Advanced Web Technologies

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Web frameworks

- What is a web framework?
 - Set of tools to make the development of web applications easier
 - Requires some learning time before being actually helpful
- Some examples of web frameworks



















django

What is Django?

- Open source Python web framework
- Active and experimented community
 - Thorough documentation: https://docs.djangoproject.com/
 - Various snippets: https://djangosnippets.org/
 - Various packages: https://djangopackages.org/
- Supports the "MTV" pattern (a variant of MVC)
 - Means "Model Template View"
 - Each web application is placed in a "project"
 - A project is a set of files and folders, organized according to the MTV pattern
- Requires to know the basics of Python many good interactive courses:
 - https://www.datacamp.com/onboarding/learn?technology=python
 - https://www.codecademy.com/courses/learn-python/
 - https://www.learnpython.org

History of Django

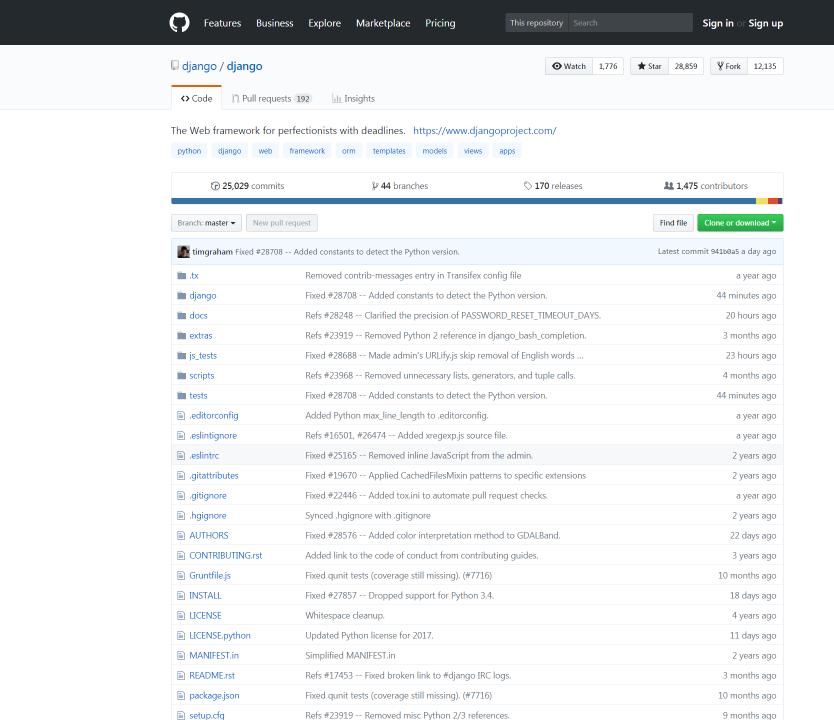
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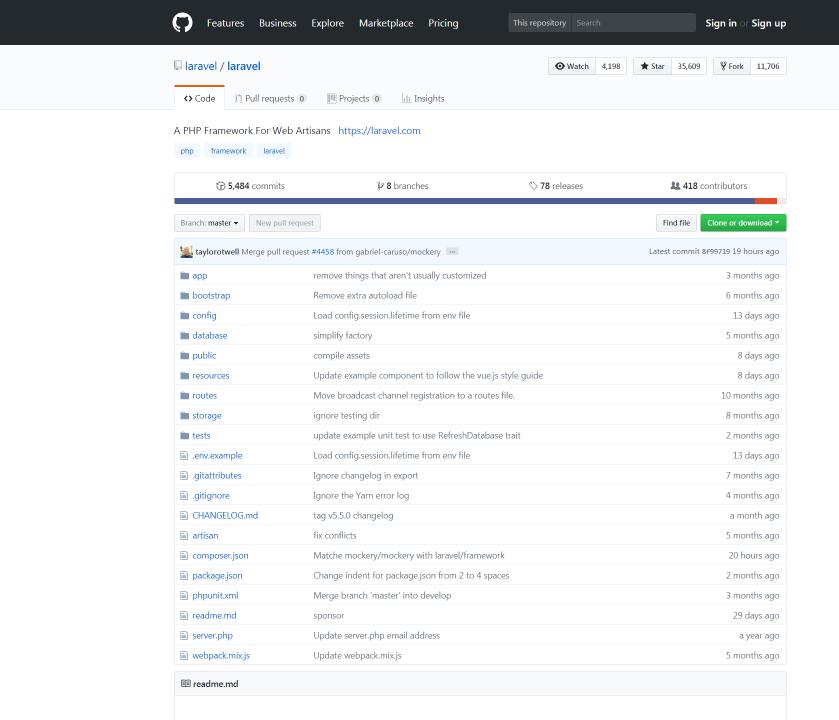


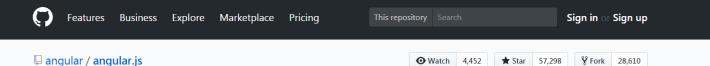




- 2003: production and maintenance of web sites for a newspaper
 - They had an intensely fast schedule
 - So they developed a time-saving framework
- 2005
 - They released the framework
 - They named it "django" (after the guitarist Django Reinhardt)
- Nowadays
 - Well established open source project
 - Hundreds of contributors







Insights

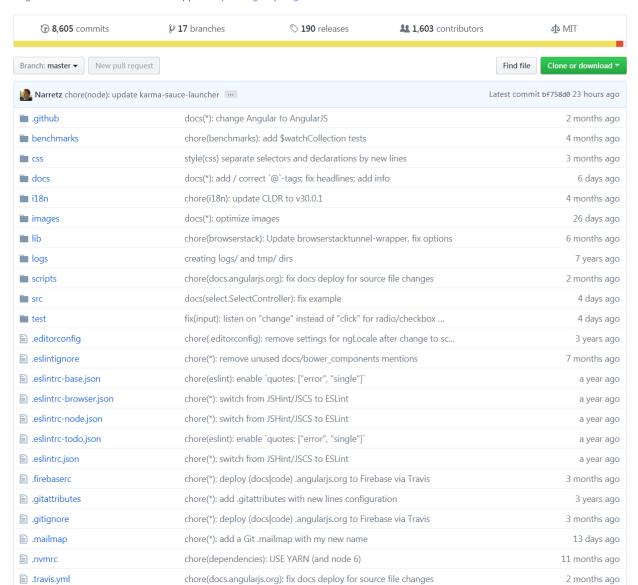
Projects 0

AngularJS - HTML enhanced for web apps! https://angularjs.org

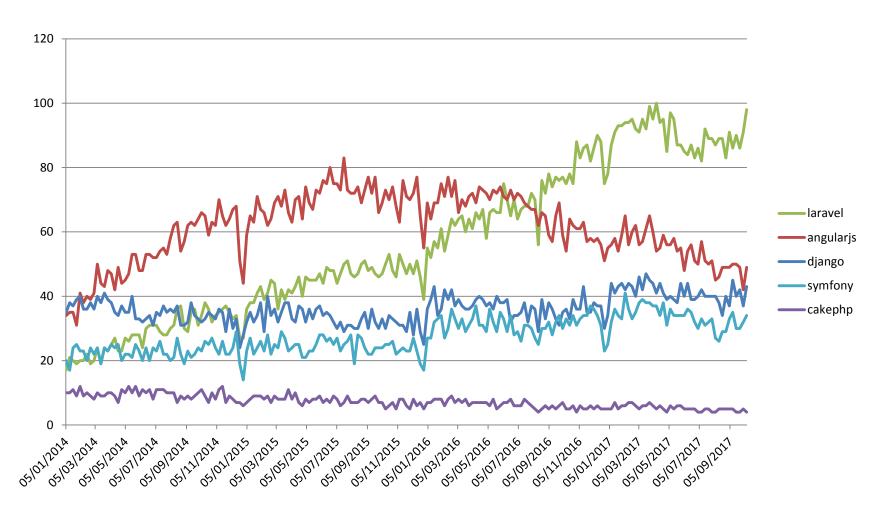
Pull requests 162

(!) Issues 544

<> Code



Evolution of interests in Web frameworks

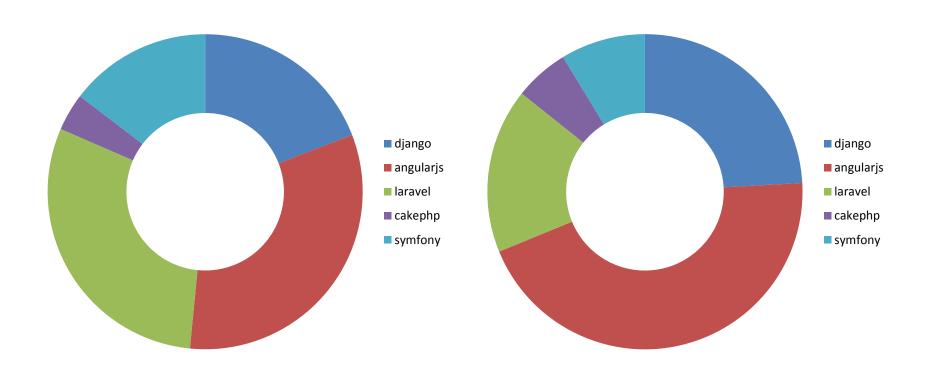


Source: Google Trends, category "Software"

Current popularity of Web frameworks

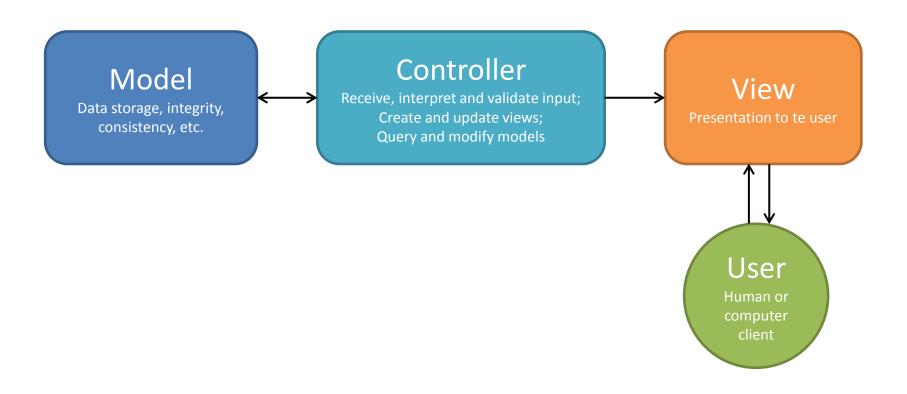
Cumulated number of times each framework was searched on Google

Number of returned results on Stack Overflow

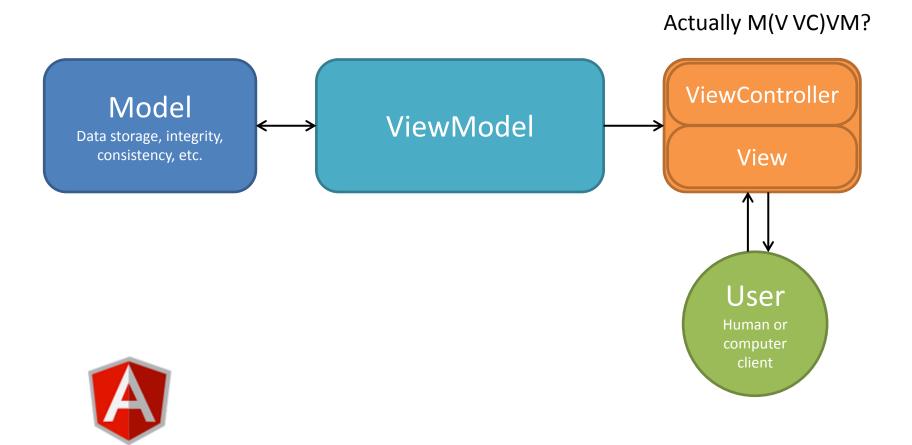


MODEL-VIEW-CONTROLLER AND MODEL-TEMPLATE-VIEW

Standard Model-View-Controller pattern

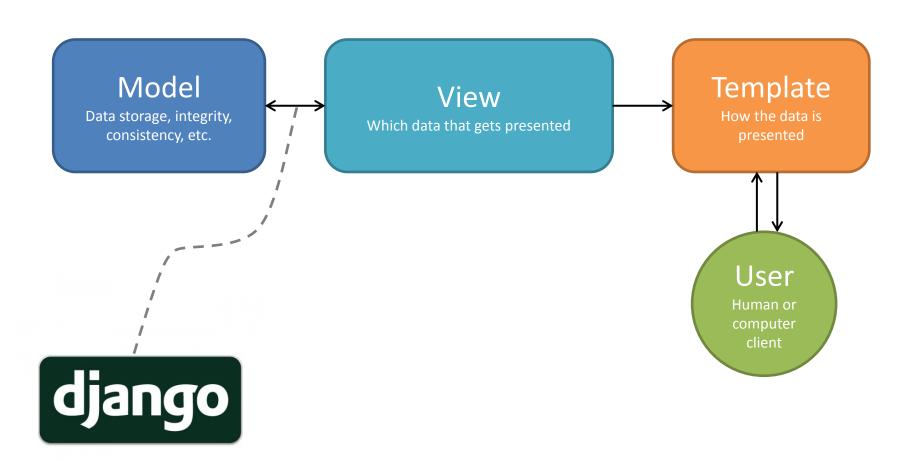


Model View View Model



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Model-Template-View



GETTING STARTED

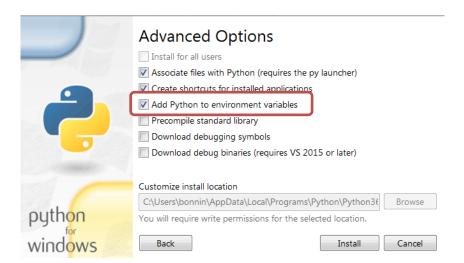
Install Python

Ubuntu

- \$ sudo apt-get update
- \$ sudo apt-get install python3.6

Windows

- Download the installer here: https://www.python.org/downloads/
- Click "next", "next", "next"...



Install Django

- Install pip
 - Windows:

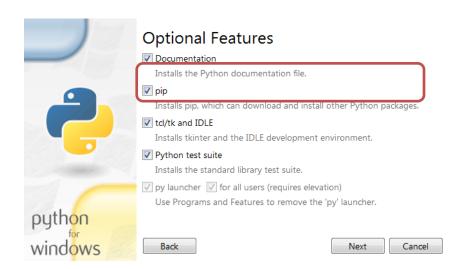
Check the "pip" box during the installation of Python

– Ubuntu :

Download pip here: https://bootstrap.pypa.io/get-pip.py

Then run the following command:

- \$ python get-pip.py
- Use pip to install Django:
 - \$ pip install django



Create a project

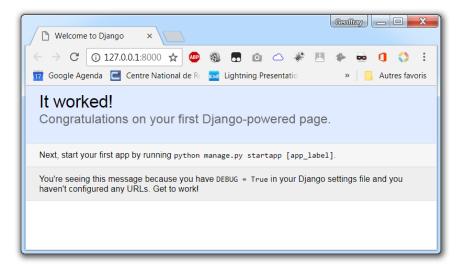
- In command line, go to the desired directory
- Run the following command:
 - \$ django-admin startproject lala
- Result:

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lala/
    manage.py
    mysite/
    __init__.py
    settings.py
    urls.py
    wsgi.py
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Run the development server

- Go to the project root directory
- Run the following command:
 - \$ python manage.py runserver

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18/10/2017 03:39 PM
                                   824 manage.py
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                                    824 butes
              3 Dir(s) 216,873,897,984 bytes free
C:\Users\bonnin\django\lala>python manage.py runserver
Performing system checks...
System check identified no issues (0 silenced)
You have 13 unapplied migration(s). Your project may not work properly until you
apply the migrations for app(s): admin, auth, contenttypes, sessions.
Run 'python manage.py migrate' to apply them.
October 18, 2017 - 15:41:51
Django version 1.11.6, using settings 'lala.settings'
Starting development server at http://127.0.0.1:8000/
Quit the server with CTRL-BREAK.
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Some links

1. Install Python:

https://www.python.org/downloads/

2. Install Django:

https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/1.11/topics/install/#installing-official-release

3. Create a project:

https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/1.11/intro/tutorial01/#creating-a-project

4. Run the development server:

https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/1.11/intro/tutorial01/#the-development-server