuminate\Console\Command;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\DB;
class InitialFileSystemScan extends Command
    protected $signature = 'filesystem:scan
                          {path : The path to scan}
                          {--no-progress : Disable progress bar}';
    protected $description = 'Perform initial scan of file system and create events';
       // Constructor to set custom help message
    public function __construct()
        parent:: construct();
       $this->setHelp(<<<'HELP'</pre>
          DESCRIPTION:
            Perform the initial scan of a directory and record filesystem events in the database.
```

This command will:

- Recursively scan the given directory
- Generate events for every file and directory found
- Store these events in the `stored events` table
- Display statistics and sample events at completion
- Use for initial setup not recommended for active systems.

USAGE:

php artisan filesystem:scan <path> [options]

ARGUMENTS:

path Absolute path to scan (required)

OPTIONS:

--no-progress Disable progress bar display (useful for CI environments)

OUTPUT:

- Progress bar showing current file being processed (unless disabled)
- Summary table with metrics:
 - Directories found
 - Files found
 - Total size
 - Errors encountered
 - Events created
 - Duration
 - Items per second
- Sample of last 5 events created

SCANNING BEHAVIOR:

- Processes both files and directories
- Follows symbolic links
- Skips unreadable paths (counted as errors)
- Records creation events for all found items

SAMPLE OUTPUT:

Starting initial file system scan...

Path: /var/www

✓ Initial scan completed successfully!

 Metric	Value	
Directories found	1,024	
Files found	12,345	
Total size	1.23 GB	
Errors	3	
Events created	13,369	
Duration	5.2 seconds	
Items per second	2,571	

Sample events created (last 5):

Event Path Type Created

```
| FileCreated | image.jpg | file | 2023-01-01 12:34:56 | | DirCreated | documents | directory | 2023-01-01 12:34:55 |
```

EXAMPLES:

- 1. Scan with progress bar:
 php artisan filesystem:scan /home/user/documents
- 2. Scan without progress bar:
 php artisan filesystem:scan /mnt/data --no-progress

NOTES:

- Requires write permission to the database
- Large directories may take significant time
- Check error count for accessibility issues

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HELP );
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public function handle()

\$this->newLine();

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$path = $this->argument('path');
$showProgress = !$this->option('no-progress');

$this->info("Starting initial file system scan...");
$this->info("Path: {$path}");
```

```
$scanner = new FileSystemScanner($path);
       $progressBar = null;
       if ($showProgress) {
            $progressBar = $this->output->createProgressBar();
           $progressBar->setFormat(' %current%/%max% [%bar%] %percent:3s%% - %message%');
       $startTime = microtime(true);
       $eventCountBefore = DB::table('stored events')->count();
       try {
            $stats = $scanner->scan(function ($progress, $current, $total, $currentPath) use ($progressBar,
$showProgress) {
                if ($showProgress && $progressBar) {
                    $progressBar->setMaxSteps($total);
                    $progressBar->setProgress($current);
                    $progressBar->setMessage(basename($currentPath));
           });
            if ($showProgress && $progressBar) {
                $progressBar->finish();
                $this->newLine(2);
            $endTime = microtime(true);
            $duration = round($endTime - $startTime, 2);
            $eventCountAfter = DB::table('stored events')->count();
```

```
$eventsCreated = $eventCountAfter - $eventCountBefore;
        // Display results
        $this->displayResults($stats, $duration, $eventsCreated);
       // Show sample events
        $this->showSampleEvents();
   } catch (\Exception $e) {
        $this->error("Scan failed: " . $e->getMessage());
        return Command::FAILURE;
   return Command::SUCCESS;
private function displayResults(array $stats, float $duration, int $eventsCreated): void
   $this->info("✓ Initial scan completed successfully!");
   $this->newLine();
   $this->table(
        ['Metric', 'Value'],
            ['Directories found', number format($stats['directories'])],
            ['Files found', number format($stats['files'])],
            ['Total size', $this->formatBytes($stats['total_size'])],
            ['Errors', $stats['errors']],
            ['Events created', number format($eventsCreated)],
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['Duration', "{$duration} seconds"],
            ['Items per second', $stats['directories'] + $stats['files'] > 0 ?
                round(($stats['directories'] + $stats['files']) / $duration) : 0],
            ['Event types', 'Directory: '.$stats['directories'].', File: '.$stats['files']],
    );
private function showSampleEvents(): void
   $this->newLine();
   $this->info(" Sample events created (last 5):");
   $sampleEvents = DB::table('stored events')
        ->where('event class', 'like', '%FileSystem%') // Filter filesystem events
        ->orderBy('id', 'desc')
        ->limit(5)
        ->get(['event_class', 'event_properties', 'created_at']);
   if ($sampleEvents->isEmpty()) {
       $this->warn("No events found.");
        return;
   $tableData = $sampleEvents->map(function ($event) {
        $properties = json decode($event->event properties, true);
        return [
            'Event' => class basename($event->event class),
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'Path' => $properties['path'] ? basename($properties['path']) : 'N/A',
                'Type' => $properties['type'] ?? 'N/A',
                'Created' => $event->created_at,
           ];
       })->toArray();
       $this->table(
           ['Event', 'Path', 'Type', 'Created'],
           $tableData
       );
   private function formatBytes(int $bytes): string
       $units = ['B', 'KB', 'MB', 'GB', 'TB'];
       for ($i = 0; $bytes > 1024 && $i < count($units) - 1; $i++) {
           $bytes /= 1024;
       }
       return round($bytes, 2) . ' ' . $units[$i];
app\Console\Commands\MonitorStoredEvents.php
<?php
namespace App\Console\Commands;
```

```
use Illuminate\Console\Command;
use Spatie\EventSourcing\StoredEvents\Models\EloquentStoredEvent;
class MonitorStoredEvents extends Command
    protected $signature = 'events:monitor-db
                            {--delay=1 : Seconds to wait after detecting an event}
                            {--last=5 : Display last N events before monitoring}';
    protected $description = 'Monitor the stored events table for real-time filesystem event persistence
verification';
    private $shouldExit = false;
    public function __construct()
        parent::__construct();
       $this->setHelp(<<<'HELP'</pre>
DESCRIPTION:
 Monitor the stored events table to verify real-time persistence of filesystem events.
  Displays new events as they occur in the database with color-coded event types.
  Features:
  - Shows historical events before starting live monitoring
  - Color-coded event types for quick identification:
    • Green: File/Directory creation
    • Blue: File modification
    • Red: File/Directory deletion
```

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- Normalizes Windows paths to Unix-style
  - Graceful exit with Ctrl+C
USAGE:
 php artisan events:monitor-db [options]
OPTIONS:
 --delay=<seconds> Delay between processing events (minimum 0.5s) [default: 1s]
  --last=<number>
                     Show last N historical events before monitoring [default: 5]
EXAMPLES:
 Start monitoring with default settings:
   php artisan events:monitor-db
 Monitor with custom settings (show last 3 events, 0.5s delay):
   php artisan events:monitor-db --last=3 --delay=0.5
OUTPUT FORMAT:
 [LIVE] [HH:MM:SS] <ICON> <COLORED_EVENT_TYPE>: <PATH>
 [HIST] [HH:MM:SS] <ICON> <COLORED_EVENT_TYPE>: <PATH>
 Prefixes:
   [LIVE] - Real-time events detected during monitoring
   [HIST] - Historical events shown at startup
 Icons:
   - File event
    - Directory created
     - Directory deleted
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- File modified
   X - File deleted
    ? - Unknown event type
COLOR SCHEME:
 \e[32mGreen\e[0m - File/Directory creation
 \e[34mBlue\e[0m - File modification
 \e[31mRed\e[0m - File/Directory deletion
HELP
       );
   public function handle()
       // Setup signal handler for graceful exit
       if (function_exists('pcntl_async_signals')) {
           pcntl async signals(true);
           pcntl signal(SIGINT, fn() => $this->shouldExit = true);
       }
       $lastId = EloquentStoredEvent::max('id') ?? 0;
       $delay = max(0.5, (float)$this->option('delay'));
       $showLast = max(0, (int)$this->option('last'));
       $this->info("Monitoring stored events table. Press Ctrl+C to exit.");
       $this->line("Initial last event ID: $lastId");
       $this->line("Delay after event: {$delay}s");
       $this->line("Displaying last {$showLast} events");
       $this->line(str repeat('-', 60));
```

```
// Display recent events if requested
if ($showLast > 0) {
    $this->displayRecentEvents($showLast);
    $this->line(str_repeat('-', 60));
while (!$this->shouldExit) {
    $events = EloquentStoredEvent::where('id', '>', $lastId)
        ->orderBy('id')
        ->get();
    if ($events->isNotEmpty()) {
        foreach ($events as $event) {
            if ($this->shouldExit) break 2;
            $this->displayEvent($event);
            $lastId = $event->id;
            // Add delay after each event
            usleep((int)($delay * 1000000));
    } else {
        if ($this->shouldExit) break;
        usleep(500000); // 0.5s sleep when no events
$this->newLine();
```

```
$this->info('Monitoring stopped.');
protected function displayRecentEvents(int $count)
   $events = EloquentStoredEvent::orderBy('id', 'desc')
        ->take($count)
       ->get()
        ->reverse();
   if ($events->isEmpty()) {
        $this->line('No historical events found');
       return;
   $this->line("=== LAST {$count} EVENTS ===");
   foreach ($events as $event) {
       $this->displayEvent($event, true);
protected function displayEvent(EloquentStoredEvent $event, bool $isHistorical = false)
   $properties = $event->event_properties;
   $path = $properties['path'] ?? '';
   // Normalize Windows paths
   $path = str_replace('\\', '/', $path);
```

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// Extract time portion from the datetime string
   $time = substr($event->created_at, 11, 8);
   $prefix = $isHistorical ? '[HIST] ' : '[LIVE] ';
   $this->line(sprintf(
        "{$prefix}[%s] %s: %s",
       $time,
       $this->getColoredEventType($event->event class),
       $path
   ));
protected function getColoredEventType(string $className): string
   $type = $this->getEventType($className);
   // Apply colors based on event type
   if (str_contains($type, 'CREATED')) {
       return "<fg=green>$type</>";
   } elseif (str_contains($type, 'MODIFIED')) {
       return "<fg=blue>$type</>";
   } elseif (str_contains($type, 'DELETED')) {
        return "<fg=red>$type</>";
   return $type;
```

```
protected function getEventType(string $className): string
       return match (true) {
           str contains($className, 'FileCreated') => ' FILE CREATED',
           str contains($className, 'FileDeleted') => 'X FILE DELETED',
           str contains($className, 'FileModified') => '
FILE MODIFIED',
           str_contains($className, 'DirectoryCreated') => ' DIRECTORY CREATED',
           str contains($className, 'DirectoryDeleted') => ' DIRECTORY DELETED',
           default => ' ? ' . class basename($className)
       };
app\Console\Commands\ReconcileFileSystem.php
<?php
namespace App\Console\Commands;
use App\Services\FileSystemReconciler;
use Illuminate\Console\Command;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
class ReconcileFileSystem extends Command
    protected $signature = 'filesystem:reconcile
                         {path : The path to reconcile}
                         {--skip-scan : Skip filesystem scan, use last state}';
    protected $description = 'Reconcile file system state with event history';
```

```
// Constructor to set custom help message
    public function __construct()
       parent:: construct();
       $this->setHelp(<<<'HELP'</pre>
DESCRIPTION:
  Reconcile the current file system state with stored event history.
  This command will:
 1. Scan the target directory (unless skipped)
  2. Compare current state against stored events
  3. Identify discrepancies (missing/modified files)
  4. Generate reconciliation events to fix inconsistencies
  5. Output summary statistics
  Precommended for periodic maintenance and data integrity checks.
WORKFLOW:
                    : Scan file system (optional, unless --skip-scan used)
  [Scan Phase]
  [Comparison Phase]: Compare against last known state from events
  [Reconciliation] : Generate events to fix discrepancies
  [Reporting]
                 : Show results table
USAGE:
  php artisan filesystem:reconcile <path> [options]
ARGUMENTS:
                    Absolute path to reconcile (required)
  path
OPTIONS:
                   Use last scan state instead of re-scanning (faster)
  --skip-scan
OUTPUT:
  - Summary table with reconciliation metrics:
```

- Items scanned
- Discrepancies found
- Events created
- Duration
- Items per second

EXAMPLES:

- 1. Full reconciliation with new scan:
 php artisan filesystem:reconcile /var/www
- 2. Fast reconciliation using last scan state:
 php artisan filesystem:reconcile /mnt/data --skip-scan

SAMPLE OUTPUT:

Starting file system reconciliation...

Path: /var/www

✓ Reconciliation completed successfully!

Metric	Value
Items scanned Discrepancies found Reconciliation events created Duration Items per second	15,342 27 27 8.3 sec 1,848

NOTES:

- Without --skip-scan: Does fresh scan (slower but more accurate)
- With --skip-scan: Uses last scan state (faster but requires recent scan)
- Discrepancies include: missing files, modified files, orphan events
- Created events will fix inconsistencies in the event history
- Run during low-traffic periods for large directories

```
HELP
       );
    public function handle()
       $path = $this->argument('path');
        $this->info("Starting file system reconciliation...");
       $this->line("Path: {$path}");
       $this->newLine();
       $startTime = microtime(true);
       try {
            $reconciler = new FileSystemReconciler($path);
            $result = $reconciler->execute();
            $endTime = microtime(true);
            $duration = round($endTime - $startTime, 2);
            $this->displayResults($result, $duration);
       } catch (\Exception $e) {
            $this->error("Reconciliation failed: " . $e->getMessage());
            Log::error("Reconciliation failed", ['error' => $e->getMessage()]);
            return Command::FAILURE;
```

```
return Command::SUCCESS;
    private function displayResults(array $result, float $duration): void
       $this->info("✓ Reconciliation completed successfully!");
       $this->newLine();
        $this->table(
            ['Metric', 'Value'],
                ['Items scanned', number_format($result['scanned'])],
                ['Discrepancies found', number format($result['discrepancies'])],
                ['Reconciliation events created', number_format($result['events_created'])],
                ['Duration', "{$duration} seconds"],
                ['Items per second', $result['scanned'] > 0 ? round($result['scanned'] / $duration) : 0],
        );
app\Console\Commands\TestEventDispatch.php
<?php
namespace App\Console\Commands;
use App\Events\FileSystem\FileCreated;
use Illuminate\Console\Command;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
```

```
class TestEventDispatch extends Command
   protected $signature = 'test:event';
   protected $description = 'Test event dispatching';
   public function handle()
       Log::info("Dispatching test event");
       event(new FileCreated(
            '/test/path.txt',
            'test',
            'hash123',
           now(),
           1024
       ));
       Log::info("Test event dispatched");
       $this->info("✓ Test event dispatched. Check logs.");
       return 0;
app\Console\Commands\WatchFileSystem.php
<?php
namespace App\Console\Commands;
```

```
use App\Services\FileSystemWatcher;
use Illuminate\Console\Command;
use Illuminate\Support\Facades\Log;
class WatchFileSystem extends Command
   protected $signature = 'filesystem:watch
                         {path : The path to watch}
                         {--timeout=0 : Stop watching after N seconds (0 = infinite)}';
    protected $description = 'Watch file system for real-time changes';
   public function handle()
       $path = $this->argument('path');
       $timeout = (int) $this->option('timeout');
       if (!is_dir($path)) {
            $this->error("Path does not exist or is not a directory: {$path}");
           return Command::FAILURE;
       $this->info("Q Starting file system watcher...");
       $this->info(" Watching: {$path}");
       if ($timeout > 0) {
           $this->info(" Timeout: {$timeout} seconds");
       } else {
```

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$this->info(" Running indefinitely (Ctrl+C to stop)");
$this->newLine();
// Set up signal handling for graceful shutdown
if (extension_loaded('pcntl')) {
    pcntl signal(SIGTERM, [$this, 'gracefulShutdown']);
    pcntl signal(SIGINT, [$this, 'gracefulShutdown']);
try {
    $watcher = new FileSystemWatcher($path);
    // Set timeout if specified
    if ($timeout > 0) {
        $this->setTimeoutAlarm($timeout);
    }
    $this->info("✓ Watcher started. Monitoring for changes...");
    $this->displayInstructions();
    // Start watching (this will block)
    $watcher->start();
} catch (\Exception $e) {
    $this->error("X Watcher failed: " . $e->getMessage());
    Log::error("File system watcher failed", [
        'path' => $path,
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'error' => $e->getMessage(),
          'trace' => $e->getTraceAsString()
      ]);
      return Command::FAILURE;
   return Command::SUCCESS;
private function displayInstructions(): void
   $this->newLine();
   $this->line(" (fg=yellow>Instructions:</fg=yellow>");
   $this->line(" • Check the logs for real-time event tracking");
   $this->line(" • Use Ctrl+C to stop watching gracefully");
   $this->line(" • Check stored events table to see captured events");
   $this->newLine();
private function setTimeoutAlarm(int $seconds): void
   if (extension_loaded('pcntl')) {
      pcntl_alarm($seconds);
      pcntl signal(SIGALRM, function () {
          $this->info(" Timeout reached. Stopping watcher...");
          exit(0);
      });
```

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