

FIND ONE BY ID

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/**
 * Finds a single entity by a set of criteria.
 * @param array $criteria
 * @param array|null $orderBy
 * @return object|null The entity instance or NULL if the entity can not be found.
 */
public function findOneBy(array $criteria, array $orderBy = null)
{
    $persister = $this->_em->getUnitOfWork()->getEntityPersister($this->_entityName);
    return $persister->load($criteria, null, null, array(), null, 1, $orderBy); <<< Identity Map ?
}
```

PERSIST

Tells the `ObjectManager` to make an instance managed and persistent.

The object will be entered into the database as a result of the flush operation.

NOTE: The `persist` operation always considers objects that are not yet known to this `ObjectManager` as `NEW`. Do not pass detached objects to the `persist` operation.