
project_manager Documentation

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A utility which makes running the same projects with various configurations as easy as pie.

CHAPTER 1

Installation

```
$ pip install project_manager
```


2.1 Configuration file

Create a configuration:

```
project_source: <url or path> # project you want to run
working_dir: <path> # where everything will run

exec_command: # list of commands that will be executed in each project setup
- <python ..>
result_files: # list of files/folders that will be extracted after successful_
↳ execution
- <result file>
- <result dir>

base_config: <path> # path to the raw configuration file (typically part of your_
↳ project)
symlinks: # list of symlinks to include in each project setup
- <path 1>
- <path 2>
config_parameters: # how to modify the configuration
- key: param1
  values: [0, 1, 2]
  paired:
    - key: param2
      values: [a, b, c]
- key: [nested, param3]
  values: ['a', 'b', 'c']
extra_parameters: # special extra parameters
  git_branch: ['master']
  repetitions: 1
```

2.2 Commands

After setting up the configuration file, you can run all commands.

```
$ project_manager build
$ project_manager run
$ project_manager gather
```

In order, these commands do the following:

1. Create individual folders for each run and adapt the configuration accordingly
2. Run the specified commands per previously created setup
3. Retrieve all specified results into a single directory. Each individual files is annotated with its origin.

2.3 Example

This document provides a brief overview of `project_manager`'s basic functionality.

2.3.1 Environment setup

```
[2]: tree
.
| ____dummy_project
| | ____my_conf.yaml
| | ____run.py
| ____config.yaml
```

```
[3]: cat config.yaml
project_source: dummy_project
working_dir: tmp

exec_command:
  - python3 run.py
result_files:
  - results

base_config: dummy_project/my_conf.yaml
config_parameters:
  - key: message
    values: [A, B, C]
```

```
[4]: cat dummy_project/my_conf.yaml
message: 'this is important'
```

```
[5]: cat dummy_project/run.py
import os
import yaml
```

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```
def main():
    with open('my_conf.yaml') as fd:
        config = yaml.full_load(fd)

    os.makedirs('results')
    with open('results/data.txt', 'w') as fd:
        fd.write(config['message'])

if __name__ == '__main__':
    main()
```

2.3.2 Pipeline execution

Setup directory for each configuration

```
[6]: project_manager build -c config.yaml
Setting up environments: 100%|| 3/3 [00:00<00:00, 880.60it/s]
```

Execute scripts for each configuration

```
[7]: project_manager run -c config.yaml
0%|                                     | 0/3 [00:00<?, ?it/s]run.
↪message=A
> python3 run.py
33%|                                     | 1/3 [00:00<00:00, 4.18it/s]run.message=C
> python3 run.py
67%|                                     | 2/3 [00:00<00:00, 4.61it/s]run.message=B
> python3 run.py
100%|| 3/3 [00:00<00:00, 5.90it/s]
```

Gather results from each run

```
[8]: project_manager gather -c config.yaml
run.message=A
> results/data.txt
run.message=C
> results/data.txt
run.message=B
> results/data.txt
```

2.3.3 Investigate results

```
[9]: tree tmp/
```

```
| ____  
| ____aggregated_results  
| | ____results  
| | | ____data.message=B.txt  
| | | ____data.message=A.txt  
| | | ____data.message=C.txt  
| ____run.message=A  
| | ____my_conf.yaml  
| | ____results  
| | | ____data.txt  
| | ____run.py  
| ____run.message=C  
| | ____my_conf.yaml  
| | ____results  
| | | ____data.txt  
| | ____run.py  
| ____run.message=B  
| | ____my_conf.yaml  
| | ____results  
| | | ____data.txt  
| | ____run.py
```

```
[10]: cat tmp/aggregated_results/results/*
```

```
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```