



# **GenModelAddon**

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### **MDD best practices**

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- Separate the generated code and overridden code
- Do not commit the generated code
- Integrate the generation process to build
- Override the generated class using inheritance
- Generate a clean code: even if it is generated, it must be human readable
- Test generation with a default model

Source article : <http://www.infoq.com/articles/model-driven-dev-best-practices><sup>2</sup>

### **genmodeladdon**

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genModelAddon will help you to achieve this goals

- It provides a way to split the generated code into src-gen and src

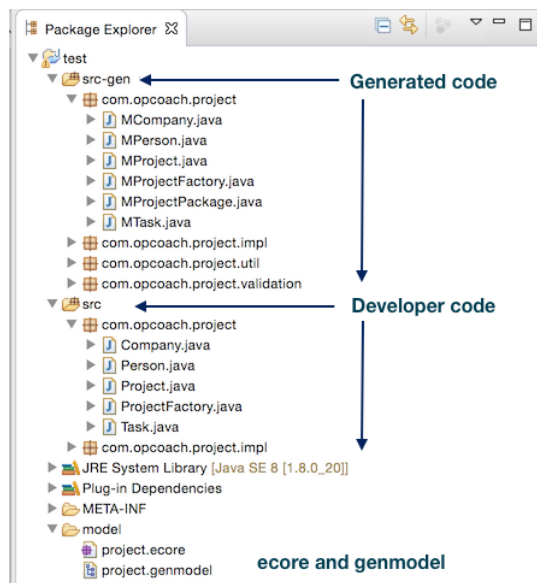
1 - <http://www.opcoach.com/en>

2 - <http://www.infoq.com/articles/model-driven-dev-best-practices>

- It manages inheritance, subpackages and referenced models
- It works with generics
- It initializes the factory override extension
- It uses the main EMF generation for the generated part (compliant with CDO)
- It produces all the classes in the developer part

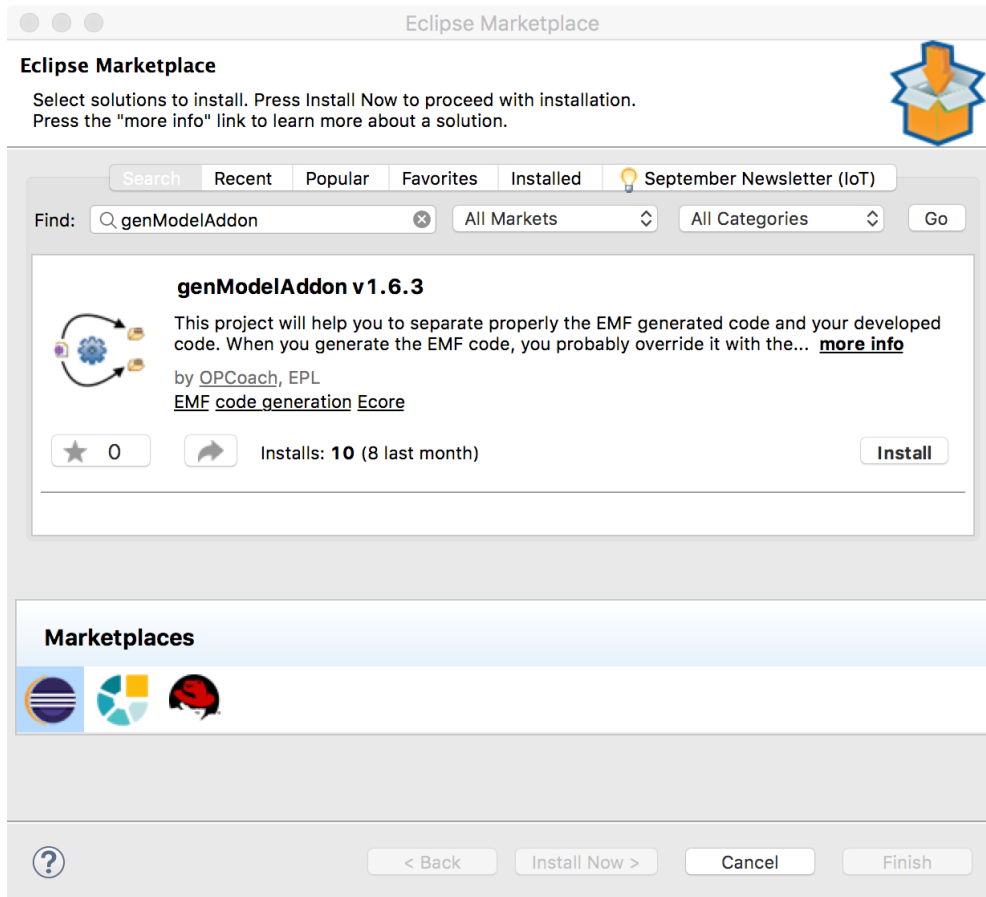
genModelAddon is hosted here : <http://opcoach.github.io/genModelAddon/><sup>3</sup>

It is fully written using E4 style (model fragments and injection)



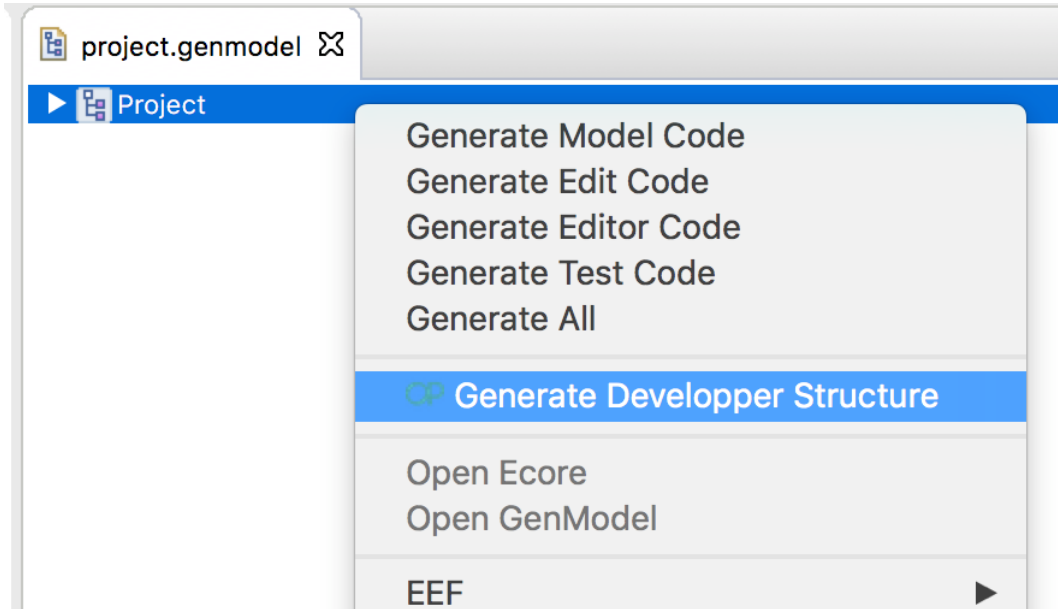
### How to install it ?

Just look for 'genModelAddon' on the market place :

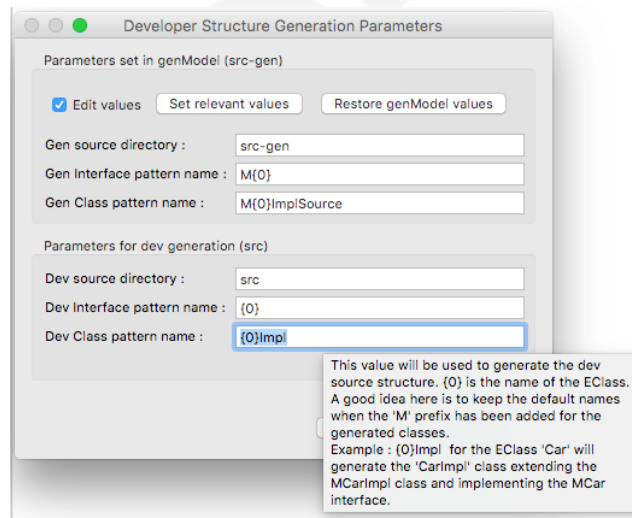


*How to use it ?*

In your genmodel editor, right click on the root node :



And then fill the dialog with relevant values :



In your code you can directly use your developer code :

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// MProjectFactory is the generated factory. It was used like this :  
MProjectFactory mfactory = MProjectFactory.eINSTANCE;  
MTask mt = mfactory.createTask();  
  
// Now the ProjectFactory extends the MProjectFactory and  
// creates instances of the developer objects. You can get it directly like this :  
ProjectFactory factory = ProjectFactory.eINSTANCE;  
Task t = factory.createTask();
```

### *Some metrics*

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- started in december 2014
- 59 issues (57 closed)
- 67 unit tests
- hosted on github
- used by several companies (Sogeti, Airbus, ...)

### *How to be involved*

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There is a slack channel to be informed about :

- new releases
- issue fixes
- general discussions about the project

During the conference :

- ask me a demo

After the conference :

- ask me questions : olivier@opcoach.com

**You can get an example of generated code here :**

**<https://github.com/opcoach/genModelAddon>**

**in the 'example' folder. The model folder contains the model and the genmodel.**