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Reference:BlueSpicePageTemplates

Extension: BlueSpicePageTemplates

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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-	Access to the Special:PageTemplatesAdmin special	admin,

Name	Description	Role
viewspecialpage	page, where page templates can be managed	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

Category:Extension

Extensions that are bundled with one or more BlueSpice pro editions.

Pages in category "Extension"

The following 200 pages are in this category, out of 214 total.

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- Reference:Arrays
- Reference:AtMentions
- Reference:Auth remoteuser

B

- Reference:BlueSpiceAbout
- Reference:BlueSpiceArticleInfo
- Reference:BlueSpiceArticlePreviewCapture
- Reference:BlueSpiceAvatars
- Reference:BlueSpiceBookshelf
- Reference:BlueSpiceCategoryCheck
- Reference:BlueSpiceCategoryManager
- Reference:BlueSpiceChecklist
- Reference:BlueSpiceCloudClient

- Reference:BlueSpiceConfigManager
- Reference:BlueSpiceContextMenu
- Reference:BlueSpiceCountThings
- Reference:BlueSpiceCustomMenu
- Reference:BlueSpiceDashboards
- Reference:BlueSpiceDiscovery
- Reference:BlueSpiceDistributionConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceDrawioConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceEchoConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceEmoticons
- Reference:BlueSpiceExpiry
- Reference:BlueSpiceExportTables
- Reference:BlueSpiceExtendedFilelist
- Reference:BlueSpiceExtendedSearch
- Reference:BlueSpiceExtendedStatistics
- Reference:BlueSpiceFilterableTables
- Reference:BlueSpiceFlaggedRevsConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceFoundation
- Reference:BlueSpiceGroupManager
- Reference:BlueSpiceHideTitle
- Reference:BlueSpiceInsertCategory
- Reference:BlueSpiceInsertFile
- Reference:BlueSpiceInsertLink
- Reference:BlueSpiceInsertMagic
- Reference:BlueSpiceInsertTemplate
- Reference:BlueSpiceInstanceStatus
- Reference:BlueSpiceInterWikiLinks
- Reference:BlueSpiceInterwikiSearch
- Reference:BlueSpiceMultiUpload
- Reference:BlueSpiceNamespaceManager
- Reference:BlueSpiceNSFileRepoConnector
- Reference:BlueSpicePageAccess
- Reference:BlueSpicePageAssignments
- Reference:BlueSpicePageFormsConnector
- Reference:BlueSpicePagesVisited
- Reference:BlueSpicePageTemplates
- Reference:BlueSpicePermissionManager
- Reference:BlueSpicePlayer
- Reference:BlueSpicePrivacy
- Reference:BlueSpiceProDistributionConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceQrCode
- Reference:BlueSpiceRating
- Reference:BlueSpiceReadConfirmation
- Reference:BlueSpiceReaders
- Reference:BlueSpiceReminder
- Reference:BlueSpiceRSSFeeder
- Reference:BlueSpiceSaferEdit
- Reference:BlueSpiceSignHere
- Reference:BlueSpiceSmartList

- Reference:BlueSpiceSMWConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocial
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialBlog
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialComments
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialMicroBlog
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialProfile
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialRating
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialResolve
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialTags
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialTimelineUpdate
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialTopics
- Reference:BlueSpiceSocialWatch
- Reference:BlueSpiceTagCloud
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModuleBookPDF
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModuleDOCX
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModuleHTML
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModulePDF
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModulePDFRecursive
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModulePDFSubpages
- Reference:BlueSpiceUEModuleTable2Excel
- Reference:BlueSpiceUniversalExport
- Reference:BlueSpiceUsageTracker
- Reference:BlueSpiceUserInfo
- Reference:BlueSpiceUserManager
- Reference:BlueSpiceUserSidebar
- Reference:BlueSpiceVisualEditorConnector
- Reference:BlueSpiceWatchList
- Reference:BlueSpiceWebDAVClientIntegration
- Reference:BlueSpiceWebDAVMinorSave
- Reference:BlueSpiceWhoIsOnline
- Reference:BlueSpiceWikiExplorer
- Reference:BlueSpiceWikiFarm

C

- Reference:CategoryTree
- Reference:Checklists
- Reference:Cite
- Reference:CiteThisPage
- Reference:CodeEditor
- Reference:CodeMirror
- Reference:CognitiveProcessDesigner
- Reference:ConfirmAccount
- Reference:ConfirmEdit
- Reference:ContainerFilter
- Reference:ContentDroplets
- Reference:ContentProvisioning
- Reference:ContentStabilization
- Reference:ContentTransfer

- Reference:CreateUserPage

D

- Reference:Data Transfer
- Reference:DateTimeTools
- Reference:DrawioEditor
- Reference:DynamicPageList3

E

- Reference:Echo
- Reference:EmbedVideo
- Reference:EmbedVideo (fork)
- Reference:EnhancedUpload
- Reference:EventBus
- Reference:External Data
- Reference:ExtJSBase

F

- Reference:FilterSpecialPages
- Reference:FlaggedRevs
- Reference:FlexiSkin
- Reference:FontAwesome
- Reference:Forms

G

- Reference:Gadgets

H

- Template:Hdsk PT Extension HW
- Template:Hdsk PT Extension MW
- Reference:Header Tabs
- Reference:HeaderFooter
- Reference:HitCounters

I

- Reference:ImageMap
- Reference:ImageMapEdit
- Reference:ImportOfficeFiles
- Reference:InputBox
- Reference:Interwiki
- Reference:InviteSignup

L

- Reference:LDAP Authorization
- Reference:LDAPAuthentication2
- Reference:LDAPGroups
- Reference:LDAPProvider
- Reference:LDAPSyncAll
- Reference:LDAPUserInfo
- Reference:Lingo
- Reference:LocalisationUpdate
- Reference:LoginNotify
- Reference:Loops

M

- Reference:Maps
- Reference:Math
- Reference:MediaWiki
- Reference:MenuEditor
- Reference:MergeArticles
- Reference:MultimediaViewer

N

- Reference:NSFileRepo
- Reference:Nuke

O

- Reference:OATHAuth
- Reference:OOJSPlus
- Reference:OpenID Connect
- Reference:OpenLayers

P

- Reference:Page Forms
- Reference:PageCheckout
- Reference:PageHeader
- Reference:PageImages
- Reference:ParserFunctions
- Reference:ParserHooks
- Reference:PDFEmbed
- Reference:PdfHandler
- Reference:PluggableAuth
- Reference:Poem
- Reference:Popups
- Reference:PreToClip

R

- Archive:Reference:BlueSpiceCalumma
- Archive:Reference:BlueSpiceLatexRenderer
- Archive:Reference:BlueSpiceMatomoConnector
- Archive:Reference:BlueSpiceNamespaceCSS
- Archive:Reference:BlueSpiceSocialWikiPage
- Archive:Reference:Bootstrap
- Archive:Reference:Chameleon
- Reference:Renameuser
- Reference:Replace Text
- Reference:RevisionSlider
- Reference:RSS

S

- Reference:Scribunto
- Reference:SectionAnchors
- Reference:SecureLinkFixer
- Reference:Semantic Compound Queries
- Reference:Semantic Extra Special Properties
- Reference:Semantic MediaWiki
- Reference:Semantic Result Formats
- Reference:Semantic Scribunto
- Reference:SimpleSAMLphp
- Reference:SimpleTasks
- Reference:SpamBlacklist
- Reference:StandardDialogs
- Reference:SubPageList
- Reference:SyntaxHighlight

T

- Reference:TabberNeue
- Reference:TemplateData
- Reference:TemplateStyles
- Reference:TextExtracts
- Reference:TitleBlacklist

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Redirect to:

- GPL v3

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.

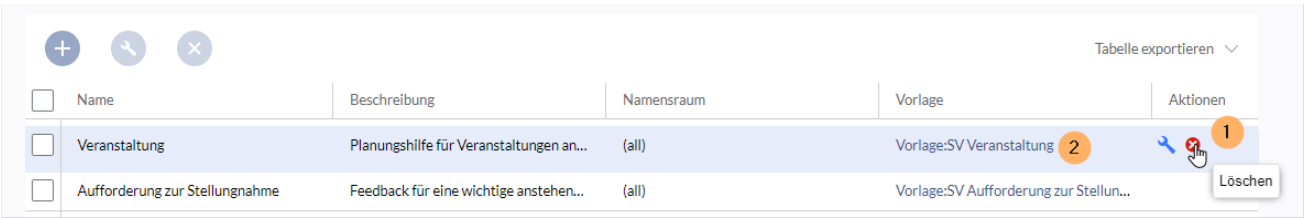
The following characteristics are typical for a page template:

- 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 from the page template manager (1).



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 *Vemplate* (2).

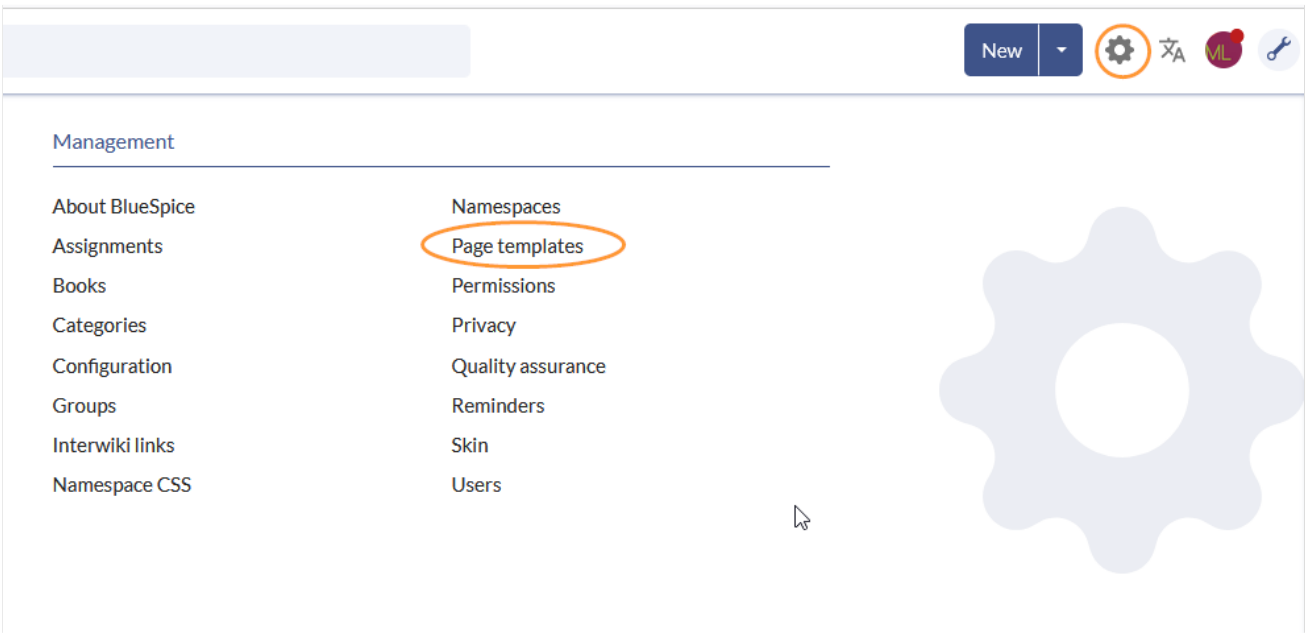
List of standard templates

Page template	Edition	Description
Decision Matrix	pro	Make an informed decision by comparing your options
Event	pro	Plan an event from beginning to end
Guideline	pro	Create a code of conduct or other guideline

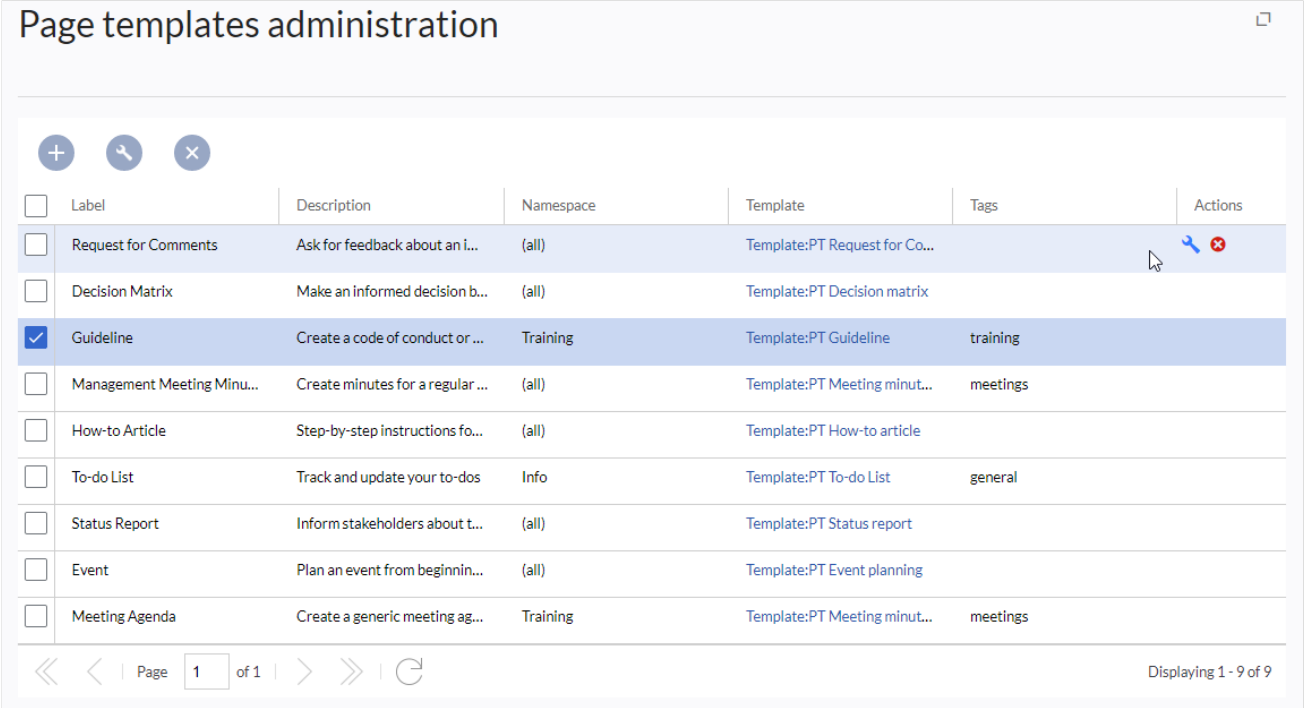
Page template	Edition	Description
How-to Article	free, pro	Step-by-step instructions for completing a task
Management Meeting Minutes	pro	Create minutes for a regular management meeting
Meeting Agenda	free	Create a generic meeting agenda with minutes
Request for Comments	pro	Ask for feedback about an 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 template manager



Page templates administration

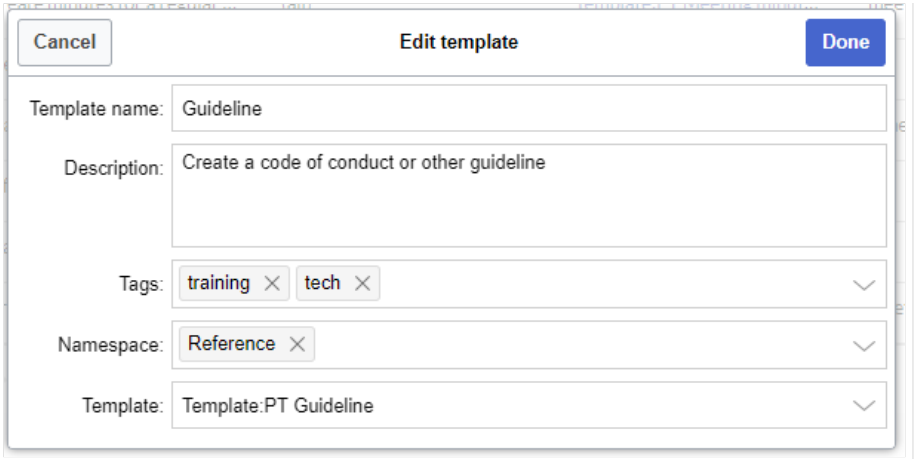
> **Note:** Every page template depends on an actual page in the namespace Template. This template must exist before creating a page template.

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.



Creating a page template

Applying a page template

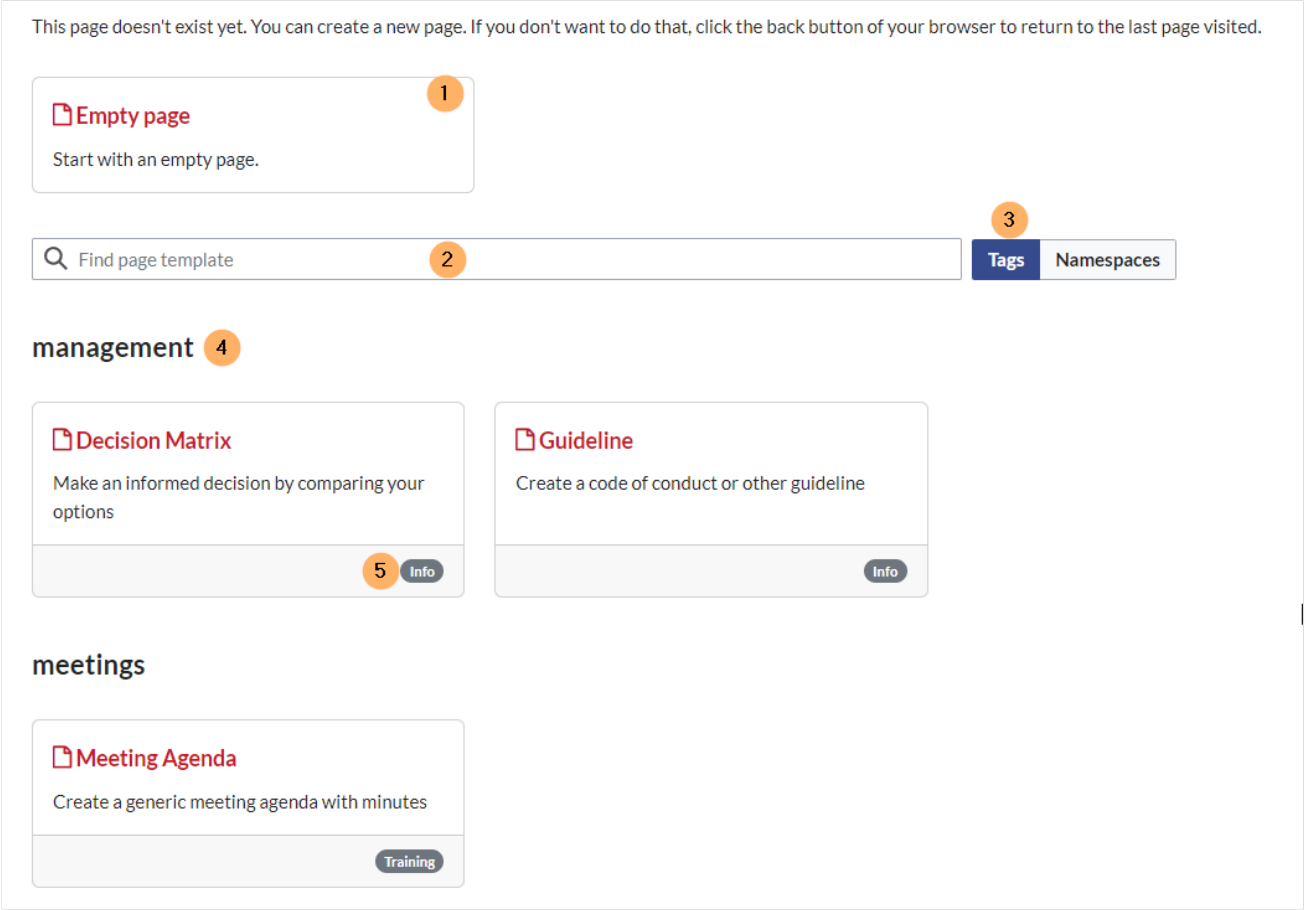
(1) Blank page: When creating a new page, the page templates are displayed for selection. A blank page can be created by default. This option can be deactivated in the configuration manager.

(2) Filter field: The templates can be filtered here. This field is independent of the T*ags /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.



Applying a page template

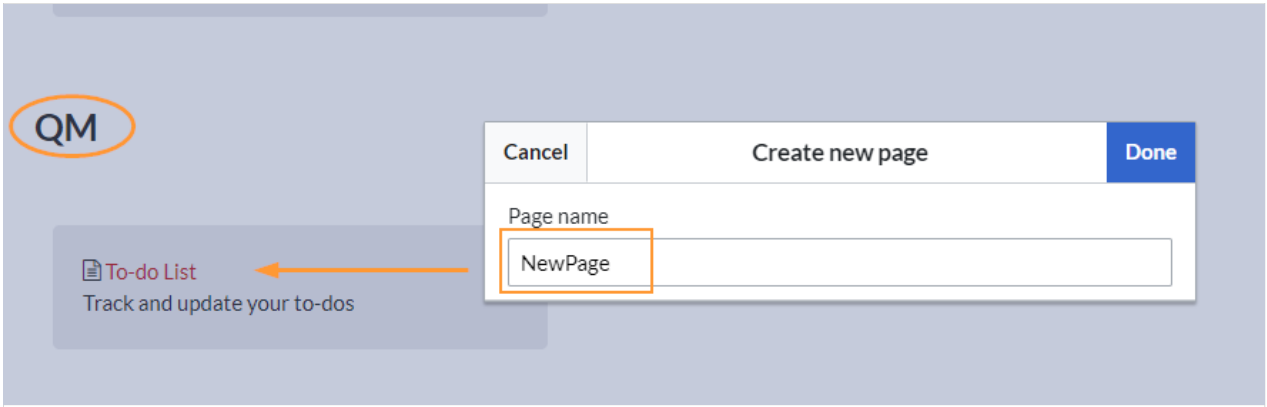
Namespace manager

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.



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.

Related info

- Reference:BlueSpicePageTemplates

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