oerforge.db_utils

Database utilities for OERForge: initialization, asset tracking, page-file relationships, site metadata, and general-purpose queries for SQLite.

Overview

oerforge.db_utils provides a set of functions to manage and interact with the SQLite database used in the OERForge project. It supports schema setup, record insertion and fetching, asset linking, conversion tracking, and pretty-printing for debugging. Designed for contributors and users who need to extend or inspect the database layer.

Functions

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initialize\_database
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def initialize_database()
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Initialize the database schema, create all required tables, and insert default conversion capabilities.

 $set_relative_link$

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def set_relative_link(content_id, relative_link, db_path=None)
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Update the relative_link for a content item.

Parameters - content_id (int): Content item ID. - relative_link (str): Relative link to set. - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database file.

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 $set_menu_context$

def set_menu_context(content_id, menu_context, db_path=None)

Update the menu_context for a content item.

Parameters - content_id (int): Content item ID. - menu_context (str): Menu context value. - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database file.

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get_menu_items
def get menu items(db path=None)
Fetch all menu items with their links and context.
Parameters - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database file.
Returns - list[dict]: List of menu item dictionaries.
get_db_connection
def get_db_connection(db_path=None)
Get a SQLite3 connection to the database.
Parameters - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database file.
Returns - sqlite3. Connection: Connection object.
get_records
def get_records(table_name, where_clause=None, params=None, db_path=None, conn=None, cursor=
Fetch records from a table with optional WHERE clause and parameters.
Parameters - table_name (str): Table name. - where_clause (str, optional):
SQL WHERE clause (without 'WHERE'). - params (tuple/list, optional): Pa-
rameters for WHERE clause. - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database
file. - conn, cursor: Optional existing connection/cursor.
Returns - list[dict]: List of records as dictionaries.
insert\_records
def insert_records(table_name, records, db_path=None, conn=None, cursor=None)
Batch insert records into any table. Returns list of inserted row IDs.
Parameters - table_name (str): Table name. - records (list[dict]): List of
column-value dicts. - db_path (str, optional): Path to the database file. - conn,
cursor: Optional existing connection/cursor.
Returns - list[int]: List of inserted row IDs.
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def get enabled conversions(source format, db path=None)
Get enabled target formats for a given source format.
Parameters - source_format (str): Source file extension (e.g., '.md'). - db_path
(str, optional): Path to the database file.
Returns - list[str]: List of enabled target formats.
pretty_print_table
def pretty_print_table(table_name, db_path=None, conn=None, cursor=None)
Pretty-print all rows of a table to the log and terminal for inspection/debugging.
Parameters - table_name (str): Table name. - db_path (str, optional): Path
to the database file. - conn, cursor: Optional existing connection/cursor.
log event
def log_event(message, level="INFO")
Log an event to both stdout and a log file in the project root.
Parameters - message (str): Log message. - level (str): Severity level ("INFO",
"ERROR", etc.).
link files to pages
def link_files_to_pages(file_page_pairs, db_path=None, conn=None, cursor=None)
Link files to pages in the pages_files table.
Parameters - file_page_pairs (list[tuple]): Each tuple is (file_id, page_path).
- db path (str, optional): Path to the database file. - conn, cursor: Optional
existing connection/cursor.
get_available_conversions_for_page
def get_available_conversions_for_page(output_path, db_path=None)
Return all successful conversions for a page output path.
Parameters - output_path (str): Output path of the page. - db_path (str,
optional): Path to the database file.
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get_enabled_conversions

Returns - list[dict]: List of dicts with target_format, output_path, an status.	nd
Usage Example	
<pre>from oerforge import db_utils conn = db_utils.get_db_connection() db_utils.pretty_print_table('content', conn=conn)</pre>	
Requirements	
 Python 3.7+ SQLite3 	
See Also	
• SQLite Documentation	
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