

PHPCR

JCR meets scripting languages

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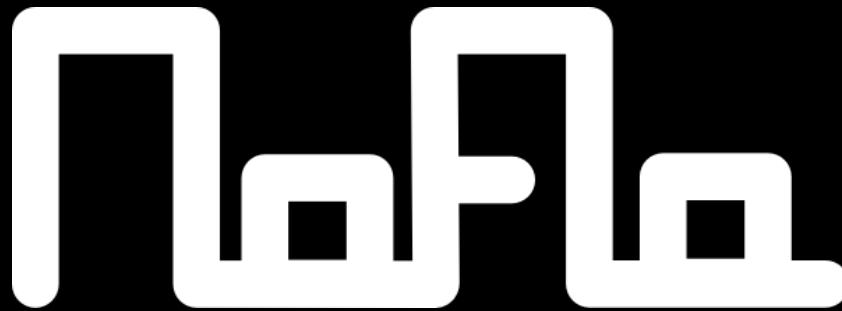
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"The Midgard Project is born."

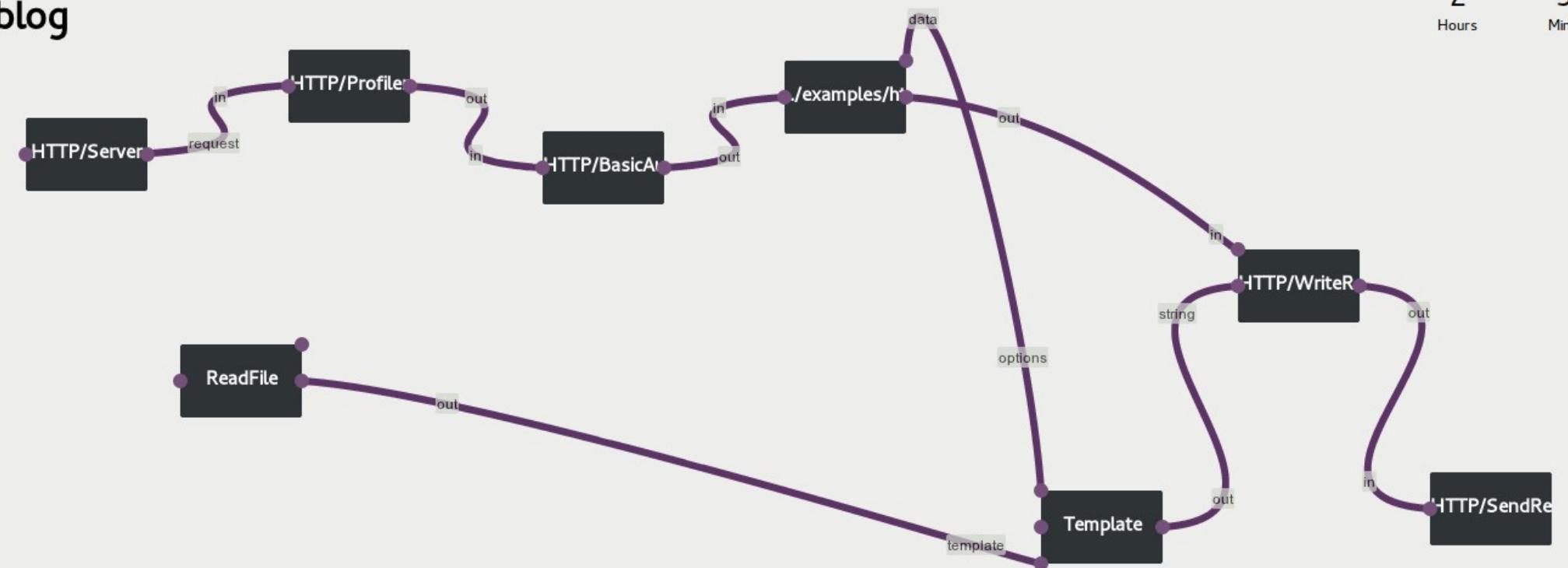
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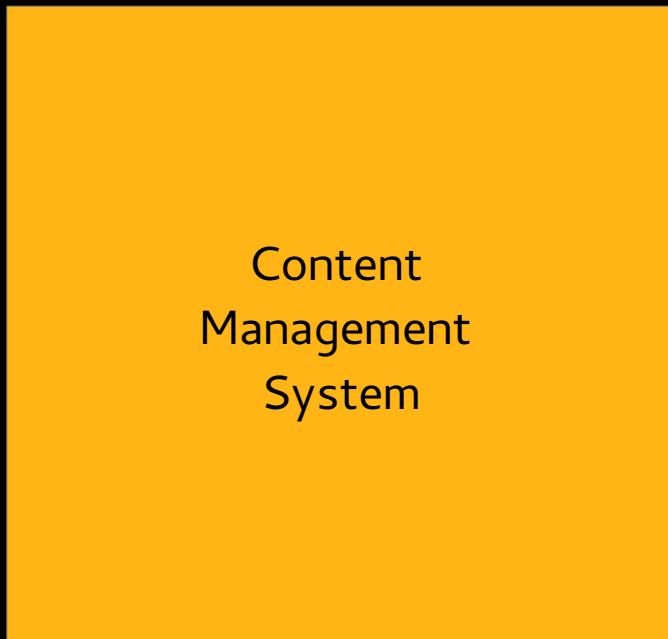


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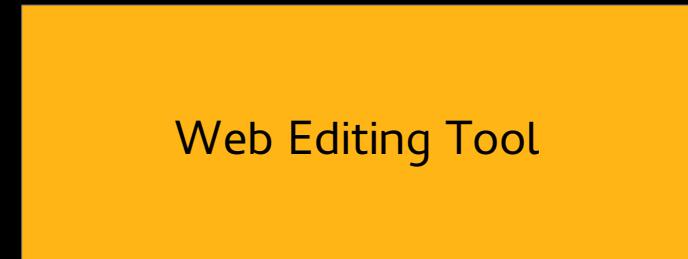
The PHP Content Repository is an adaption of the Java Content Repository (JCR) standard, an open API specification defined in JSR-283. The API defines how to handle hierarchical semi-structured data in a consistent way.

Decoupling Content Management

Monolithic approach



Decoupled approach



Why PHP?



fuzzy notepad

this is really hard to write on

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PHP: a fractal of bad design

Preface

I'm cranky. I complain about a lot of things. There's a lot in the world of technology I don't like, and that's really to be expected—programming is a hilariously young discipline, and none of us have the slightest clue what we're doing. Combine with [Sturgeon's Law](#), and I have a lifetime's worth of stuff to gripe about.

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PHP runs practically anywhere

...from your LAMP server to cloud providers

Lots and lots of PHP developers

...especially in digital agencies

Modern PHP isn't actually
that bad

Standards

PSR-0: Autoloading interoperability

PSR-1: Coding standards

PSR-2: Style guide

github.com/php-fig/fig-standards

Namespaces

```
<?php
namespace Sandbox\MainBundle\Document;

use Doctrine\ODM\PHPCR\Mapping\Annotations as PHPCRODM;
use Symfony\Cmf\Bundle\MultilangContentBundle\Document\MultilangStaticContent;
use Liip\VieBundle\FromJsonLdInterface;

/**
 * @PHPCRODM\Document(referenceable=true,translator="child")
 */
class EditableStaticContent extends MultilangStaticContent implements FromJs
{
    /**
     * @PHPCRODM\String(multivalue=true)
     */
    public $tags;
```

Shared libraries

The screenshot shows the Packagist.org homepage within a Firefox browser window. The title bar indicates the browser is running on a Mac OS X system. The main content area features the Packagist logo (a brown cardboard box with 'Packagist' and 'The PHP package archivist.' printed on it) and the tagline 'The PHP package archivist.' Below this is a brief description: 'Packagist is the main Composer repository. It aggregates all sorts of PHP packages that are installable with Composer.' followed by links to 'Browse packages' and 'submit your own.' A large search bar is present. To the right are sections for 'Getting Started' (with 'Define Your Dependencies' and a code snippet for composer.json) and 'Publishing Packages' (with 'Define Your Package' and a code snippet for composer.json). A green 'Submit Package' button is located in the top right corner of the main content area.

Packagist
The PHP package archivist.

Packagist is the main **Composer** repository. It aggregates all sorts of PHP packages that are installable with Composer.
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Search packages...

Getting Started

Define Your Dependencies

Put a file named `composer.json` at the root of your project, containing your project dependencies:

```
{  
    "require": {  
        "vendor/package": "1.3.2",  
        "vendor/package2": "1.*",  
        "vendor/package3": ">=2.0.3"  
    }  
}
```

Publishing Packages

Define Your Package

Put a file named `composer.json` at the root of your package, containing this information:

```
{  
    "name": "your-vendor-name/package-name",  
    "require": {  
        "php": ">=5.3.0",  
        "another-vendor/package": "1.*"  
    }  
}
```

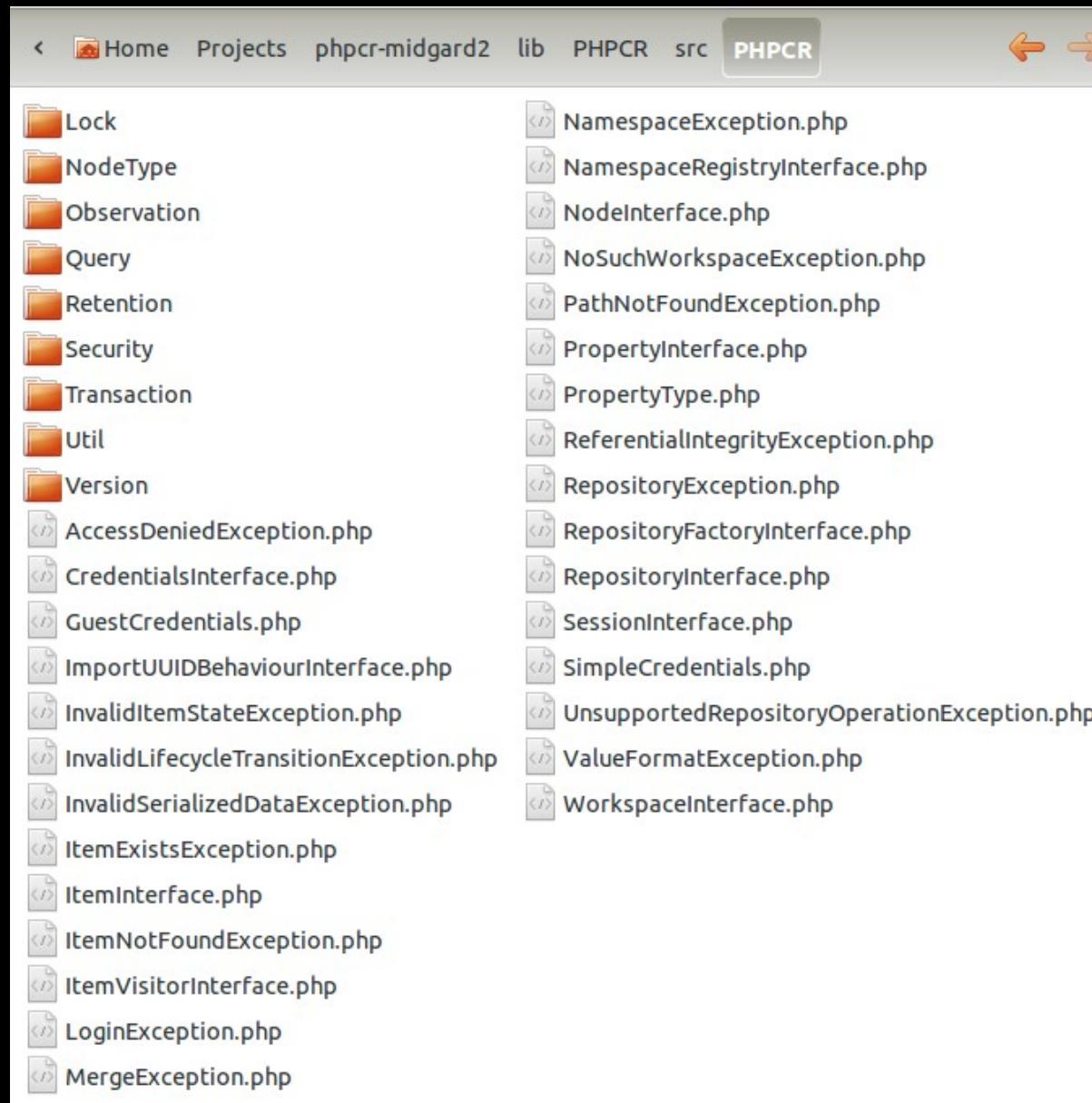
"Bad programmers worry about the code. Good programmers worry about data structures and their relationships."

- Linus Torvalds



PHPCR

PHPCR is a collection of interfaces



PHPCR is a collection of tests

Same API, multiple repositories

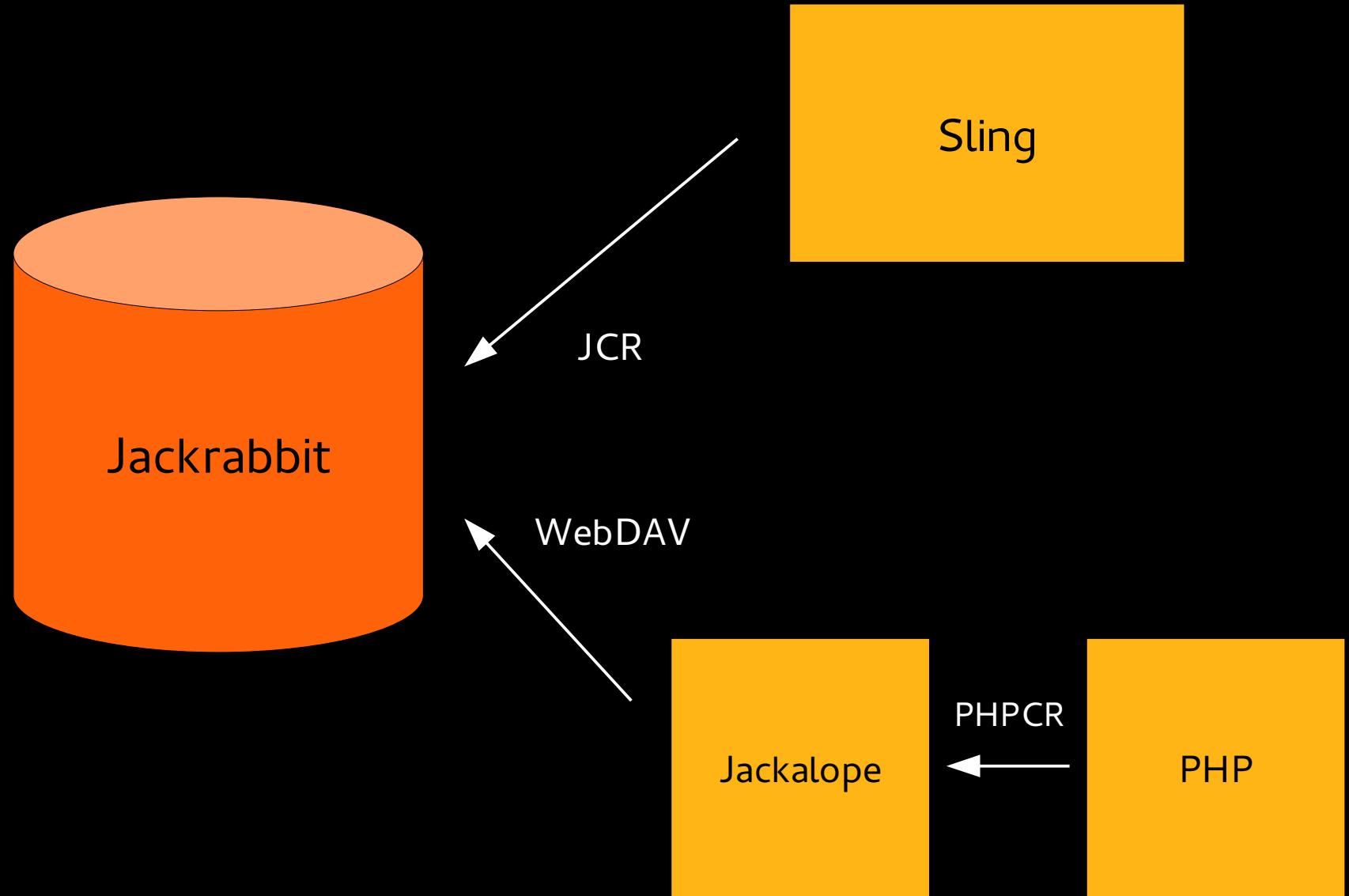
- Jackalope
 - Apache Jackrabbit: accessed through WebDAV
 - Doctrine DBAL: pure-PHP repository library
- jackalope.github.com
- Midgard2
 - GObject-oriented repository library accessible through PHP extension
 - Python, JavaScript, Java, ...
- midgard-project.org/phpcr

A digital agency is building a campaign site for you.

They know PHP, but need some of your JCR-managed content

Scenario 1

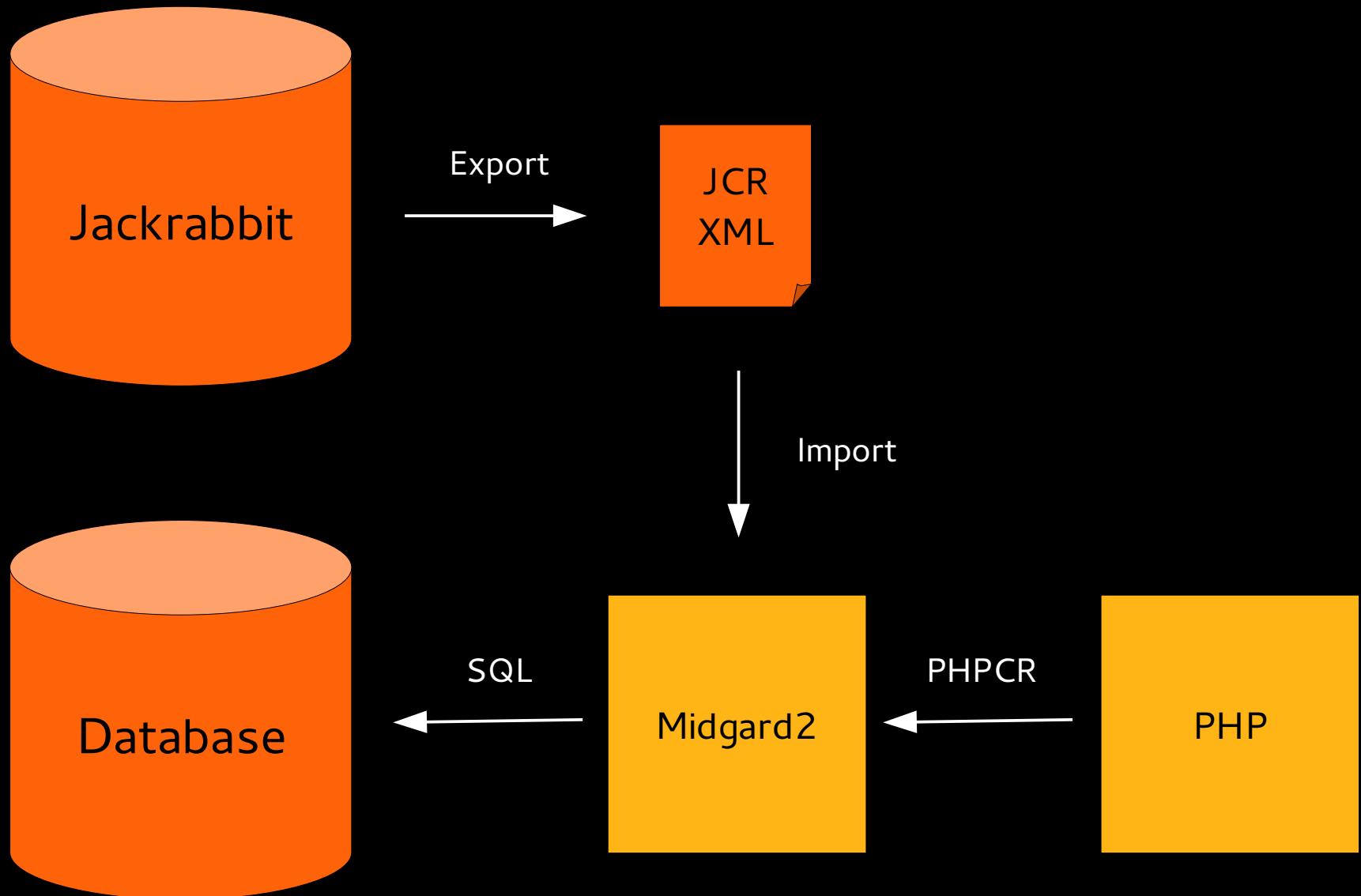
Connect PHP to your existing Jackrabbit repository via Jackalope



Scenario 2

Run Jackalope DBAL or Midgard2 on LAMP

Export-import content from Jackrabbit



Connecting to a repository: Jackrabbit

- Start Jackrabbit:

```
$ java -jar jackrabbit-standalone-2.4.1.jar
```

- Connect to repository:

```
4 $params = array(
5   'jackalope.jackrabbit_uri' => 'http://localhost:8080/server',
6 );
7
8 // Get a Jackalope repository
9 $repository = Jackalope\RepositoryFactoryJackrabbit::getRepository($params);
0
1 // Log in
2 $credentials = new \PHPCR\SimpleCredentials('admin', 'admin');
3 $session = $repository->login($credentials, 'default');
```

This is the only repository-specific part

```
// Set up Midgard2 repository configs
$parameters = array(
    // Use local SQLite file for storage
    'midgard2.configuration.db.type' => 'SQLite',
    'midgard2.configuration.db.name' => 'midgard2cr',
    'midgard2.configuration.db.dir' => __DIR__,
    'midgard2.configuration.blobdir' => __DIR__ . '/blobs',
    // Let Midgard2 initialize the DB as needed
    'midgard2.configuration.db.init' => true,
    // Enable this if you want to see the actual database queries
    //'midgard2.configuration.loglevel' => 'debug',
);

// Get a Midgard repository
getRepository = Midgard\PHPCR\RepositoryFactory::getRepository($parameters);
// Log in
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```

Working with the tree

```
5 // The PHPCR tree starts from a root node
6 $root = $session->get rootNode();
7
8 // Add node unless it already exists
9 if (!$session->nodeExists('/example')) {
0     $node = $root->addNode('example', 'nt:unstructured');
1     $node->setProperty('property', 'value');
2     $session->save();
3 }
4
5 // Get a node by path
6 $node = $session->getNode('/example');
7 echo $node->getPropertyValue('property'); // "value"
```

Queries

```
9 // Get the Query Manager
0 $qm = $session->getWorkspace()->getQueryManager();
1
2 // Prepare a SQL2 query
3 $query = $qm->createQuery('SELECT * FROM [nt:unstructured]
4                               WHERE property IS NOT NULL
5                               ORDER BY property ASC',
6                               \PHPCR\Query\QueryInterface::JCR_SQL2);
7
8 // Execute
9 $results = $query->execute();
0
1 // Loop through results
2 $nodes = $results->getNodes();
3 foreach ($nodes as $node) {
4     var_dump($node->getPath());
5     var_dump($node->getPropertyValue('property'));
6 }
```

Versioning: commit

```
0 $node->setProperty('property', 'value');
1 $session->save();
2 // Commit current version of the node
3 $vm->checkpoint('/example');
4 // Change property value
5 $node->setProperty('property', 'other value');
6 $session->save();
7 // Commit again
8 $vm->checkpoint('/example');
```

Export and import

```
25 // Export a node
26 $session->exportSystemView('/example',
27   fopen('/tmp/exportedNode.xml', 'w'),
28   true, true);
29
30 // Check that XML import is supported
31 if (!$repository->getDescriptor(\PHPCR
32 \RepositoryInterface::OPTION_XML_IMPORT_SUPPORTED)) {
33   die("XML import not supported by repository\n");
34 }
35
36 // Import the node into a new path
37 $session->importXML('/test',
38   fopen('/tmp/exportedNode.xml', 'r'),
39   \PHPCR\ImportUUIDBehaviourInterface::IMPORT_UUID_CREATE_NEW);
```

Status

5507 installs from Packagist

Used in production

PHPCR 2.1 in beta

Built on PHPCR

A screenshot of a Firefox web browser displaying the Symfony2 CMF website at cmf.symfony.com. The browser interface includes a toolbar with icons for back, forward, search, and refresh, and a status bar showing 'psr-1'. The main content area shows the Symfony2 CMF homepage with a green header, a navigation menu with 'Home' highlighted, and sections for 'The Symfony CMF Project' and 'Mission Statement'.

Firefox ▾  Home | Symfony2 CMF 

  cmf.symfony.com     psr-1 

Symfony2 + Doctrine2

Symfony2 CMF

Symfony2 Content Management Framework

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The Symfony CMF Project

Welcome to the home of the [Symfony2](#) Content Management Framework. The project is organized by the Symfony community and has several sponsoring companies and prominent open source leaders implementing the philosophy of the [decoupled CMS](#). You can learn more about the project on the [about](#) page.

Mission Statement

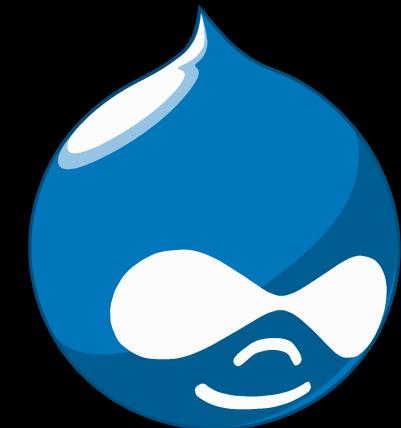
The Symfony CMF project makes it easier for **developers** to add **CMS functionality** to applications built with the **Symfony2 PHP framework**. Key development principles for the provided **set of bundles** are **scalability, usability, documentation and testing**.

Considering to adopt



TYPO3

Fork
— CMS —



Fork me on GitHub

Questions?

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decoupledcms.org

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