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Introducing PHAR

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The PHP logo, consisting of the lowercase letters 'php' in a stylized font inside an oval shape.

Introducing Phar

- ✓ Archive format like JAR, TAR, ZIP
- ✓ Extension is not really required
- ✓ Normal PHP scripts that can be executed with PHP
- ✓ Command line tool which is itself a PHAR

Phar

- ✓ Entries are accessible as streams, `phar://`
- ✓ PHAR stub can contain PEAR package `PHP_Archive`
- ✓ Archive can be given an alias name
- ✓ Entries can be referenced by archive alias
- ✓ Entries can be compressed
- ✓ Extracted archives can still be accessed as `phar://`
- ✓ No need to change extracted files in any way
- ✓ Global and entry wide metadata supported

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```
$> cvs -d :pserver:cvsread@cvs.php.net:/repository  
login  
phpfi
```

```
$> cvs -d :pserver:cvsread@cvs.php.net:/repository  
co -d phar pecl/phar
```

```
$> cd phar
```

```
$> phpize && ./configure && make
```

```
$> sudo make install
```

```
$> vi /etc/php.ini
```

```
$> make phar.phar
```

```
$> sudo cp phar.phar /usr/bin
```

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```
$> wget http://pecl.php.net/get/phar-1.2.0.tgz
```

```
$> tar -xzvf phar-1.2.0.tgz
```

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Phar

☑ Packing files in a directory, using copy()

```
<?php
$phar = new Phar($argv[1], 0, 'newphar');
$di r  = new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($argv[2]);
$di r  = new RecursiveIteratorIterator($di r);

foreach($di r as $fi l e)
{
    echo $fi l e . "\n";
    copy($fi l e, 'phar://newphar/' . $fi l e);
}

?>
```

Phar

☑ Packing files in a directory, just a bit more

```
<?php
$phar = new Phar($argv[1], 0, 'newphar');
$dir = new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($argv[2]);
$dir = new RecursiveIteratorIterator($dir);
$dir = new RegexIterator($dir, '/'.$argv[3].'/');
$phar->startBuffering();
foreach($dir as $file)
{
    echo $file . "\n";
    copy($file, 'phar://newphar/' . $file);
}
$phar->compressAllFilesBZIP2();
$phar->stopBuffering();
?>
```


Phar



Packing files in a directory, using ArrayAccess

```
<?php
$phar = new Phar($argv[1], 0, 'newphar');
$dir = new RecursiveDirectoryIterator($argv[2]);
$dir = new RecursiveIteratorIterator($dir);
$dir = new RegexIterator($dir, '/' . $argv[3] . '/');
$phar->startBuffering();
foreach($dir as $file) {
    $f = $dir->getSubPathName();
    echo $f . "\n";
    $phar[$f] = file_get_contents($file);
}
$phar->compressAllFilesBZIP2();
$phar->stopBuffering();
?>
```

Self referencing PHARs



PHAR stubs can reference themselves

```
<?php
Phar::mapPhar('myphar.phar', 'myphar');
include 'phar://myphar/main.php';
__HALT_COMPILER();
?>
```

```
$> php myphar.phar
```

Self referencing PHARs



PHAR stubs might still be used when extracted

```
<?php
$I = Phar::getExtractList();
if(!isset($I[___FILE___]) && !isset($I['phar://myphar'])) {
    Phar::mapPhar('myphar.phar', 'myphar');
}
include 'phar://myphar/main.php';
__HALT_COMPILER();
?>

$> php myphar.phar
```

Self referencing PHARs



PHAR stubs can use metadata for bootstrapping

```
#!/usr/bin/php
<?php
$phar = new Phar(__FILE__);
$meta = $phar->getMetaData();
if (isset($meta['boot'])) {
    require_once 'phar://'.__FILE__.'/' . $meta['boot'];
}
__HALT_COMPILER();
?>
```

```
$> phar.phar meta-set -f myphar.phar -k boot -m main.php
$> ./myphar.phar
```

Self referencing PHARs



PHAR stubs can implement `__autoload`

```
#!/usr/bin/php
<?php
function __autoload($cn) {
    $f = 'phar://' . __FILE__ . '/' . strtolower($cn) . '.inc';
    if (file_exists($f)) {
        require($f);
    }
}
new MyPhar();
__HALT_COMPILER();
?>
```

```
$> phar.phar meta-set -f myphar.phar -k boot -m main.php
$> php myphar.phar
```

phar.phar



Command line tool to deal with PHAR packages

```
$> phar.phar
```

No command given, check `/usr/bin/phar.phar help`

```
$> phar.phar help-list
```

```
compress extract help help-list info list meta-del  
meta-get meta-set pack sign stub-get stub-set tree
```

```
$> phar.phar help help
```

```
help This help or help for a selected command.
```

Optional arguments:

... Optional command to retrieve help for.

At Last some Hints

- ✓ List of all SPL classes PHP 5.0.0
`php -r 'print_r(array_keys(spl_classes()));'`
- ✓ Reflection of a built-in class PHP 5.1.2
`php --rc <Class>`
- ✓ Reflection of a function or method PHP 5.1.2
`php --rf <Function>`
- ✓ Reflection of a loaded extension PHP 5.1.2
`php --re <Extension>`
- ✓ Extension information/configuration PHP 5.2.2
`php --ri <Extension>`

THANK YOU

- ☑ This Presentation
<http://somabo.de/talks/>

- ☑ SPL Documentation
<http://php.net/~helly>

- ☑ SPL_Types
http://pecl.php.net/package/spl_types

- ☑ Phar
<http://pecl.php.net/packages/phar>
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