



A web site with Drupal 8 Case Study mahouse-costaud.fr

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The Company

The Company

- A web firm dedicated to Drupal technology & engineering
- Built its growth on answering to conceptual, operational and maintenance needs from businesses

A Drupal team of



We work for

Sage, Unicancer, AFP, Swissquote,
GDS

Crédit-Agricole, Kea & partners, H5
audits

Atos, Babel, Ebb & Flow, LP Digital



The Project

The Context

- MaHouseCostaud.fr is a firm specialized in pest control & ratting



The Context (2)

- We proposed to build the site on the latest Drupal 8 beta release
- Standard core features needed

Key Milestones

- Setup Drupal 8 & manage beta upgrades (good luck...)
- Quick tour on D8 UI and the new source tree

Key Milestones (2)

- Create our first custom theme
- And our first custom module
- Extend core features with community modules

Key Milestones (3)

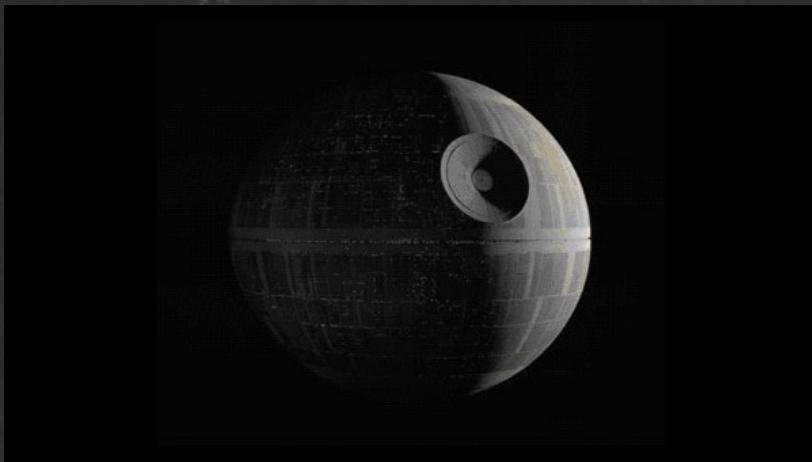
- Deploy in production

Setup Drupal 8

- Install process is very simple, not far from Drupal 7
- No need to pre-load translations
- Better clean UI

Upgrading beta

Is like trying to destroy the dark star



Upgrading beta (2)

With



Upgrading beta (3)

- You have to backup your code and database or you waste a lot of time
- Stay calm, don't cry, hurt people
- Use the online issues dashboard

Upgrading beta (4)

And don't forget to say thank you to the Drupal Community for their help ! :-)

The UI & source tree

- A quick tour in the front and back User Interface
- A quick tour to see what has changed in the source tree in Drupal 8

First custom theme

- Define the Yaml config
- Manage your libraries
- Respect the source tree

First custom theme (2)

- Use Twig for templating
- Create your first Views, blocks

First custom module

- Define the Yaml config
- Create a custom block
- For the UI, the Tour api

Community modules

- Now +700 community modules in beta 8 dev state
- Successfully installed a few ones
- But lot of them crashed my web site

Community modules (2)

So be patient, wait for a more stable beta release of D8 and community modules

Remain basic with your needed features



Conclusion

Surprise !!!

- Modules in core
- Responsive design
- UI experience
- Twig

Surprise !!!

- OOP
- CMI
- YAML
- Symfony components

But !!!

- Features limitations
- Documentation
- Upgrade
- OOP & TWIG

What's next ?

- Drupal 8 RC for next Drupal Con ?
- Drupal 8 Release for the end of this year ?
- We've started the new Yogarik site on Drupal 8 :-)



Thank You !

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