

# Creating a modern web application using Symfony API Platform, ReactJS and Redux

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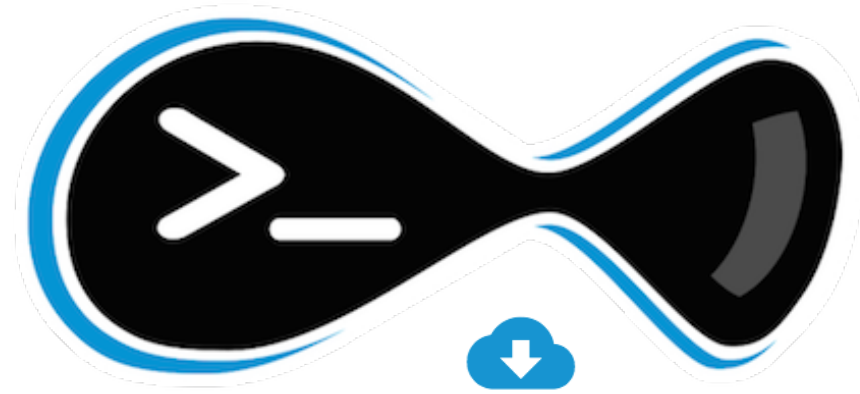
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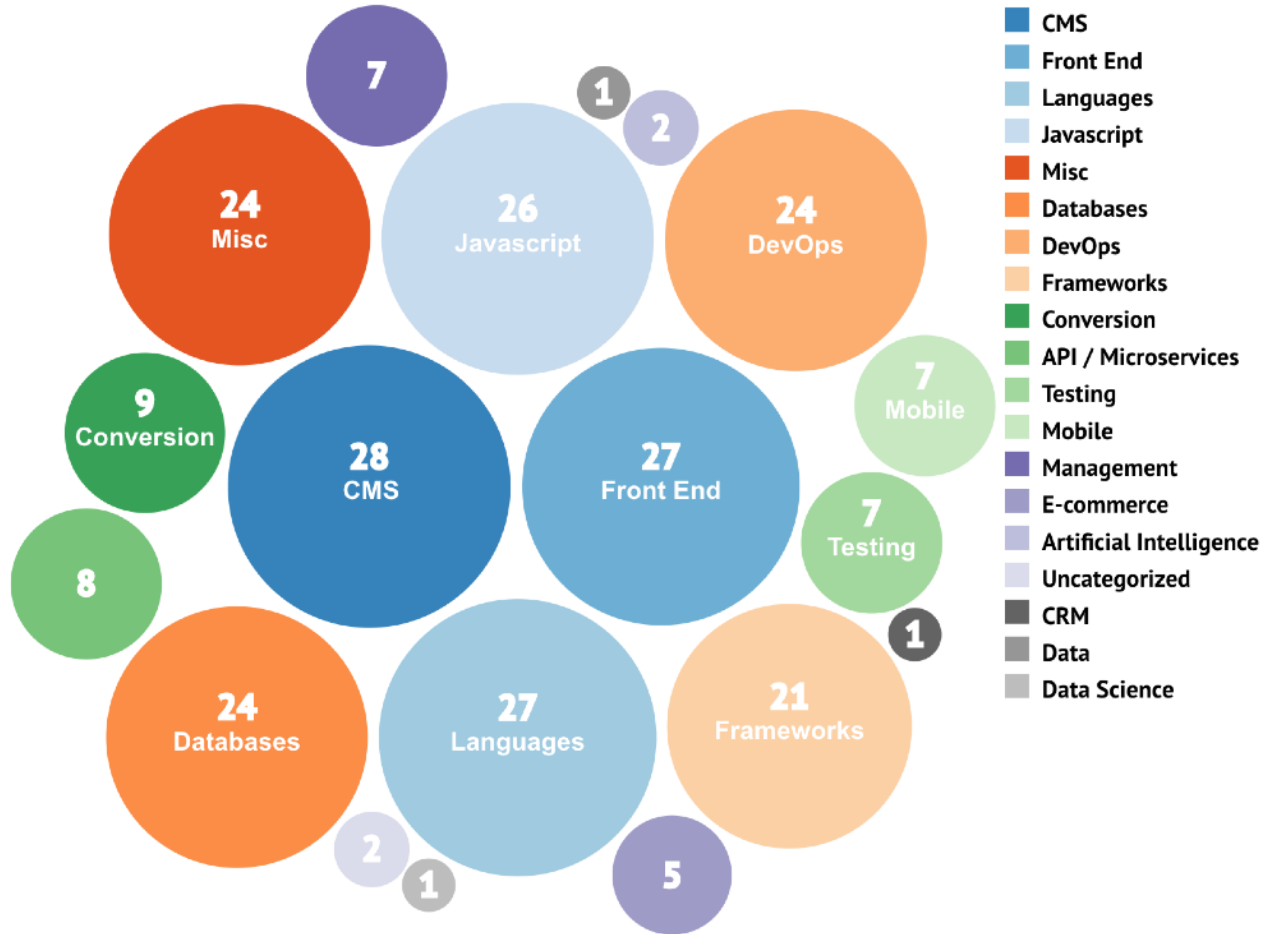
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Symfony

API Platform / GraphQL

ReactJS / Redux / Saga

Ant Design

# Symphony Flex



## Symfony Flex ... a Composer plugin for Symfony

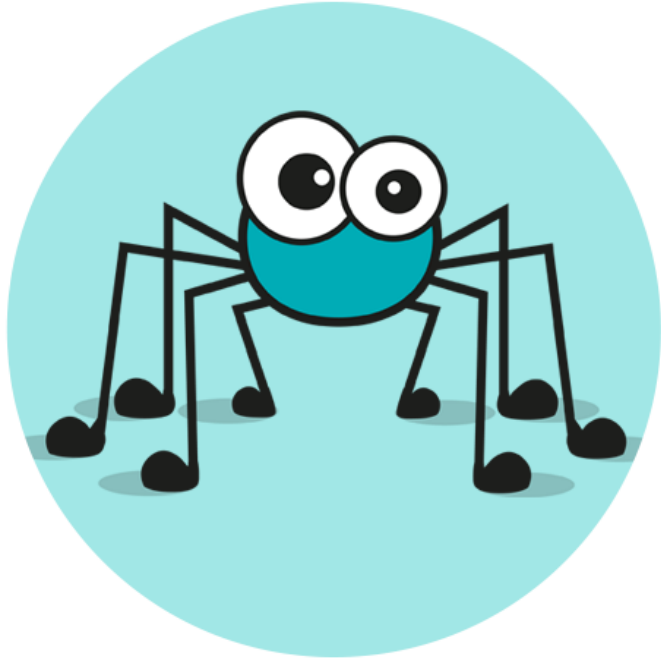
- > Symfony Flex is a **Composer plugin** that modifies the behavior of the **require**, **update**, and **remove composer** commands.
- > Symfony Flex automates the most common tasks of Symfony applications, like installing and removing bundles and other dependencies using recipes defined in a **manifest.json** file.

# Directory structure

```
1 your-project/  
2 |— assets/  
3 |— bin/  
4 |   └─ console  
5 |— config/  
6 |   └─ bundles.php  
7 |   └─ packages/  
8 |   └─ routes.yaml  
9 |   └─ services.yaml  
10 |— public/  
11 |   └─ index.php  
12 |— src/  
13 |   └─ ...  
14 |   └─ Kernel.php  
15 |— templates/  
16 |— tests/  
17 |— translations/  
18 |— var/  
19 |— vendor/
```

# API Platform Framework

# The API Platform Framework



**REST and GraphQL**  
framework to build  
modern API-driven  
projects

<https://api-platform.com/>

## Built on the Shoulders of Giants

- > Extend the framework with thousands of existing **Symfony** bundles and **React** components.
- > The **API** component includes the **Symfony 4** flex, the **Doctrine ORM**. Client-side components and **Admin** based on **React** and a **Docker** configuration ready to startup your project using one single command.
- > Reuse all your **Symfony**, **React** and **Docker** skills and benefit of their high quality docs; you are in known territory.

# The API Platform Components



API



Schema



Admin



CRUD

# Try API-Platform

```
# Clone code repository
```

```
git clone https://github.com/api-platform/api-platform.git
```

## Recommendations and adjustments

> Update route prefix at **api/config/routes/api\_platform.yaml** file.

```
api_platform:
```

```
  ...
```

```
    prefix: /api
```

> Update **admin/.env** and **client/.env** files (change protocol and port).

```
REACT_APP_API_ENTRYPOINT=http://localhost:8080/api
```



## Start containers ... and grab water, coffee, or a beer.

```
# Start containers
```

```
docker-compose up -d
```

```
# Open browser
```

```
open http://localhost/
```



## Add more formats

Update `api/config/packages/api_platform.yaml` adding:

`formats:`

`jsonld: ['application/ld+json'] # first one is the default format`

`json: ['application/json']`

`jsonhal: ['application/hal+json']`

`xml: ['application/xml', 'text/xml']`

`yaml: ['application/x-yaml']`

`csv: ['text/csv']`

`html: ['text/html']`

## Add Blog and Tag entities, remove default Greeting entity

> Add new entities to **api/src/Entity/** directory:

api/src/Entity/Post.php

api/src/Entity/PostType.php

api/src/Entity/User.php

> Remove default entity

api/src/Entity/Greeting.php

# api/src/Entity/Post.php 1/3

```
<?php
namespace App\Entity;

use ApiPlatform\Core\Annotation\ApiResource;
use Doctrine\ORM\Mapping as ORM;
use Symfony\Component\Validator\Constraints as Assert;

/**
 * @ApiResource
 * @ORM\Table(name="post")
 * @ORM\Entity
 */

class Post

{
    ...
}
```

## api/src/Entity/Post.php 2/3

```
/**
 * @ORM\Id
 * @ORM\GeneratedValue(strategy="AUTO")
 * @ORM\Column(type="integer")
 */
private $id;

/**
 * @ORM\Column
 * @Assert\NotBlank
 */
public $title = '';

/**
 * @ORM\Column
 * @Assert\NotBlank
 */
public $body = '';
```

## api/src/Entity/Post.php 3/3

```
/**  
 * @ORM\ManyToOne(targetEntity="PostType")  
 * @ORM\JoinColumn(name="post_type_id", referencedColumnName="id", nullable=false)  
 */  
  
public $type;  
  
public function getId(): int  
{  
    return $this->id;  
}
```

## Tracking Database changes

```
# Add dependency
```

```
composer require doctrine/doctrine-migrations-bundle
```

```
# Execute command(s)
```

```
doctrine:migrations:diff
```

```
doctrine:migrations:migrate
```

## Add FOSUserBundle

# Add dependency

```
composer require friendsofsymfony/user-bundle
```

```
composer require symfony/swiftmailer-bundle
```

<https://symfony.com/doc/current/bundles/FOSUserBundle/index.html>

<https://jolicode.com/blog/do-not-use-fosuserbundle>



## Initialize the project

- > Drop and Create Database
- > Execute Migrations
- > Populate Entities with Data

bin/console **init**

NOTE: Use **hautelook/AliceBundle** or **willdurand/BazingaFakerBundle**

## Loading Posts using the Browser

`http://localhost:8080/api/posts`

`http://localhost:8080/api/posts.json`

`http://localhost:8080/api/posts.jsonld`

`http://localhost:8080/api/posts/1`

`http://localhost:8080/api/posts/1.json`

## Loading Posts using the CLI

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8080/api/posts" \  
-H "accept: application/json"
```

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8080/api/posts/1" \  
-H "accept: application/ld+json"
```

## ADD Posts from CLI

```
curl -X POST "http://localhost:8080/api/posts" \  
-H "accept: application/ld+json" \  
-H "Content-Type: application/ld+json" \  
-d '{ "title": "Post create from CLI", "body": "body-  
less", "type": "/api/post_types/1"}'
```

## UPDATE and REMOVE Posts from CLI

```
curl -X PUT "http://localhost:8080/api/posts/9" \  
-H "accept: application/ld+json" \  
-H "Content-Type: application/ld+json" \  
-d '{ "title": "Updated from CLI" }'
```

```
curl -X DELETE "http://localhost:8080/api/posts/10" \  
-H "accept: application/json"
```

## Serialization

- > API Platform allows to specify the which attributes of the resource are exposed during the normalization (**read**) and denormalization (**write**) process. It relies on the serialization (and deserialization) groups feature of the **Symfony Serializer** component.
- > In addition to groups, you can use any option supported by the Symfony Serializer such as **enable\_max\_depth** to limit the serialization depth.

## Serialization Relations (Post => PostType) 1/2

```
# api/src/Entity/Post.php & PostType.php
* @ApiResponse(attributes={
*     "normalization_context"={"groups"={"read"}},
*     "denormalization_context"={"groups"={"write"}}
* })
```

## Serialization Relations (Post => PostType) 2/2

# Add use keyword to class

```
use Symfony\Component\Serializer\Annotation\Groups;
```

# Add use keyword to properties

```
* @Groups({"read"})
```

```
* @Groups({"read", "write"})
```



# GraphQL

## GraphQL

GraphQL offers significantly more flexibility for integrators.

Allows you to define in detail the only the data you want.

GraphQL lets you replace multiple REST requests with a single call to fetch the data you specify.

## Add GraphQL

To enable **GraphQL** and **GraphiQL** interface in your API, simply require the **graphql-php** package using **Composer**:

```
composer require webonyx/graphql-php
```

```
open http://localhost:8080/api/graphql
```

## Disable GraphQL

Update `api/config/packages/api_platform.yaml` adding:

```
api_platform:
```

```
# ...
```

```
    graphql:
```

```
        graphiql:
```

```
            enabled: false
```

```
# ...
```

## Load resource using GraphQL

```
{  
  post (id:"/api/posts/1") {  
    id,  
    title,  
    body  
  }  
}
```

## Load resource using GraphQL form the CLI

```
curl -X POST \  
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \  
-d '{ "query": "{ post(id: \"/api/posts/1\") { id,  
title, body } }" }' \  
http://localhost:8080/api/graphql
```

# Load resource relations using GraphQL

```
{  
  post (id:"/api/posts/1") {  
    title,  
    body,  
    type {  
      id,  
      name,  
      machineName  
    }  
  }  
}
```

## Load resource relations using GraphQL form the CLI

```
curl -X POST \  
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \  
-d '{ "query": "{ post(id: \"/api/posts/1\") { id, title, body, type { id, name, machineName } } }" }' \  
http://localhost:8080/api/graphql
```



# JWT

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# JWT Dependencies

# JWT

```
composer require lexik/jwt-authentication-bundle
```

JWT Refresh

```
gesdinet/jwt-refresh-token-bundle
```

## JWT Events (create)

```
# config/services.yaml
App\EventListener\JWTCreatedListener:
  tags:
    - {
      name: kernel.event_listener,
      event: lexik_jwt_authentication.on_jwt_created,
      method: onJWTCreated
    }

# src/EventListener/JWTCreatedListener.php
public function onJWTCreated(JWTCreatedEvent $event)
{
    $data = $event->getData();
    $user = $event->getUser();
    $data['organization'] = $user->getOrganization()->getId();
    $event->setData($data);
}
```

## JWT Events (success)

```
# config/services.yaml
App\EventListener\AuthenticationSuccessListener:
  tags:
    - {
      name: kernel.event_listener,
      event: lexik_jwt_authentication.on_authentication_success,
      method: onAuthenticationSuccessResponse
    }

# src/EventListener/AuthenticationSuccessListener.php
public function onAuthenticationSuccessResponse(AuthenticationSuccessEvent $event)
{
    $data = $event->getData();
    $user = $event->getUser();
    $data['roles'] = $user->getOrganization()->getRoles();
    $event->setData($data);
}
```

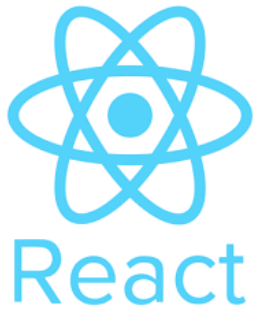
# React+Redux+Saga+ AntDesign

## **dvaajs/dva - React and redux based framework.**



<https://github.com/dvaajs/dva>

# React / Redux / Saga / AntDesign



## Tips

- > Use **webpack** instead of **roadhog**.
- > Use **apollo-fetch** for **GraphQL** calls.
- > Use **jwt-decode** to interact with **JWT**.
- > Use **LocalStorage** for simple key/values storage.
- > Use **IndexedDB** for encrypted and/or more complex data structures.
- > Use **Socket-IO** + **Redis** to sync **API** with **ReactJS** client.



# Directory Structure

```
├─ package.json
├─ src
│   ├─ components
│   ├─ constants.js
│   ├─ index.js
│   ├─ models
│   ├─ router.js
│   ├─ routes
│   └─ services
└─ webpack.config.js
```

## constants.js

```
export const API_URL = process.env.API_ENTRY_POINT;
export const GRAPHQL_URL = `${API_URL}/api/graphql`;
export const NOTIFICATION_URL = process.env.NOTIFICATION_URL;
export const NOTIFICATION_ICON = {
  info: 'info',
  warning: 'exclamation',
  error: 'close',
  success: 'check'
};
```

# index.js

```
import dva from 'dva';
import auth from './models/auth';
import local from './models/local';
import ui from './models/ui';

const app = dva({
  ...
});

# Register global models
app.model(auth);
app.model(local);
app.model(ui);

app.router(require('./router'));
app.start('#root');
```

## router.js 1/2

```
import ...
import AuthRoute from './components/Auth/AuthRoute';

export default function RouterConfig({ history, app }) {
  const Login = dynamic({
    app,
    component: () => import('./routes/Login'),
  });

  const routes = [{
    path: '/posts',
    models: () => [
      import('./models/posts')
    ],
    component: () => import('./routes/Posts'),
  }, {
    path: '/posts/:id',
    models: () => [
      import('./models/projects'),
    ],
    component: () => import('./routes/Posts'),
  }];
}
```

## router.js 2/2

```
return (  
  <Router history={history}>  
    <Switch>  
      <Route exact path="/" render={() => (<Redirect to="/login" />)} />  
      <Route exact path="/login" component={Login} />  
      {  
        routes.map(({ path, onEnter, ...dynamics }, key) => (  
          <AuthRoute  
            key={key} exact path={path}  
            component={dynamic({  
              app,  
              ...dynamics,  
            })}  
          />  
        ))  
      }  
    </Switch>  
  </Router>  
);  
}
```

## src/components/Auth/AuthRoute.js

```
import {Route, Redirect} from "dva/router";
...
class AuthRoute extends Route {
  async isValid() {
    # Check for token and refresh if not valid
  }
  render() {
    return (
      <Async
        promise={this.isValid()}
        then={({isValid) => isValid ?
          <Route path={this.props.path} component={this.props.component} />
          :
          <Redirect to={{ pathname: '/login' }}/>
        }
      />
    );
  }
};
```

## src/models/posts.js 1/3

```
import {Route, Redirect} from "dva/router";
import * as postService from '../services/base';
import _map from 'lodash/map';
...

export default {
  namespace: 'posts',
  state: {
    list: [],
    total: 0
  },
  reducers: {
    save(state, { payload: { list, total } }) {
      return { ...state, list, total};
    },
  },
},
```

## src/models/posts.js 2/3

```
effects: {
  *fetch({ payload: { ... }, { call, put }) {
    let { list, total } = yield select(state => state.posts);
    const graphQuery = `
    posts(first: 10) {
      edges {
        node {
          id, _id, title, body,
          type {
            id, name, machineName
          }
        }
      }
    }
  `;
  ;
}
```



## src/models/posts.js 2/3

```
# Async call with Promise support.  
const posts = yield call(postService.fetch, 'posts', { ... });  
const list = _map(posts.data.posts.edges, posts => posts.node)  
  
# Action triggering.  
yield put({  
  type: 'save',  
  payload: {  
    list,  
    total,  
  },  
});
```

# Directory Structure

src/

├── components

│ ├── Auth

│ ├── Generic

│ ├── Layout

│ └── Posts

│ ├── ProjectBase.js

│ ├── ProjectEdit.js

│ ├── ProjectList.js

│ └── ProjectNew.js

**Any questions?**



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