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## Live Feed

Live feed of blog posts based on <http://coldfusionbloggers.org>, run through [Yahoo Pipes](#).

### [Transfer Tutorials Live Feed](#) [rss]

A live feed of Transfer tutorials based on <http://www.coldfusionbloggers.org>'s RSS

- [MAX and Me: Day 2](#)

MAX has gotten big — about 5,600 people big, That makes it harder, in some ways, to network and meet random new people in a sea of anonymity, but Adobe still works on the challenge. To what degree of success, I'm not sure. In any case, highlights from the day:

- **The Keynote: Day 2:** Ben Forta and Tim Buntel took the stage to show off a range of shipping and future projects which will make it easier, theoretically, to deliver rich experiences via Flex and in the brows

(Wed, 19 Nov 2008 11:01:15 GMT)

- [Transfer object without the DB](#)

There was an interesting post by John K yesterday on the Transfer-dev list, where he was asking about creating a transfer object that had no database behind it. Basically, define the object in XML and then use the get / set methods to persist data around in a nice auto-generated cfc (one of the things that Transfer is do good at). There was some discussion whether Transfer would let you do this or not, so I had to give it a shot. Turns out, you can define your object without any database and

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- [CFConversations 20 - Controller Frameworks Roundtable - Part 2](#)

[CFConversations 20](#) is part 2 of a two part series on controller frameworks.

- [Brian Meloche](#) (moderator)
- [Adam Haskell](#) (representing [Fusebox](#))
- [Ray Camden](#) (representing [Model-Glue](#))

(Tue, 18 Nov 2008 11:21:05 GMT)

- [The Importance of Domain Expertise](#)

I've had discussions with many developers who develop Object-Oriented (OO) programs and, often, I'm surprised by the areas of concern to them.

Often, discussions center around the choice of a controller (such as Model-Glue, Mach-II, or Fusebox), followed by supporting frameworks (ColdSpring, Transfer, Reactor)--and that's it.

Missing from these discussions is what I consider to be the most important topic of any discussion about software applications--the domain model.

(Mon, 17 Nov 2008 08:01:29 GMT)

- [Getting Some with Transfer](#)

In today's Transfer entry I'm going to talk about getting objects in Transfer. I had previously talked about the get method and how it can load an object via a primary key, but what about other methods of finding objects? [More]

(Fri, 14 Nov 2008 21:10:27 GMT)

- [TransferSync v0.4 released](#)

A minor update with a major fix. 0.4 -CHANGE LOG- 11/13/2008 - enhancement - logging improvements and toggle setting/property added - enhancement - improved caching - enhancement - added getKeyMap method - enhancement - added argument to defin...

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- [TransferSync with ModelGlue and Coldspring](#)

Here is a great post by Brian Ghidinelli on how to integrate TransferSync in a ModelGlue and Coldspring system. Check it out: [Synchronizing Transfer ORM in a Model-Glue/Coldspring cluster with TransferSync](#)

(Fri, 14 Nov 2008 01:01:11 GMT)

- [ORM PersistenceService BER](#)

Okay so as of today, the bleeding-edge release of DataFaucet includes a reasonably complete INITIAL PROTOTYPE of the PersistenceService. It now includes reciprocal one-to-many/many-to-one relationships and the purge operation has been given some preliminary testing. Aggregation (many-to-many relationships) have not been tested and cache purging needs some additional testing. What does this mean? For those of you who are advanced users and may have been interested in an "external ORM" where you c

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- [Coldfusion Framework Chart?](#)

Where can we find one?

Over the last few weeks [CFconversations](#) has some very informative podcasts on frameworks. Personally I am not the biggest fan of frameworks, however I am forced to work with some of the more popular ones. I can see where they come in to place and on projects involving teams they do have an advantage, but for me most of the time on small projects they are a hindrance and add an unnecessary complexity to

(Thu, 13 Nov 2008 15:41:05 GMT)

- [Managing Relationships with Transfer \(3\)](#)

Welcome to my third post on managing relationships with Transfer. If you want to get caught up on the earlier ones, or any of the other entries in this series on learning Transfer, please see the Related Blog Entries section below. Previously I talke... [More]

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## Tutorials

There are a few tutorials available on Transfer, and they are also a great place to get your feet wet when starting to get going with Transfer.

## General

- [10 Questions for Mark Mandel on Transfer ORM](#)  
This is a very simple overview of Transfer, and why you would use it.
- [Doing CRUD Operations in Transfer](#)  
This goes over the basics of doing simple Create, Read, Update and Delete operations with Transfer, from the ground up.
- [Primary Key Control with Transfer](#)  
This looks at the specific mechanisms that are available with Transfer for handling primary keys.
- [Building an Application with Transfer ORM](#) (Brian Rinaldi)  
This is another very good introduction to Transfer, and looks at configuring Transfer to aid in the development of the [CF Open Source List](#)
- [Working with Transfer ORM: An Event Model Example](#) (Paul Marcotte)  
Paul gives a good overview on how to use the Transfer Event model to provide basic dependency injection
- [Using Decorators with Transfer ORM](#) (Justice)  
Covers some the basic usage of Decorators with Transfer.
- [Transfer ORM Quickstart](#) (Paul Marcotte)  
Really good, quick n' dirty introduction to Transfer, to get off the floor and running.

- [My Take on Transfer ORM Event Model - BeforeCreate Example](#) (Bob Silverberg)  
Utilising the Transfer Event Model to set Created and Updated dates on Transfer Objects automatically.
- [Dynamic Datasources With Transfer - Using a Datasource Bean Instead of the Datasource.xml](#) (Tom de Manincor)  
Tom extends the Transfer Configuration bean, so he is able to provide dynamic datasources with his own Datasource bean.
- [Quick Fix - Transfer and Reserved Words](#) (Tom de Manincor)  
Tom discusses using SQL reserved words as object names
- [Using Transfer Metadata to Create a Memento](#) (Bob Silverberg)  
Bob discusses how to use the Transfer meta data to generate memento's off of TransferObjects in a supported way.
- [Managing the Transfer Cache with Clones](#) (Dan Short)  
Dan looks at how he has used cloning to when using his objects.

## Configuration

- [Of Views and Models and Working With Transfer ORM](#) (Paul Marcotte)  
Paul discusses the pro's and con's of *onetomany* vs *manytoone* and the impacts that can have.
- [More on CFLib updates \(Transfer Specifics\)](#) (Ray Camden)  
Ray discusses how an ill-set *onetomany* caused his initial cflib re-development to be super slow.
- [Building Business Objects with Transfer](#) (Jon Messer)  
Jon presents Amcom's model for using Transfer, and how they went about configuring it for their needs.

## Architecture

- [How I Use Transfer - Part I - Introduction](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part II - Model Architecture](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part III - Abstract Objects](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part IV - My Abstract Service Object](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part V - A Concrete Service Object](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part V.1 - A Comment and Response](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part VI - My Abstract Gateway Object](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part VII - A Concrete Gateway Object](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part VIII - My Abstract Transfer Decorator Object - Simple Methods](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part IX - My Abstract Transfer Decorator Object - The Populate Method](#)  
[How I Use Transfer - Part X - My Abstract Transfer Decorator Object - Validations](#) (Bob Silverberg) Bob takes us through a basic breakdown of the architecture that he uses when developing with Transfer.

## Frameworks

- [Setting up and using Transfer within fusebox via the Transfer lexicons](#) (Nick Tong)  
Setting up Transfer within fusebox via the Transfer lexicons
- [Objects and Composition Part 3 - Using Transfer](#) (Brian Rinaldi)  
Brian discussed how to set up and start using Transfer, with some ColdSpring thrown into the mix
- [My Transfer Decorator Bean Injector Observer Is Now Available](#)  
[More ColdSpring Goodness: Updated TDOBeanInjectorObserver and Release of BeanInjector](#) (Brian Kotek)  
Brian discusses how you can use his TDOBeanInjectorObserver in combination with ColdSpring to provide very flexible Dependency Injection
- [Unit Testing Transfer Decorators with CFCUnit, BeanInjector, and ColdMock](#) (Brian Kotek)  
Brian discusses how you might go about Unit Testing a Decorator with CFCUnit and ColdMock
- [Coldbox, ColdSpring, and Transfer - Dynamic Datasource Support](#) (Tom de Manincor)  
Tom uses his extended Configuration bean with ColdBox to provide dynamic datasources
- [Better Living Through Transfer and ColdSpring](#) (Sean Corfield)  
Sean explains how they use Transfer, ColdSpring and Brian Kotek's TDOBeanInjectorObserver to hook it all together.

## Flex

- [Transfer ORM and Flex](#) (Ben Yee) Ben talks about how he wires up Transfer and Flex together.

## Clustering

- [Synchronizing Transfer ORM in a Model-Glue/Coldspring cluster with TransferSync](#) (Brian Ghidinelli). Brian talks about setting up TransferSync on his system, and some of the issues he had with ActiveMQ and how he resolved them.