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Featured

Progress on Implementing Parallelism in Postgres

Parallelism has been desired within Postgres for a few years now. Fortunately one of the core contributors has been plugging away on it recently. Get an update directly from him here on progress.
ROBERT HAAS

Rapid Schema Development with PostgreSQL

Postgres has had some flexibility with hstore (a key value column type) for some time, now its JSON is richer, and with PLV8 it has full JavaScript support. Andrew Godwin recently highlighted all this and how you can move faster with Postgres in many cases at Allyourbaseconf.
ANDREW GODWIN

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The rest

PostgreSQL Autonomous Transactions

In addition to parallelism, autonomous transactions are one of those features missing within Postgres. Fortunately you can get that functionality without too much extra effort with PL/Proxy
DIMITRI FONTAINE

Using Custom Composite Types in PostgreSQL

Composite types can offer you a bit more power within Postgres and can often be quite easy to work with. Here's a specific look at using them specifically within PL/pgsql.
PAVEL STEHULE

post_json: A Document Database by Combining Features of Ruby, ActiveRecord and PostgreSQL with PLV8

WEBNUTS

node-pg-query-stream: Query results from node-postgres as a readable (object) stream

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BRIAN C

E-Maj 1.1.0 released

If you need logging around various groups of tables for auditing and an ability to recover from them heres an extension to help with just that.
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