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**PLUGINS, COMPOSER AND  
PHP7 OH MY!**



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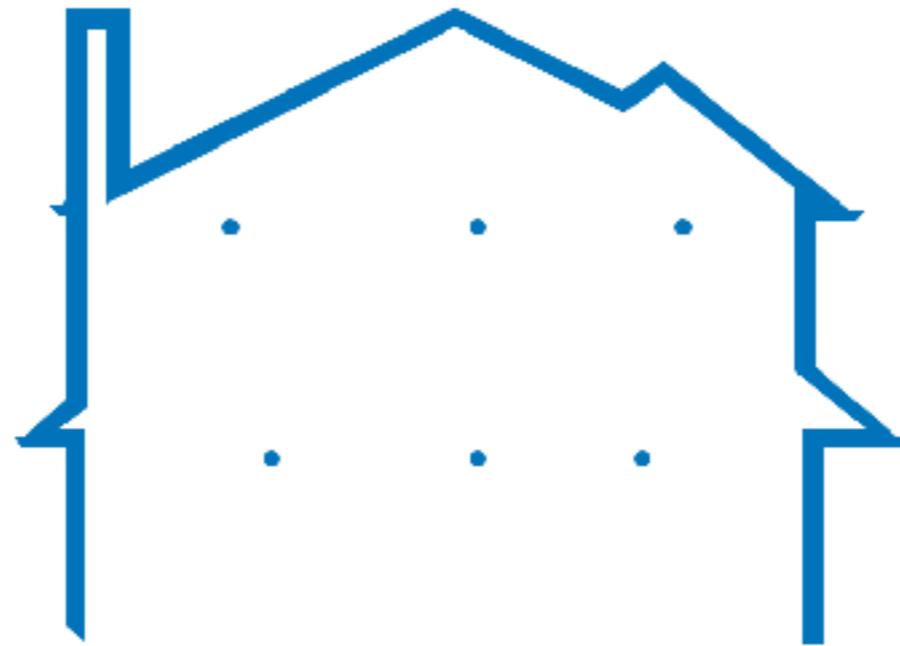
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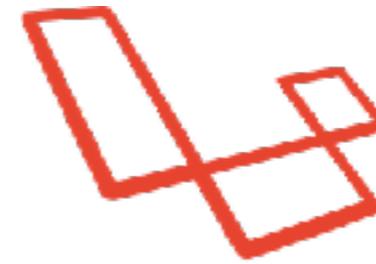
*CodeIgniter*



yii framework



Symfony



Laravel



ZEND  
FRAMEWORK



CakePHP





# History





<https://www.drupal.org/node/1826054>

Expose Drupal Components outside of Drupal



<https://www.drupal.org/node/1497366>

Committed by Dries:

July 14th 2012 (Nearly 5 years ago)



```
    'replace_interests' => false,  
    'send_welcome'      => false,  
  }  
}
```

```
array('error', $result)) {  
  $result = array ('response' => 'error', 'message'  
  $result = array ('response' => 'success');  
  send($arrResult);  
}
```

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and 5.6

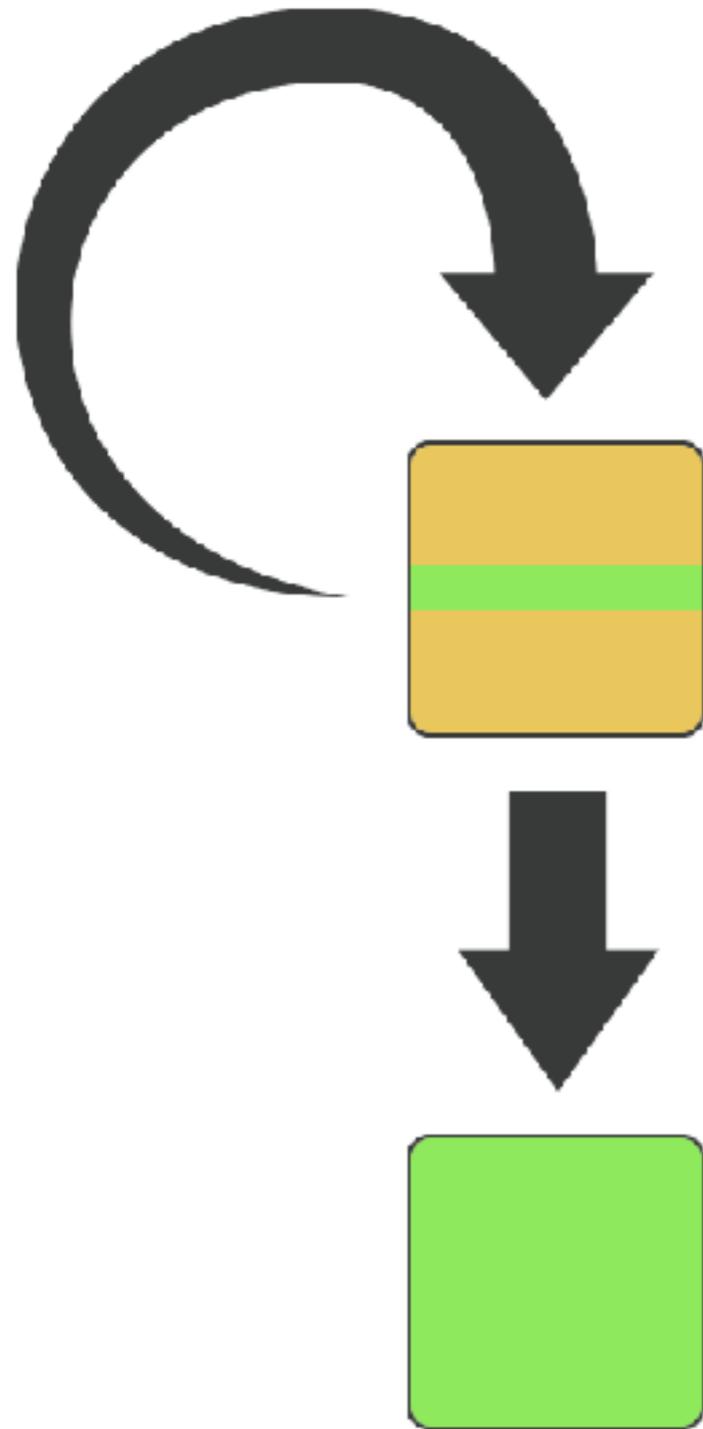




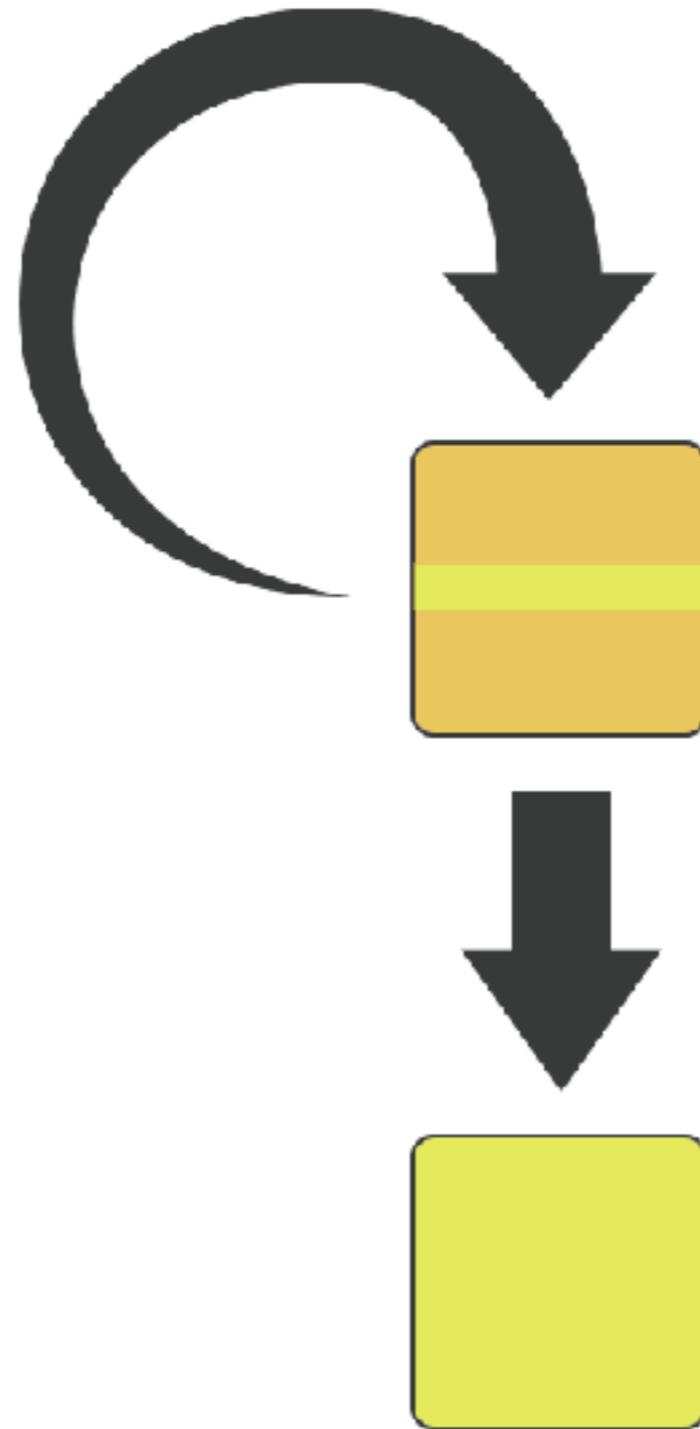
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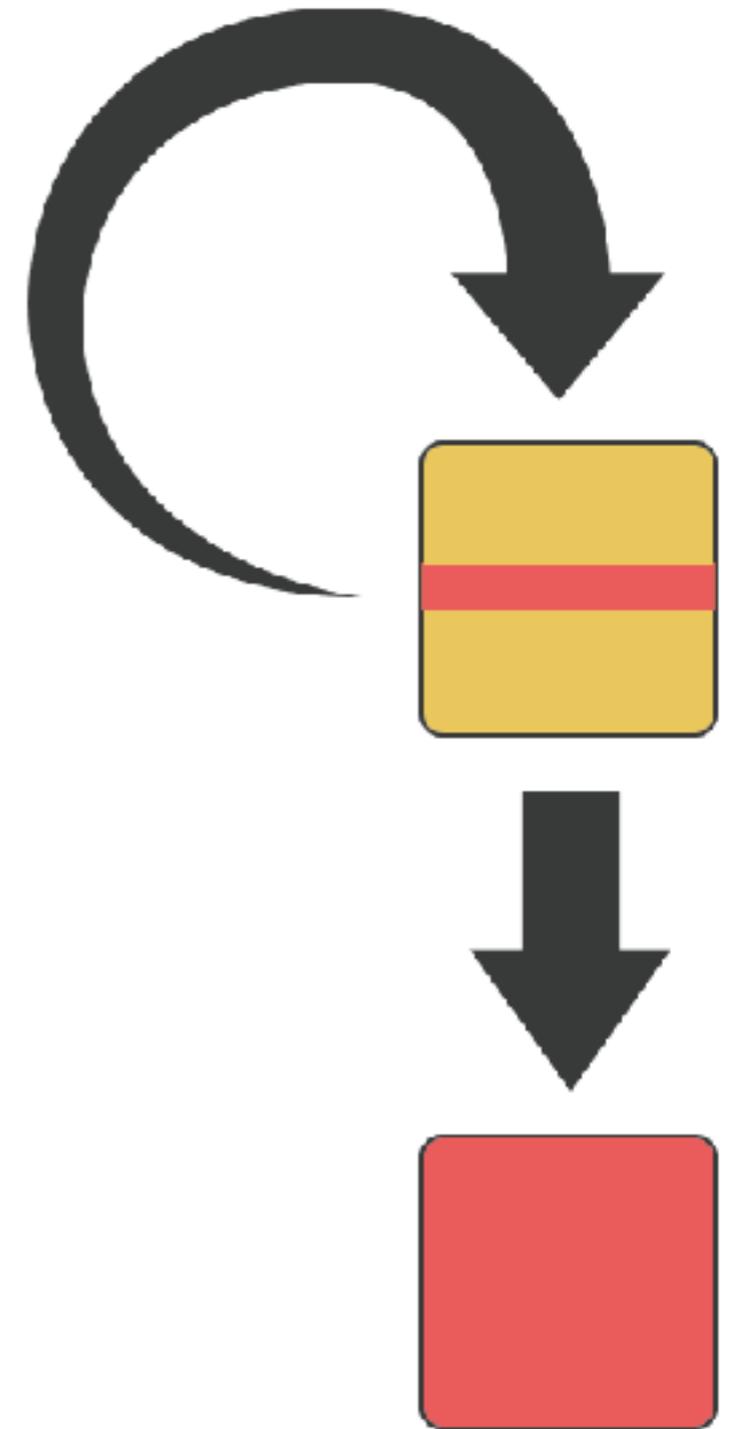
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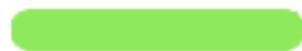
Plugin 2



Plugin 3



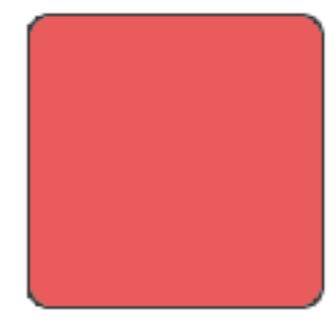
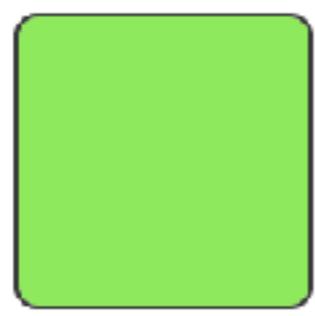
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**PLUGIN::  
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public function createInstance(...$constructors) : PluginInterface {
```

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    - ▶ Methods for your definitions

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## PLUGIN FILTERS

```
$filters[] = new PluginDefinitionFilter1();  
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$filter1 = new PluginDefinitionFilter1();  
$filter2 = new PluginDefinitionFilter2();  
$filter3 = new PluginDefinitionFilter3();  
$definitions = $discovery->getFilteredDefinitions($filter1,  
$filter2, $filter3);
```

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TEXT

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```
public function mutate(PluginDefinitionInterface ...$definitions) : array {
    $results = [];
    foreach ($definitions as $definition) {
        if ($definition instanceof PluginDefinitionDerivativeInterface) {
            $deriver = $this->deriverResolver->getDeriverInstance($definition->getDeriver());
            foreach ($deriver->getDerivativeDefinitions($definition) as $pluginDefinition) {
                $results[$pluginDefinition->getPluginId()] = $pluginDefinition;
            }
            continue;
        }
        $results[$definition->getPluginId()] = $definition;
    }
    return $results;
}
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**COMPONENT  
MATURITY**

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**OPINION**



**CONCLUSION**

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- ▶ Can we make this happen?

**QUESTIONS?**

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**First-Time Sprinter  
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9:00am-12:00pm  
Room: 307-308

**Mentored Core  
Sprint**

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Room:301-303

**General Sprints**

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Room:309-310

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