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Page templates

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Characteristics of a page template

A page template applies a predefined content structure and layout to new pages. Page templates are useful for frequently used content formats such as meeting minutes, reference pages or process descriptions, for example.

The following characteristics are typical for a page template:

- it can only be activated by administrators
- the underlying content itself can be created by any editor in the template namespace
- it can only be used for the initial creation of a page
- it can also contain (standard) templates
- it creates a prefilled page
- it can be restricted to certain namespaces
- it can be grouped ("tagged") with other templates
- it can contain categories
- it can be applied using different page creation mechanisms, such as the New-button, an [inputbox](#), or a [page form](#).

Standard page templates



is available from BlueSpice 4.2.

Page templates that are installed by default can be deleted (1) from the page [template manager](#).

Page templates administration

☐	Label	Description	Namespace	Template	Tags	Actions
☐	Request for Comments	Ask for feedback about an i...	(all)	Template:PT Request for Co...	2	1
☐	Decision Matrix	Make an informed decision b...	(all)	Template:PT Decision matrix		

Page template manager

Alternatively, the templates can be adapted directly in the template namespace. To do this, click on the template link in the column *Template* (2).

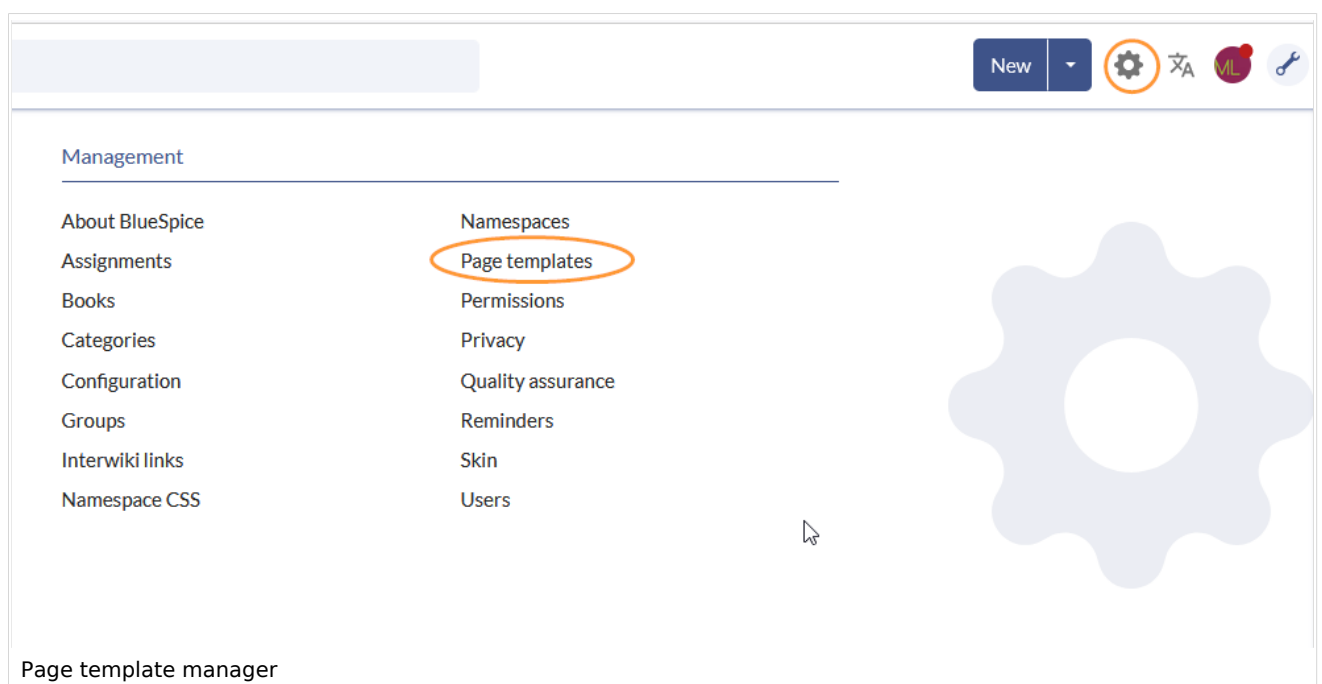
List of standard templates

Page template	Edition	Description
Decision Matrix	pro	Make an informed decision by comparing your options

Page template	Edition	Description
Event	pro	Plan an event from beginning to end
Guideline	pro	Create a code of conduct or other guideline
How-to Article	free, pro	Step-by-step instructions for completing a task
Management Meeting Minutes	pro	Create minutes for a regular management meeting
Meeting Agenda	free	Create a generic meeting agenda with minutes
Request for Comments	pro	Ask for feedback about an important decision that needs to be made
Status Report	pro	Stakeholder über den derzeitigen Stand eines Projekts informieren
To-do List	free, pro	Track and update your to-dos

Creating a page template

Administrators can create new page templates, as well as edit and remove existing ones in the *Page templates* manager, located under *Global actions*.



Page templates administration

☐	Label	Description	Namespace	Template	Tags	Actions
☐	Request for Comments	Ask for feedback about an i...	(all)	Template:PT Request for Co...		 
☐	Decision Matrix	Make an informed decision b...	(all)	Template:PT Decision matrix		
☒	Guideline	Create a code of conduct or ...	Training	Template:PT Guideline	training	
☐	Management Meeting Minu...	Create minutes for a regular ...	(all)	Template:PT Meeting minut...	meetings	
☐	How-to Article	Step-by-step instructions fo...	(all)	Template:PT How-to article		
☐	To-do List	Track and update your to-dos	Info	Template:PT To-do List	general	
☐	Status Report	Inform stakeholders about t...	(all)	Template:PT Status report		
☐	Event	Plan an event from beginnin...	(all)	Template:PT Event planning		
☐	Meeting Agenda	Create a generic meeting ag...	Training	Template:PT Meeting minut...	meetings	

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Page templates administration

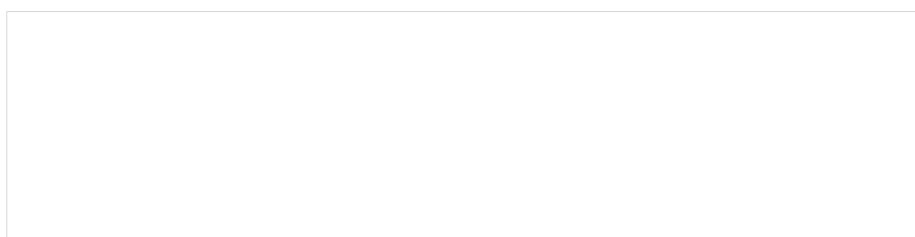
Note: Every page template depends on an actual page in the namespace Template. This template must exist before creating a page template.

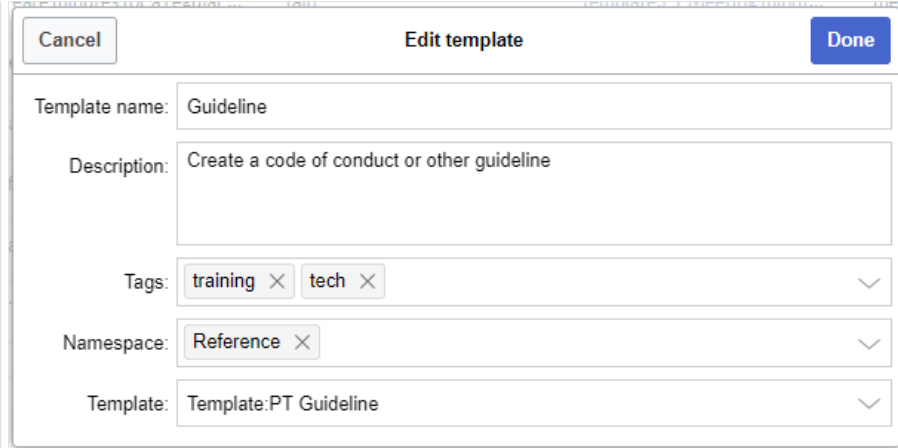
When a page template is selected, it can be edited by clicking the "wrench" icon or deleted by clicking the "X" icon.

New page templates can be added via the "Plus" button above the templates list.

When creating or editing a page template, **all fields are required**:

- **Name** - the name of the page template
- **Description** - a short description of the page template
- **Tags**- allows the grouping of similar templates. (If no classification is desired, you can enter *Untagged* as a value here, for example).
- **Namespace** - a list of the namespace where the template is active. If the template should be available on all pages, select *(all)* from the list.
- **Template** - page in the *Template* namespace from which to pull the content. **Important!** The namespace prefix `Template:` must be explicitly provided in the field.





Cancel Edit template Done

Template name: Guideline

Description: Create a code of conduct or other guideline

Tags: training × tech ×

Namespace: Reference ×

Template: Template:PT Guideline

Creating a page template

Applying a page template

- (1) Blank page:** When creating a new page, the page templates are displayed for selection. A blank page can be created by default. This option can be deactivated in the [configuration manager](#).
- (2) Filter field:** The templates can be filtered here. This field is independent of the *Tags* /*Namespaces* toggles.
- (3) Tags/namespaces toggle:** Here you can switch between tag-based and namespace-based sorting.
- (4) Sort title:** The sort titles show the grouping by tags or by namespaces, depending on the toggle setting.
- (5) Assignment to tag/namespace:** Depending on the setting of the toggle, the tags (when sorted by namespaces) or namespaces (when sorted by tags) are displayed here as additional possible filter criteria.

This page doesn't exist yet. You can create a new page. If you don't want to do that, click the back button of your browser to return to the last page visited.

1

 **Empty page**
Start with an empty page.

2

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Tags

Namespaces

4

management

 **Decision Matrix**
Make an informed decision by comparing your options

5

Info

 **Guideline**
Create a code of conduct or other guideline

Info

meetings

 **Meeting Agenda**
Create a generic meeting agenda with minutes

Training

Applying a page template

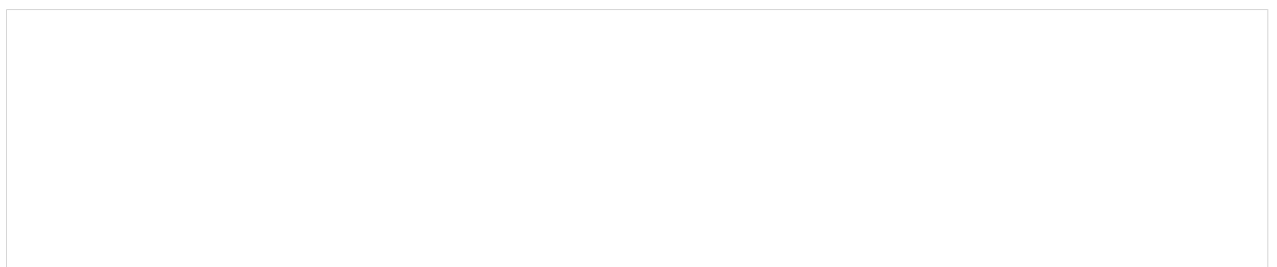
Namespace manager

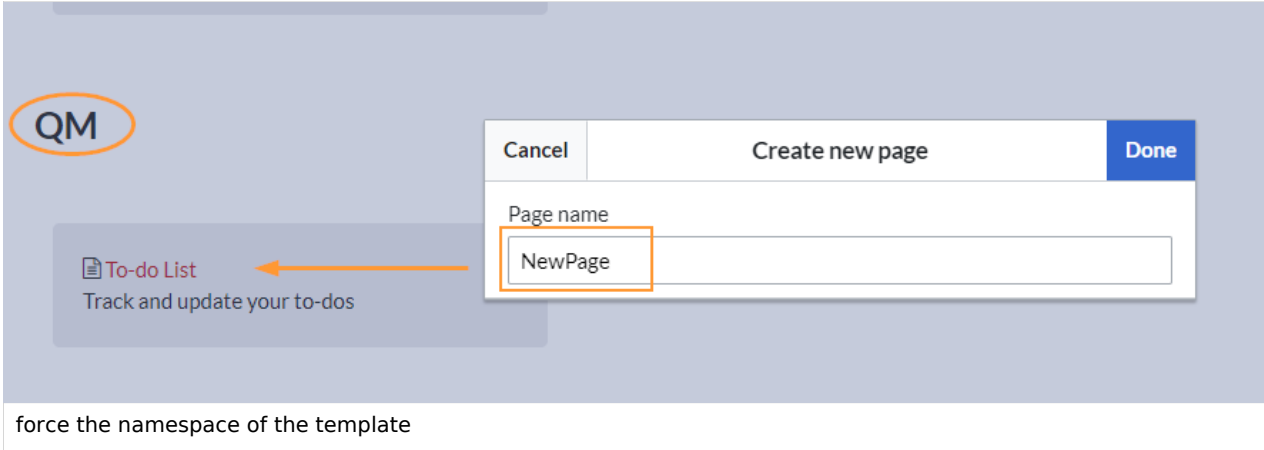
The PageTemplates option for a namespace must be activated in the [Namespace manager](#) so that the associated templates are automatically displayed when a new page is created in that namespace (e.g., if the "+" button is used to create the page).

Configuration

In the [Config manager](#), you can change the following settings:

- **Force target namespace:** The page is always created in the target namespace that is associated with the template, even if the user provided a different namespace prefix. In the screenshot below, the user wants to create the page "NewPage" and then selects a template for the QM namespace. The page is, therefore, created as "QM:NewPage" if this setting is activated.





- **Hide default templates:** Hides the default *Empty page* template.
- **Hide template if the page is not to be created in the target namespace:** Depending on the namespace prefix of the page to be created, templates that are associated with other namespaces will not be shown to the user for selection.

➔ [Technical Reference: BlueSpicePageTemplates](#)

Config manager

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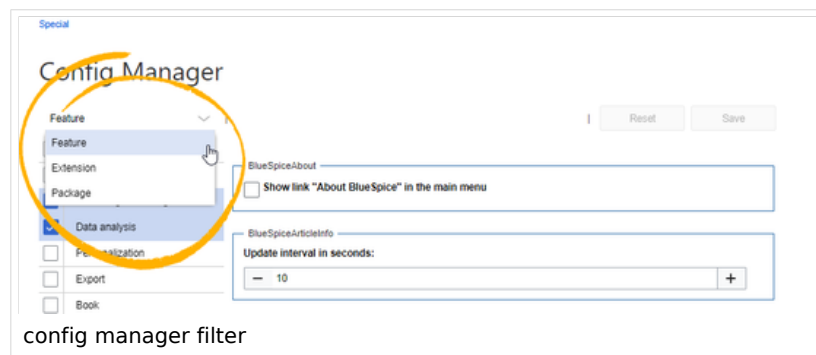
With the Config manager, a wiki user with *sysop* rights can manage wiki-wide settings in one place. In the [navigation](#), it is located at *Global navigation > Management > Configuration*. This link loads the page *Special:BluespiceConfigManager*.

Layout

Filter options

All settings can be accessed through the following filter options:

- **Feature:** group by type of functionality the setting belongs to (search, administration...)
- **Extension:** group by extension name
- **Package:** group by BlueSpice edition and services (BlueSpice free, BlueSpice pro, Matomo)



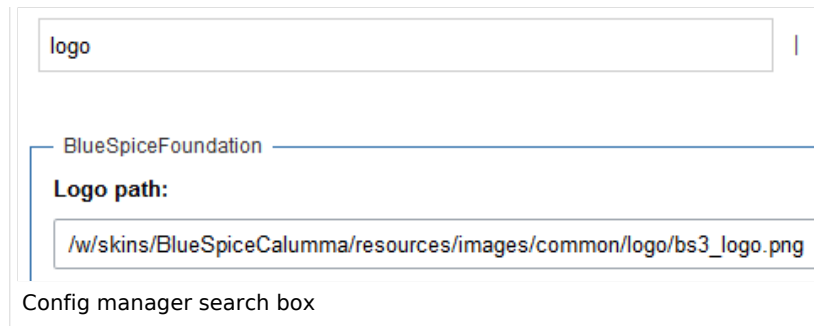
All settings are available in any type of grouping. Changing the grouping type does not add or remove setting options. It just groups them differently. After settings are adjusted, they can be saved by clicking *Save*, or cancelled by clicking *Reset*.

Note: If a server administrator has configured a setting to no longer be writable, it will be shown as greyed-out in the config manager. You will have to talk to your server administrator about changing such a setting.

Searching for settings

A search bar is located above the list of settings. Type in a keyword such as "logo" to find the corresponding setting. The search returns settings regardless of the currently selected group.

Note: The search field has to be empty if you want to see the filter menu instead of the search.



logo

BlueSpiceFoundation

Logo path:

/w/skins/BlueSpiceCalumma/resources/images/common/logo/bs3_logo.png

Config manager search box

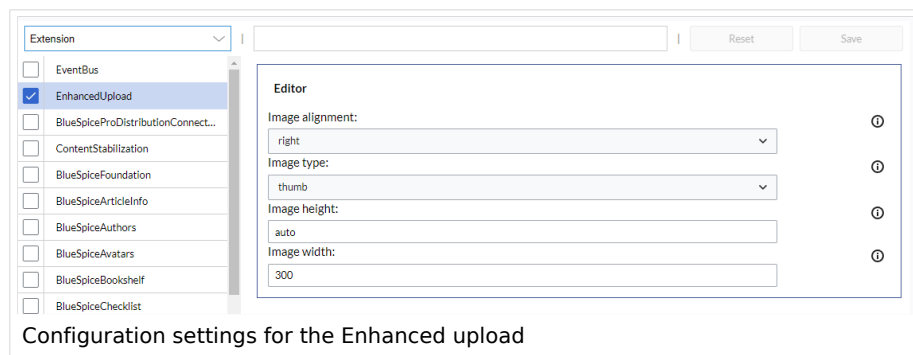
Settings by extension

EventBus

Eventbus sends notifications to external urls in case something happens in the wiki. For example, if a page is created, an external service could then be started and create a pdf of that page. See the extension's page on mediawiki.org.

EnhancedUpload v4.3+

Sets the defaults for the [advanced image settings](#) when uploading and embedding an image into the wiki via drag-and-drop functionality. The default settings determine the orientation, type, and size of the image. These can be adjusted after embedding via the "Advanced settings" of the image on the page.



Extension

☐ EventBus

☒ EnhancedUpload

☐ BlueSpiceProDistributionConnect...

☐ ContentStabilization

☐ BlueSpiceFoundation

☐ BlueSpiceArticleInfo

☐ BlueSpiceAuthors

☐ BlueSpiceAvatars

☐ BlueSpiceBookshelf

☐ BlueSpiceChecklist

Editor

Image alignment: right

Image type: thumb

Image height: auto

Image width: 300

Reset Save

Configuration settings for the Enhanced upload

BlueSpiceFoundation

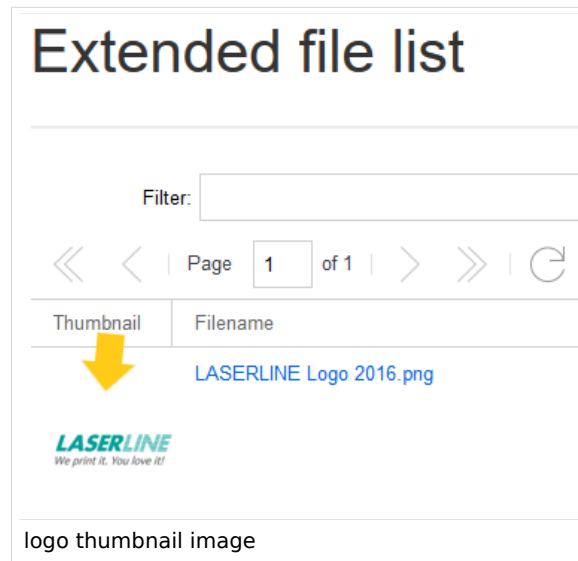
Updating logo and favicon

Note: Since BlueSpice 4.2, the logo and favicon can also be managed via the page [Special:Flexiskin](#) together with further skin customizations.

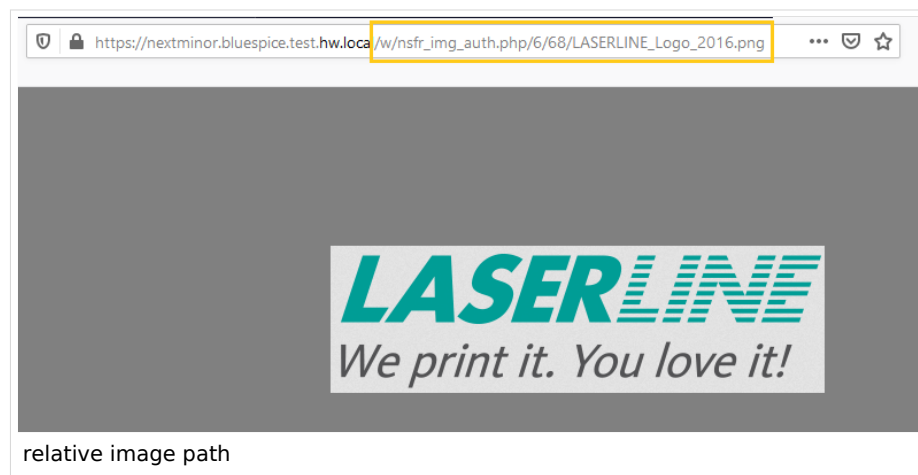
- **Logo path:** The logo image should be stored in the /images folder of your installation. If you store it in the /skins folder of your BlueSpice installation, it could be overwritten with an upgrade.

To upload the logo directly in the wiki:

1. **Upload** the logo on the page from the menu *Global actions > File list (Special:ExtendedFilelist)*.
2. **Click** on the thumbnail image of the logo. This opens the logo on a separate page.



3. **Copy** the relative logo path from the address bar. In a typical Wiki configuration, this path starts with */w/....*



4. **Paste** the logo path into the text field for the logo.

Extension	
☒ BlueSpiceFoundation ☐ BlueSpiceAbout ☐ BlueSpiceArticleInfo ☐ BlueSpiceAuthors	Skinning Logo path: /w/nsfr_img_auth.php/6/68/LASERLINE_Logo_2016.png Favicon path:

logo path

5. **Click Save.**

6. **Refresh** the page (Strg+F5).

If the uploaded logo is too large, you can add the following code snippet to the page *MediaWiki:Common.css*. This automatically adjusts the image to the height of the main toolbar:

```
.bs-logo a {background-size: contain;}
```

- **Favicon path:** The favicon image should be stored in the */images* folder of your installation. If you store it in the */skins* folder of your BlueSpice installation, it could be overwritten with an upgrade. [Favicon images](#) have the file extension *.ico*.

System

- **Allowed file extensions:** For security reasons, the types of files that users can upload are restricted. Here, you can allow additional file formats. If a file format is blacklisted in the server configuration, adding this file extension here will not allow this file type to be uploaded. See [mediawiki.org/wiki/Manual:\\$wgFileExtensions](https://mediawiki.org/wiki/Manual:$wgFileExtensions) for more info.

XML file type: v4.x++

The *xml* file type is blacklisted since MW 1.39 and has to be allowed in *LocalSettings.php*:

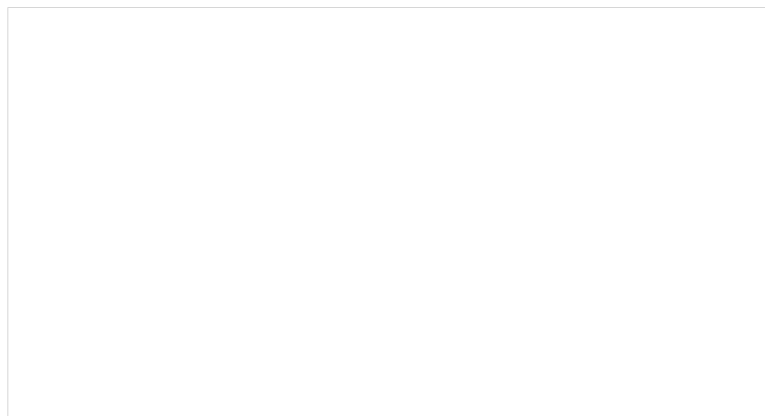
```
$GLOBALS['wgProhibitedFileExtensions'] = array_diff( $GLOBALS['wgProhibitedFileExtensions'] ?? [], [ 'xml' ] );  
$GLOBALS['wgMimeTypeExclusions'] = array_diff( $GLOBALS['wgMimeTypeExclusions'] ?? [], [ 'application/xml', 'text/xml' ] );
```

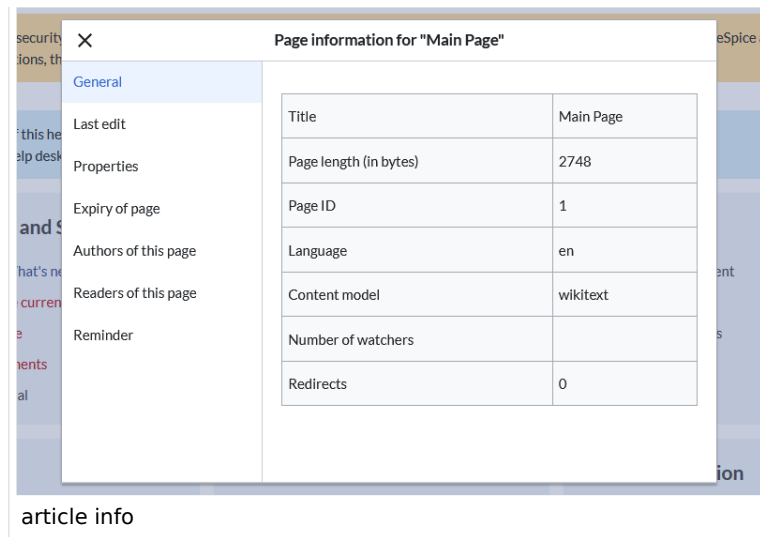
- **Allowed image extensions:** The standard web image types are listed here. In general, you want to restrict image uploads to web images. See developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/Media/Formats/Image_types for more on browser-supported image types.

BlueSpiceArticleInfo

BlueSpiceArticleInfo, together with *BlueSpiceAuthors*, *BlueSpiceReaders*, and *BlueSpiceExtendedSearch* is part of the *Page information* in the quality management tools.

- **Update interval in seconds:** Sets the refresh rate for the "Last edit" value. By default, this date is updated every 10 seconds via JavaScript.

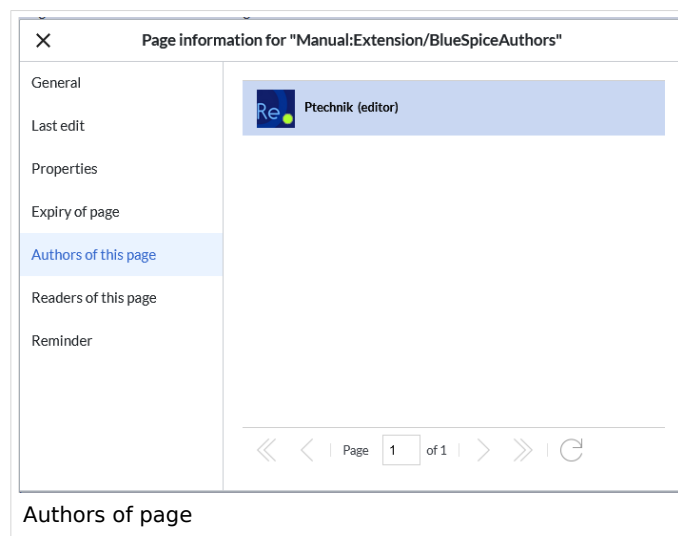




BlueSpiceAuthors

BlueSpiceAuthors, together with *BlueSpiceArticleInfo* and *BlueSpiceReaders*, is part of the *Page information* in the quality management tools.

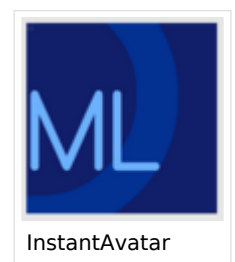
- **Display authors:** Show or hide authors on the page information page.

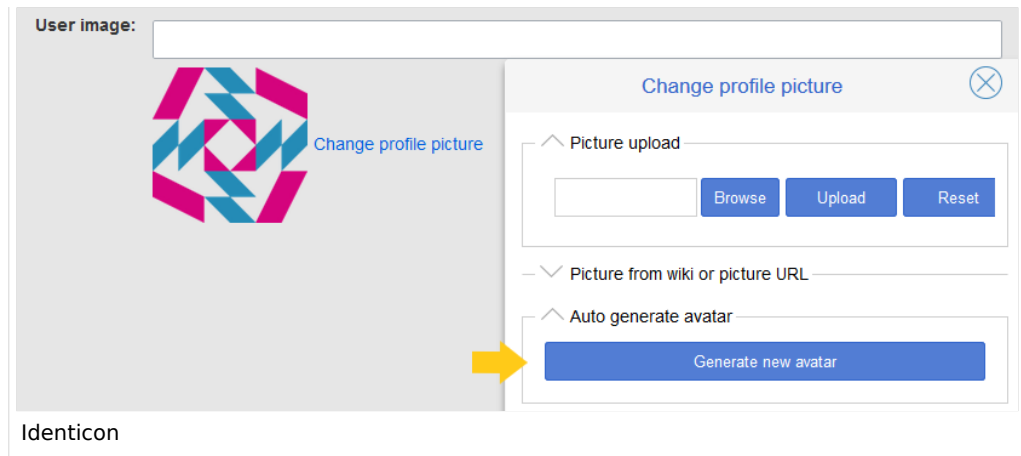


BlueSpiceAvatars

An avatar image is automatically generated if the user does not upload a profile picture or if the user decides to create an avatar image in the preferences.

- **Generator**
 - **InstantAvatar:** Generates an avatar image based on using the initials of the Real name or the Username
 - **Identicon:** Generates an avatar image based on parts of the user's IP address.





User image:

Change profile picture

Change profile picture

Identicon

Change profile picture

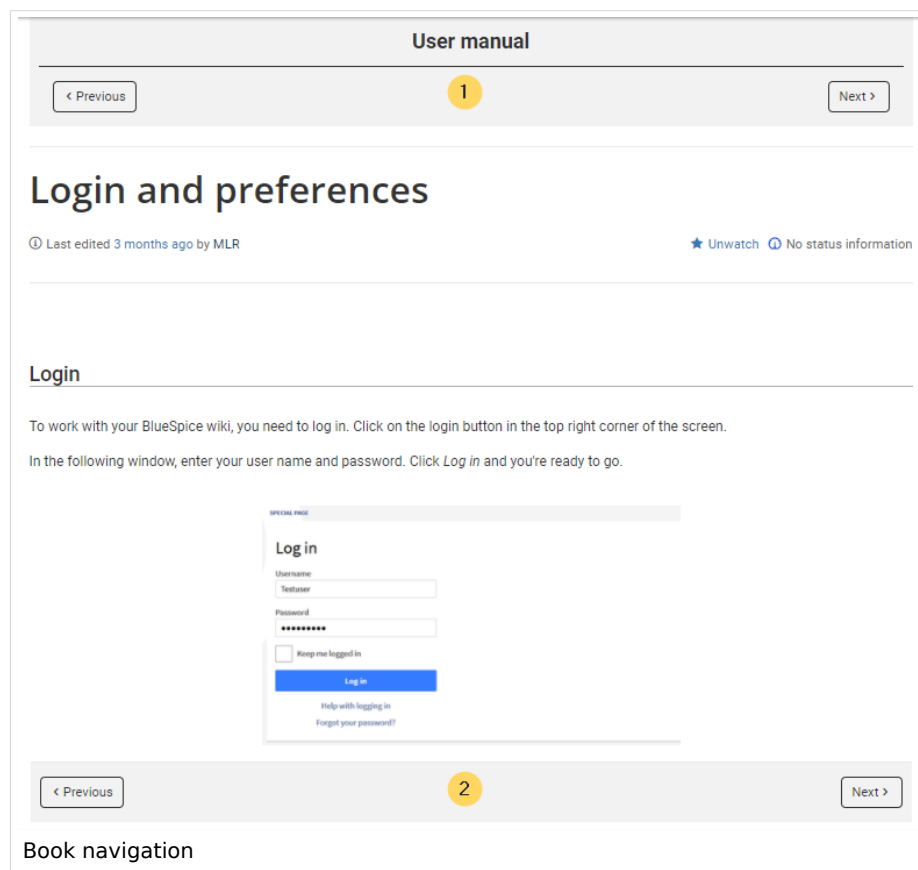
Picture upload

Picture from wiki or picture URL

Auto generate avatar

BlueSpiceBookshelf

- **Show book chapter pager after content:** Displays previous/next book page navigation at the end of each book page. (1)
- **Show book chapter pager before content:** Displays previous/next book page navigation at the beginning of each book page. (2)



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Login and preferences

Last edited 3 months ago by MLR [★ Unwatch](#) [No status information](#)

Login

To work with your BlueSpice wiki, you need to log in. Click on the login button in the top right corner of the screen.

In the following window, enter your user name and password. Click *Log in* and you're ready to go.

SPECIAL PAGE

Log in

Username

Password

☐ Keep me logged in

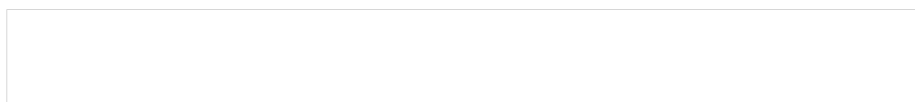
[Help with logging in](#)

[Forgot your password?](#)

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Book navigation

- **Use the display title from book source on article:** Shows the title from the book navigation as page title instead of the page name.



BlueSpice

Manual Semantic MediaWiki Examples Customer data Template styling

3. Template styling

By default, a semantic template that was created with the page `Special:CreateTemplate`, is displayed in a basic table format. Each property/value pair is shown in a row. The table width adjusts to the table content.

Location	Regensburg
Contact	Jane Doe
First contact	2020/12/21

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Since 2007 Hallo Welt! builds collaborative platforms of knowledge for organisations - especially solutions for knowledge management, online documentation and quality management.

Default table of a semantic template

To change the table layout, we can add some styling information to the template.

Adjusting the template styling

To format the table, we create a subpage to the template. It contains the custom template styles. In the following example, we create a variation of the original width of 100%, left-aligned labels and more padding in the table cells.

Location	Regensburg
Contact	Jane Doe

book display title

Note: If the page additionally contains a `{{DISPLAYTITLE}}` tag, the display title of the page is shown instead of the book title.

- **Prepend article table of contents and headlines with book numeration:** The page TOC does not start with the main heading 1, but with the actual number from the book chapter (see screenshot). If users have activated in their [user preferences](#) to "auto-number headings", the numbering system is matched accordingly.

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- **Suppress namespace prefix of book articles in output:** The namespace prefix of an article is not shown in PDFs.

BlueSpiceChecklist

- **Mark checklist changes as minor edit:** If this setting is active, changes to a checklist (for example, checking a checkbox) in view mode are logged as minor edits. If this setting is inactive, a change to the checklist is recorded as a regular version in the page history.

minor edit

Add an external file path: (1) confirm the checkmark and (2) save the settings.

- **Use simple autocomplete:** forces a more compact autocomplete (1-column Sales thumbnail preview).

- **Automatically set language filter:** The search only returns pages whose language (PageLanguage) is identical to the user language (Language). Users can set their language in their [preferences](#). By default, the language of content pages is the same as the installation language (ContentLanguage) of the wiki. Some extensions can set the language of individual pages independently of the content language of the wiki.. (See: https://www.mediawiki.org/wiki/Manual:Language#Page_content_language). In many wikis, activating this filter has little effect.
- **Exclude patterns:** Files at external file locations can be excluded from search based on regular expression patterns.

BlueSpiceExtendedStatistics

- **Exclude these users:** Some user groups, like WikiSysop can skew the statistics, for example the statistics for search queries or because they complete automated maintenance tasks. These types of user groups can be excluded from the statistical results.
- **Maximum number of interval steps:** Sets the size of the x-axis for the results. For a few days, select the interval *Day* or *Calendar Week*, for periods over one year, select *Year* or *Month*. If you do not get any results for your query, try to adjust the interval accordingly.

BlueSpiceInsertCategory

- Insert category with its parent categories
- Preset categories of a page in the upload dialog

BlueSpiceInsertLink

- **Allow unmapped links:** if there is no prefix in the map, the link will still be inserted. Example: S:\HR. If this setting is unchecked, the link will not be inserted.
- **Allowed locations for external files:**

Example file	Filesystem prefix	Web accessible Prefix	Link output
S:\Sales\Info\glossaryy.pdf	S:\	file:///S:/	file:///S:/Sales/Info/glossary.pdf
		https://sharepoint/Sales/documents/	https://sharepoint/Sales/documents/Sales/Info/glossary.pdf
		https://intranet/showdocs inline.aspx?path=	https://intranet/showdocsinline.aspx? path=/Sales/Info/glossary.pdf
/var/www/bluespice/w /mounted_			

Example file	Filesystem prefix	Web accessible Prefix	Link output
share/Sales/Info/glossary.pdf	/var/www /bluespice/w/ mounted_share/		https://wiki.company.local/w /mounted_ share/Sales/Info/glossary.pdf

When a new entry is added, it has to be confirmed by clicking the checkmark next to it before saving the page.

InsertLink configuration options

BlueSpicePageTemplates

- **Force target namespace:** The page is always created in the target namespace that is associated with the template, even if the user provided a different namespace prefix. In the screenshot below, the user wants to create the page "NewPage" and then selects a template for the QM namespace. The page is, therefore, created as "QM:NewPage" if this setting is activated.

force the namespace of the template

- **Hide default templates:** Hides the default *Empty page* template.

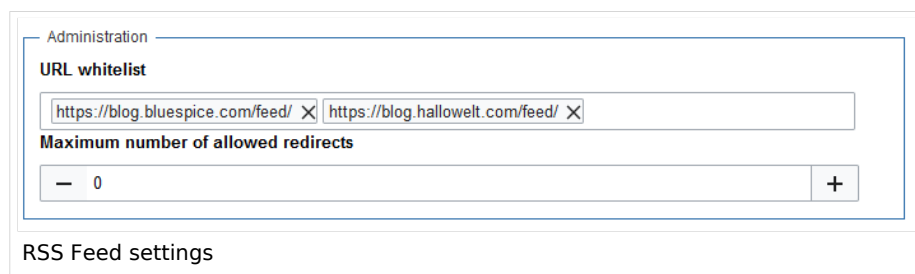
- **Hide template if the page is not to be created in the target namespace:** Depending on the namespace prefix of the page to be created, templates that are associated with other namespaces will not be shown to the user for selection.

BlueSpicePermissionManager

- **Backup limit:** Sets the number of backups for the permissions manager. Each time the page *Special:PermissionManager* is saved, a backup is created. If the backup limit is set to 5, the last five versions of the permissions configuration are saved as backups.

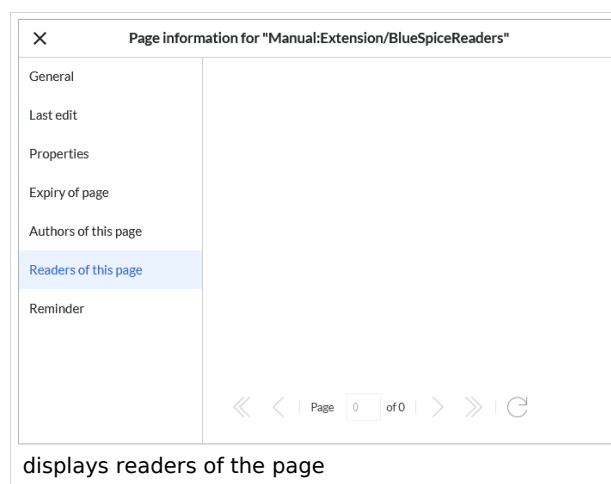
BlueSpiceRSSFeeder

- **URL whitelist:** RSS feeds need to be whitelisted here by an administrator before they can be displayed in a wiki page.
- **Maximum number of allowed redirects:** If there are URL redirects for any of the whitelisted URLs, the number of redirects needs to be adjusted (usually to 1 or 2).



BlueSpiceReaders

- **Number of readers to display:** Sets the number of readers that are displayed on the Page information in the Quality management tools.



displays readers of the page

BlueSpiceSaferEdit

- **Interval for lookup for concurrent editings:** Sets the time in seconds for checking if another person is editing the page.
- **Show name of current editor:** Shows or hides the name of the user who is currently editing the page.

BlueSpiceUEModuleBookPDF

- Table of Contents
 - *Only article titles (indent by grade):* Only shows the article titles in the main contents table of the PDF.

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PDF table of contents without article TOCs

- *Embed article TOCs (No indent of article titles):* Shows the table of contents for each article in the main contents table of the PDF.

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Embed article TOCs

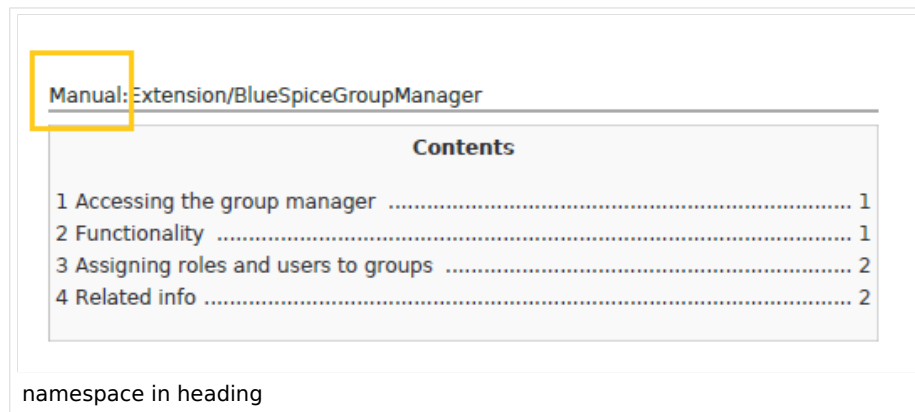
BlueSpiceUEModuleHTML

- **Hide namespace prefix in HTML:** If activated, the namespace is shown in the HTML main heading.

Note: If the page contains a "displaytitle" tag in the page source, the page display title is shown and this setting has no effect.

BlueSpiceUEModulePDF

- **Hide namespace prefix in PDF:** If activated, the namespace is shown in the PDF main heading for a page.



Note: If the page contains a "displaytitle" tag in the page source, the page display title is shown and this setting has no effect.

BlueSpiceUniversalExport

- **Metadata (standard, JSON):** Additional data to be passed to the rendering template in JSON format. This data can be used in the export template. The template itself is maintained server-side.
- **Metadata (override, JSON):** Allows overriding standard data sent to the rendering template in JSON format. Values that are set by default can be overridden with this option.

BlueSpiceVisualEditorConnector

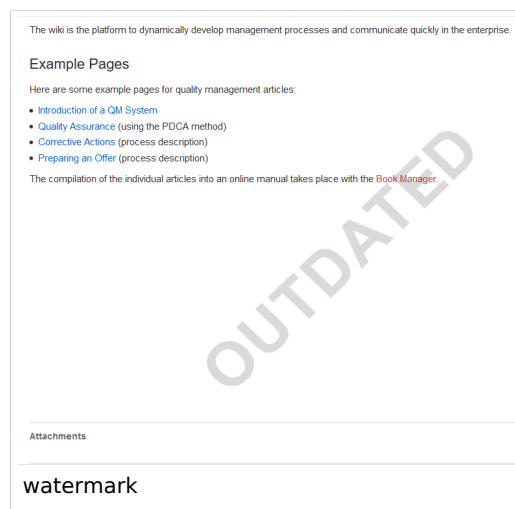
- **Enable VisualEditor for BlueSpice extensions**
- **Configuration variable to use a simplified save process**
- **Upload type**
 - Original (Here a confirmation of the rights of use/upload is obtained, file name and namespace of the file can be changed, a category can be assigned and a description of the file **MUST** be given).
 - Simple (No confirmation of required rights is obtained here, the name and namespace of the file can be changed, a description and a category can be assigned, but does not have to be specified)
 - One click (No confirmation about required rights is obtained here, the image cannot be renamed and no category can be assigned. Only the namespace can, but does not have to be adjusted before uploading)

BlueSpiceWholsOnline

- **Time in seconds until a user is marked as offline:** The system checks every x seconds if a user logged out and no longer displayed as online. This can be less frequent than the update interval for newly logged-in users.
- **Update interval in seconds:** The system checks every x seconds for users.

BlueSpiceExpiry

- **Show watermark for expired pages in PDF:** Shows the watermark for expired pages in PDFs.
- **Show watermark for expired pages in print version:** Shows the watermark for expired pages when a page is printed.
- **Show watermark for expired pages:** Shows a watermark on the page itself.



BlueSpiceFlaggedRevsConnector

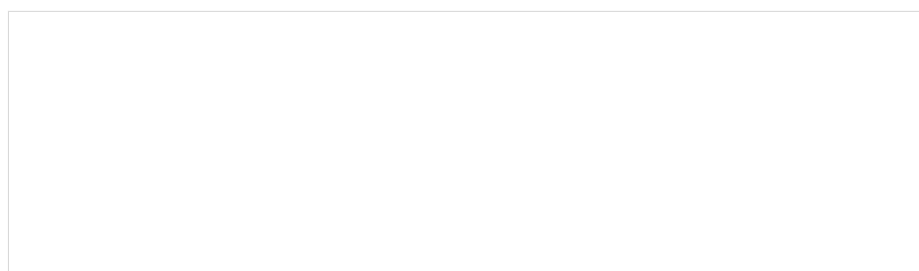


BlueSpiceFlaggedRevsConnector is available up to BlueSpice 4.2.

Export

The export settings affect how the pages of a book are generated in the PDF export.

- **Bookshelf: List approved revisions log:** Shows a log of stable page versions of pages in the PDF and when these pages were put into accepted status. If editors did not provide a comment when accepting the page, the *Stable comment* field for a revision is empty.



Stable date	Page	Stable comment
18.11.2019	Permission matrix	
18.11.2019	Permission matrix	
15.11.2019	Wiki pages model	
14.11.2019	Permission manager	
14.11.2019	Group manager	

accepted revisions log

- **Bookshelf: List pages without stable revision:** Displays a list of PDF pages at the beginning of the PDF that only exist as a first draft and have no released version.

Not stable pages QM:Checklists Pages without acceptance feature
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- **Bookshelf: List pages without FlaggedRevs:** Displays a list of PDF pages that do not have a release mechanism at the beginning of the PDF.

Not FlaggedRevs namespace Introduction Wiki pages model User rights Group manager Pages with no FlaggedRevs feature.

- **UEModulePDF: Show FlaggedRevs info below main heading:** Prints the latest revision dates (last acceptance and last edit date) below the heading.

Introduction <i>Stable: 06.12.2019 - 12:00 / Revision: 06.12.2019 - 11:43</i> FlaggedRevs info below heading
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Quality assurance

- **Include handling:** If resources are embedded in a page and those resources are located in namespaces with approval mechanism, then the following settings can be selected. For example: If an approved page contains a template or a file that has been changed after the page itself has been approved, the page will not get another draft version, but instead one of two configurations applies:
 - Current versions: Always show the latest version of the embedded resource.
 - Stable versions: Always show the stable (=approved) version of a resource.
- **Show unstable pages for following groups:** If the group *user* is removed from the *BlueSpiceFlaggedRevs* configuration, users in this group will not be able to see draft versions when they are added as reviewers in a review process. When the group *user* is removed, only *sysop* and *reviewer* users can access drafts. If you want other groups, for example *editor*, to see draft versions, you need to add them to the configuration. If no user groups are specified in the configuration field, not even reviewers and sysops users will see a visual status indication of a page. They will have access to drafts through the revision history for the page instead.

Searching and Navigation

- **Indexing only stable versions:** Draft versions are excluded from the search results. If a page does not have a stable version, it is not shown as a search result.

BlueSpiceSocial

- **Show endpoint "Timeline":** Shows a link to the page *Special:Timeline* in the main navigation.

BlueSpiceSocialBlog

- **Use teaser text for blog entries in the timeline:** When you create a blog entry, you can create a teaser text for it by clicking the cogwheel symbol in the blog entry form. If this setting is active, the teaser text will be shown on the page *Special:Timeline* instead of the first part of the content.

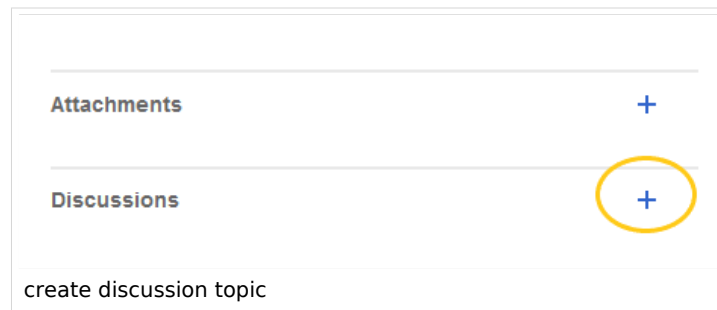
The screenshot shows a form for creating a blog entry. The form has a title field with the text "ISO 7010 Symbole". Below the title is a content field with a rich text editor. The content field contains a message about ISO 7010 graphics standards. Below the content field is a "Teaser" field, which is highlighted with a red circle. The "Teaser" field contains the text "Pages in violation of ISO 2010 graphics standards will be expired". Below the "Teaser" field is a "Main Page" button. At the bottom right of the form is a gear icon, which is also highlighted with a red circle, and buttons for "Cancel" and "Post".

blog teaser text

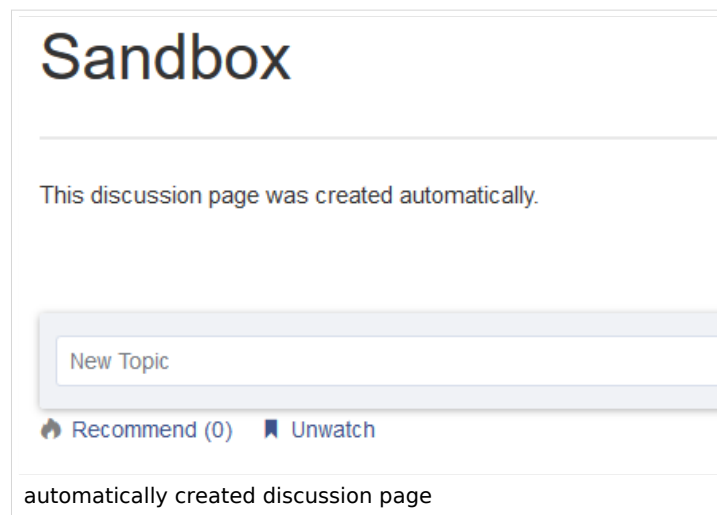
- **Show endpoint "Blog":** Shows a link to the page *Special:Blog* in the main navigation.

BlueSpiceSocialTopics

- **Automatically create all discussion pages.** If a user creates the first discussion topic for a page using the link in the page footer of a wiki page, the needed discussion page is automatically created first.



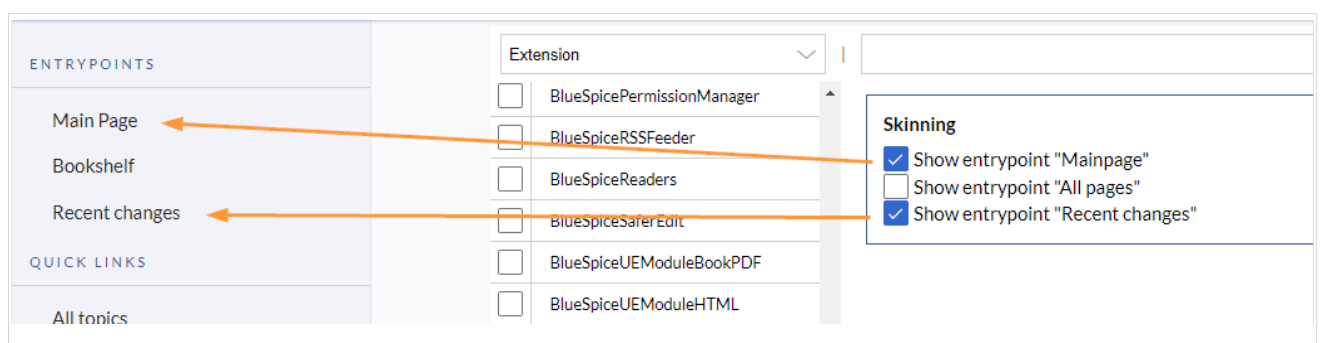
A message "This discussion page was created automatically" is inserted on the discussion page.



If this setting is deactivated, the user is directed to the "Create page" default page first.

BlueSpiceDiscovery

Deactivating the Entrypoint links



Positioning of skin elements



Elements below the page title

page-sentence X

Elements below the page content

categories X rating X recommendations X

positioning skin elements

- page-sentence: display of page status ([Approval status](#), [Expiry](#))
- categories: display of [page categories](#)
- rating: display of [page ratings](#)
- recommendations: display of [page recommendations](#)

Content Stabilization v4.3+

The following configuration options are available for page approvals:

- **Include handling (1):** Wenn Ressourcen in eine Seite eingebettet sind **und sich diese Ressourcen in Namensräumen mit Freigabe befinden**, können die folgenden Einstellungen ausgewählt werden. Es gibt zwei mögliche Einstellungen:

	Verhalten
Stable versions of included pages	Shows the approved (stable) version of a resource, even if it was approved after the page that includes the resource was approved. (This works only if the resource is located in a namespace with active approval feature).
Versions that were current at the time of approval	Shows the version of the resource which was embedded at the time of the last approval of the wiki page where it is embedded. (This works only if the resource is located in a namespace with active approval feature).

For example, if an approved page contains a template that was modified after the page itself was approved, the page will not show a draft version. Approvals work directly via the embedded resource.

- **Allow viewing of first draft version (2):** If this setting is activated, then all users with read rights can view the first draft. When disabled, only groups from the "Show unstable pages for following groups" setting can see first drafts.
- **Update semantic properties from stable pages only (3):** The property value of the page is read from the stable version of the page and not from the draft version.
- **Entwurfseiten für folgende Gruppen anzeigen (4):** If the group `user` has been removed from the configuration, users in this group will not be able to see draft versions when they are added as reviewers in a review process. In this case, only users with the roles `sysop` and `reviewer` can access drafts unless other groups are specified. These system groups can only access drafts through the site's version history.

 [Technical Reference: BlueSpiceConfigManager](#)

Namespace manager

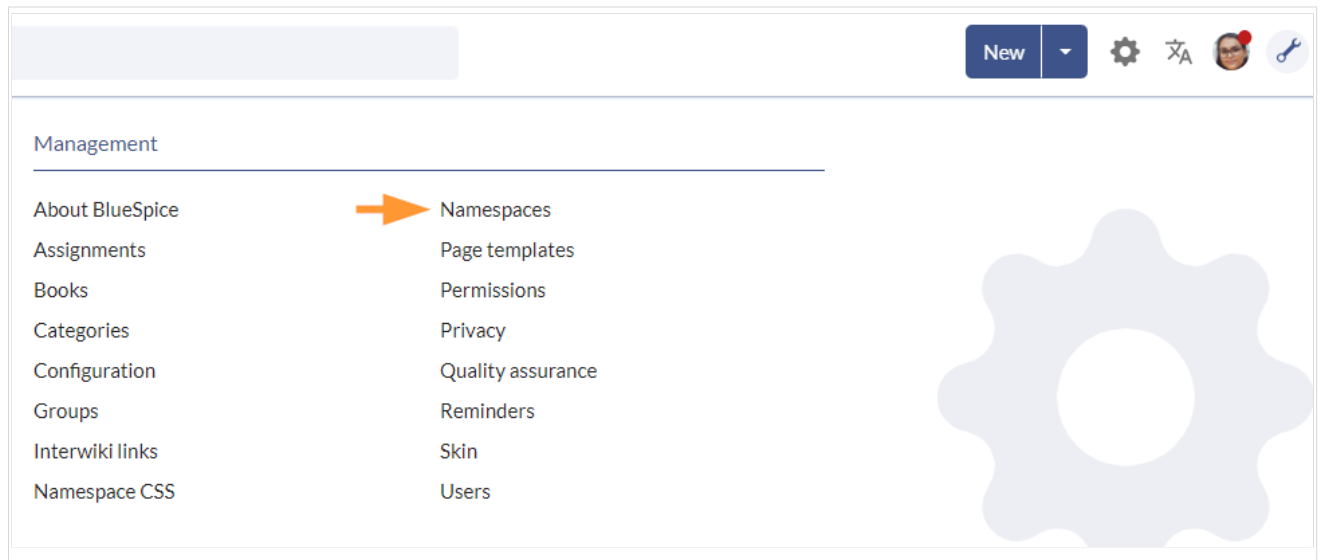
The Namespace manager allows a user with *administrative* rights to create,edit, and delete namespaces and to change the settings of these namespaces.

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Where to find the namespace manager

The navigation link to the Namespace manager is located under *Global actions > Management > Namespaces*. This link opens the page *Special:NamespaceManager*.

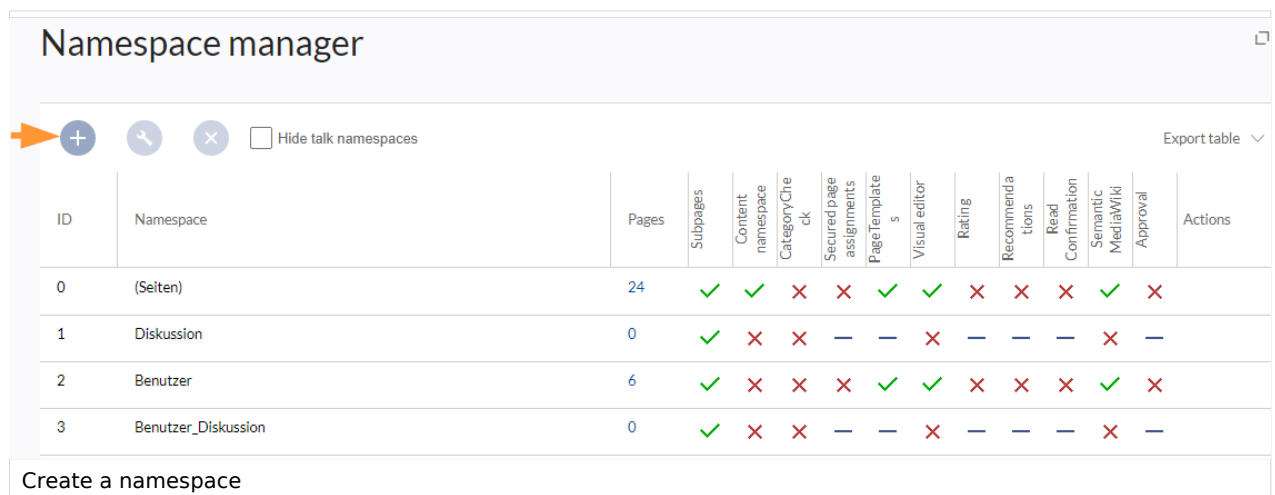


Creating a namespace

Note: If you haven't created namespaces before, familiarize yourself with the [concept of namespaces](#) first to understand when it makes sense to set up a namespace. Although it is theoretically possible to create a large number of namespaces, the BlueSpice user interface supports at best a number of 10-30 user-created additional namespaces. If you need more namespaces, consider using several individual wikis or a wiki farm.

To create a namespace:

1. **Click** the "Plus" icon at the top of the page. A dialog opens.



2. **Enter** the name for the new namespace and select the namespace options. Make sure that the name for the namespace is as short as possible, since the name becomes part of the page name of the pages in this namespace. This makes it easier to type in page names, e.g. using search fields in the wiki. Search results and all types of page lists are also displayed more clearly in this way. Examples: QM (for the namespace "Quality Management"), RM (for "Risk Management"). Optionally, an alias can also be specified for the namespace. This name can then be used at any time in the wiki instead of the actual name.
3. **Choose** the features you want to activate.
Usually, the following features are activated: Subpages, Content namespace, PageTemplates, VisualEditor, Semantic MediaWiki.

Description of the available features:

- **Subpages:** It is possible to create subpages. If this feature is deactivated the syntax `Pagename /withslash` does not produce a subpage in the wiki.
 - **Content namespace:** This function determines that a namespace is considered by specific extensions:
 - **Popups:** Popups only appear in content namespaces.
 - **BlueSpiceFoundation:** API for watchlist list is only displayed in content namespaces.
 - **BlueSpiceExtendedSearch:** Content namespaces get a boost and are placed preferentially in the results list.
 - **HitCounters:** Entire function is restricted to content namespaces. Other pages are counted as "0".
 - **ContentTransfer:** Can optionally be restricted to use in content namespaces.
 - **BlueSpiceExtendedStatistics:** Certain namespace selection filters are restricted to this content namespace.
 - **PageForms** (see also: mediawiki.org/wiki/Manual:ContentHandler)
 - **CategoryCheck:** Each time the user saves a page, the save-dialog shows a checkbox to confirm that the users reviewed the categories on the page. This applies to all pages in this namespace and makes sense when a wiki is organized primarily through manual categorization of pages by users.
 - **Secured page assignments:** Only assigned users can edit the page.
 - **PageTemplates**
 - **Visual editor:** Activation of the extension VisualEditor. If this is not activated, the pages can only be edited in source editing mode. If this setting is activated after pages already exist in the namespace, it will take a few minutes for the visual editor to work on the pages.
 - **Rating:** Allows users to rate each page from 1 to 5 stars. An overview page in the wiki shows rated pages sorted by rating.
 - **Recommendations:** Allows users to recommend a page. An overview page in the wiki shows recommended pages by number of recommendations.
 - **Read Confirmation:** Assigned users must mark a checkbox to confirm that they have read the changes to a page.
 - **Semantic MediaWiki:** Activates the link to the page `Special:Browse/<pagename>` in the page tools.
 - **Approval:** New versions of a page are created as drafts. These remain in place until a user with approval rights reviews and approves the page.
4. **Click Done.** The namespace is now ready to use.

Note: The corresponding talk namespace for the new namespace is automatically created. This namespace allows users to discuss a page in the wiki on an associated discussions page.

Editing a namespace

A namespace can be edited by clicking on the "wrench"-icon in the table row or above the table when a namespace is selected.

☐ Hide talk namespaces

Export table ▾

ID	Namespace	Pages	Subpages	Content namespace	CategoryCheck	Secured page assignments	Page Templates	Visual editor	Rating	Recommendations	Read Confirmation	Semantic MediaWiki	Approval	Actions
3006	Minutes	17	✓	✓	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	
3007	Minutes_Talk	0	✓	✗	✗	—	—	✗	—	—	—	✗	—	1 2
3010	QM	29	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Edit a namespace

When renaming a namespace, all pages in the namespace are automatically renamed as well.

Links to the renamed pages as well as page lists that filter by the original namespace designation are **not** renamed and therefore no longer work.

Discussion namespace names and system namespace names (File, MediaWiki, etc. cannot be changed manually.

Deleting a namespace

Only namespaces created by users can be deleted. The corresponding button (2) is only displayed in such namespaces.

After clicking the delete icon, a dialog box opens.

Cancel

Remove namespace

Done

Are you sure that you want to delete this namespace? Deleting a namespace cannot be undone.
Pages in this namespace:

☐ Will be deleted

☐ Will be moved into "(Pages)"

☒ Will be moved into "(Pages)" with the suffix "(from Test)"

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Deleting a namespace

- *Will be deleted*: deletes the pages in this namespace together with the namespace
- *Will be moved into "(Pages)"*: moves the pages of this namespace into the main namespace
- *Will be moved into "(Pages)" with the suffix "(from [namespace name])"*: moves and appends the pages with "from [namespace]"

Talk namespaces are deleted with their corresponding namespace and cannot be deleted separately.

Related info

- [Reference:BlueSpiceNamespaceManager](#)
- <https://www.mediawiki.org/wiki/Help:Namespaces/de>
- [The concept of namespaces](#)



[Technical Reference: BlueSpiceNamespaceManager](#)

Manual:Extension/InputBox

The **InputBox** extension allows to automatically create a new page via an input field with a specific page name and - optionally - in a specific namespace.

Creating meeting minutes from an inputbox

Inputbox to create a wiki page

A typical example of this is creating meeting minutes that follow a consistent content structure. The following code can be added to the source code of a page:

```
<inputbox>
type=create
default={{CURRENTYEAR}}-{{CURRENTMONTH}}-{{CURRENTDAY2}}
prefix=Meeting:IT/Jour fixe/
preload=Meeting:Standard minutes
buttonlabel=New minutes
break=no
width=30
useve=true
arialabel=New minutes
</inputbox>
```

Description of the settings:

	Wert	
type	create	Creates a new page
default		Suggestion for a name for the new page; here in the example: current edate
prefix	<i>Seitenpfad</i>	Path to a namespace or subpage.
preload	<i>Pfad zur Vorlage</i>	Loads the default text for the new page from a template, if you are not using a template, this line can be deleted. If the template is not found, a blank page is created.
buttonlabel	<i>Text</i>	Text that is shown on the button.
break	no	Places the button behind the text field rather than below.
width	30	Size of the inputbox in characters
useve	true	Opens the new page directly in visual editing mode

Show latest minutes

If you want to display links to the last 5 meeting minutes by creation date directly below the input box, you can add the following query in the source code below the input box, specifying the path to the logs in the square brackets in the `#ask` query (i.e. the prefix-path from the inputbox followed by a `*`):

```
List of minutes:
<div>
{{#ask:[[~IT/Jour Fixe/*]]
|limit=5
|sort=creation date
|order=desc
```

```
|format=ul
|default=There are currently no minutes
|searchlabel= &#8594; More IT-Jour Fixe minutes
}}
</div>
```

Beschreibung der Einstellungen zur Anzeige der letzten Protokolle:

Name	Wert	
#ask [[]]	create	The path to the minutes is pecified here. Alternatively, the category if the logs are assigned to a category.
limit	Zahl	Number of results. Below, a more... link will be shown
sort	creation date	Sorting of resulst by creation date
order	desc	Ordered descending
format	ul	Results format is an unordered list
default	Text	Text to show if no results exist
search label	Text	Label for the link to additional results (is shown only if there are more results than the defined <i>limit</i>)

Related info

- www.mediawiki.org/wiki/Extension:InputBox



Technical Reference: [InputBox](#)

Reference:BlueSpicePageTemplates

Extension: BlueSpicePageTemplates

→ [all extensions](#)

Overview			
Description:	Displays a list of templates marked as page templates		
State:	stable	Dependency:	BlueSpice
Developer:	HalloWelt	License:	GPL-3.0-only
Type:	BlueSpice	Category:	Content Structuring
Edition:	BlueSpice free, BlueSpice pro, BlueSpice Farm, BlueSpice Cloud	Version:	4.1+
? View user help page			

Features

BlueSpicePageTemplates allows users to create new pages from predefined templates to start with a basic page structure.

- Create a template (with headers, categories, boxes and other content) in the template namespace.
- Create a page template using the special page `Special_PageTemplatesAdmin` give the page template a name and a description.
- Each template should be assigned a template from the "Template" namespace that represents the structure of a document.
- Page templates can be assigned to a particular namespace, so that a certain template will only appear when creating pages in that namespace.
- The page template is shown as a choice when a new page is created.

Some aspects of this extension can be configured on the page `Special:BlueSpiceConfigManager`, under "Page templates". Here, wiki administrators can:

- Force a target namespace for the page that was created from the template
- Hide default templates

Default page templates

Since BlueSpice 4.2, several default page templates are provided through the *Page templates* manager. The templates themselves are located in the "Template" namespace and prefixed with the letters "PT" (example: `Template:PT How-to article`).

For more information on how to add or remove available page templates, [see the help page](#).

Updates to the default templates:

If you have edited the default page templates in your wiki, they will not be overwritten during any BlueSpice upgrades. It is possible, however, that the default templates are added to the Page templates manager again after an update. You can simply remove the unwanted templates again.

An update to the current default version of all page templates can be forced with the following command from the wiki root:

```
php maintenance/update.php --quick --force
```

Technical Information

This information applies to BlueSpice 4. Technical details for BlueSpice Cloud can differ in some cases.

Requirements

MediaWiki: 1.36.0
BlueSpiceFoundation: 4.1

Integrates into

- MWStakeContentProvisioner

Special pages

- PageTemplatesAdmin

Permissions

Name	Description	Role
pagetemplatesadmin-viewspecialpage	Access to the Special:PageTemplatesAdmin special page, where page templates can be managed	admin, maintenanceadmin, structuremanager

Configuration

Name	Value
PageTemplatesExcludeNs	array (0 => -2, 1 => -1, 2 => 6, 3 => 7, 4 => 8, 5 => 9, 6 => 10, 7 => 11, 8 => 14, 9 => 15,)
PageTemplatesForceNamespace	false
PageTemplatesHideDefaults	false
PageTemplatesHideIfNotInTargetNs	true

API Modules

- [bs-pagetemplate-tags-store](#)
- [bs-pagetemplates-store](#)
- [bs-pagetemplates-tasks](#)

Hooks

- [BSApiNamespaceStoreMakeData](#)
- [BSUEModulePDFBeforeAddingStyleBlocks](#)
- [BSUsageTrackerRegisterCollectors](#)
- [BeforePageDisplay](#)
- [HtmlPageLinkRendererBegin](#)
- [LoadExtensionSchemaUpdates](#)
- [MWStakeCommonUIRegisterSkinSlotComponents](#)
- [MediaWikiPerformAction](#)
- [MessagesPreLoad](#)
- [NamespaceManager::editNamespace](#)
- [NamespaceManager::getMetaFields](#)
- [NamespaceManagerBeforePersistSettings](#)
- [SkinTemplateNavigation::Universal](#)

Accessibility

Test status:	2-testing complete
Checked for:	Web, Authoring tool
Last test date:	2022-08-05
WCAG level:	AA
WCAG support:	partially supports (workaround: no)

Comments:	keyboard access works. Screenreader: Extjs: Pagination in grids not announcing button labels at top and pagination buttons at bottom; actions menu has no keyboard support. switching between browse/focus modes enables finding out how many pages there are and moving to the next page. erm:27716
Extension type:	core
Extension focus:	admin