```ruby
class CreatePeople < ActiveRecord::Migration

def self.up
   create_table :people do |t|
      t.column :firstname, :string
      t.column :lastname, :string
      t.column :birthdate, :date
   end
end

def self.down
   drop_table :people
end
```

```sql
CREATE TABLE `people` (
  `id`          int(11) NOT NULL auto_increment,
  `firstname`   varchar(255) default NULL,
  `lastname`    varchar(255) default NULL,
  `birthdate`   datetime default NULL,
  PRIMARY KEY (`id`)
) ENGINE=InnoDB DEFAULT CHARSET=latin1
```

```ruby
class People < ActiveRecord::Base
end
```