
dinnertime Documentation

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INSTALLATION

1.1 Pre-Requisites

- `setuptools`
- `virtualenv`

To install all of these system dependencies on a Debian-based system, run:

```
sudo apt-get install python-setuptools
sudo easy_install virtualenv
```

1.2 Creating the Virtual Environment

First, create a clean base environment using `virtualenv`:

```
virtualenv dinnertime
cd dinnertime
source bin/activate
```

If you are using `virtualenvwrapper` (recommended) then:

```
mkvirtualenv dinnertime
workon dinnertime
```

1.3 Installing the Project

Install the requirements and the project source:

```
sudo apt-get install python-memcache
python manage.py startapp accounts
    cd path/to/your/dinnertime/repository
pip install -r requirements.pip
pip install -e .
```

1.4 Customize the Project

Take a look at the settings file in `dinnertime/settings/base.py`

1.5 Configuring a Local Environment

If you're just checking the project out locally, you can copy some example configuration files to get started quickly:

```
cp dinnertime/settings/local.py.example dinnertime/settings/local.py
manage.py syncdb --migrate
```

1.6 Populate the Recipe Database

To download recipes from the yummlly API add the correct key to `yummlly/management/commands/yummlly_meta.py` and run the following command:

```
python manage.py yummlly_meta <model>
```

Make sure you set `<model>` to one of “Ingredient, Recipe, Course, Allergy or Diet”

1.7 Building Documentation

Documentation is available in `docs` and can be built into a number of formats using [Sphinx](#). To get started:

```
pip install Sphinx
cd docs
make html
```

This creates the documentation in HTML format at `docs/_build/html`.

ENVIRONMENTS

When deploying to multiple environments (development, staging, production, etc.), you'll likely want to deploy different configurations. Each environment/configuration should have its own file in `dinnertime/settings` and inherit from `dinnertime.settings.base`. A dev environment is provided as an example.

By default, `manage.py` and `wsgi.py` will use `dinnertime.settings.local` if no settings module has been defined. To override this, use the standard Django constructs (setting the `DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE` environment variable or passing in `--settings=dinnertime.settings.<env>`). Alternatively, you can symlink your environment's settings to `dinnertime/settings/local.py`.

You may want to have different `wsgi.py` and `urls.py` files for different environments as well. If so, simply follow the directory structure laid out by `dinnertime/settings`, for example:

```
wsgi/  
  __init__.py  
  base.py  
  dev.py  
  ...
```

The settings files have examples of how to point Django to these specific environments.

DEPLOYMENT

3.1 Staging/Development

Fabric is used to allow developers to easily push changes to a previously setup development/staging environment. To get started, install Fabric by running the following command from within your virtual environment:

```
pip install fabric==1.4
```

To see a list of available commands, run the following command from within your project directory:

```
fab -l
```

Some common commands:

```
fab restart      # Restart the web server.
fab update       # Just update the repository.
fab push deploy  # Push, then fully deploy.
```

From the within the project directory, you can just run `fab [command]`. If you want to run fabric outside of the directory, use:

```
fab --fabfile /path/to/project/fabfile.py [command]
```


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