

Content Frontmatter

The YAML frontmatter fields shared by every content type (Academy, Blog, Docs, FAQ, Pages).

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Every Markdown content file starts with a YAML frontmatter block:

```
---
title: "How to void a DTE"
description: "Steps to void an electronic tax document"
tags: ["billing", "chile"]
draft: false
---
```

The body of the content, in Markdown, starts here.

These fields are defined once, in `AbstractContentItem`, and apply to **every** content type (Academy lessons/modules/courses, Blog posts, Docs, FAQ questions, Pages). A plugin's own page only lists fields it adds or overrides on top of this shared set — if a plugin's page doesn't mention a field from this table, it behaves exactly as described here.

Unknown keys are not rejected: the frontmatter schema allows undefined keys, so a plugin (or a Twig template) can read a custom field with `item.metadata('my_field')` without declaring it anywhere first.

Identity and SEO

Field	Type	Default	Description
<code>title</code>	string	file name	Title of the content.
<code>description</code>	string	auto (see preview below)	Meta description and card/preview text. <code>summary</code> is a deprecated alias.
<code>keywords</code>	array of strings	<code>[]</code>	Extra keywords added to the <code><meta name="keywords"></code> tag, on top of the tags.
<code>image</code>	string	none	Absolute or relative URL used for <code>og:image</code> and card previews.
<code>video</code>	string	none	Video URL. YouTube “watch” URLs are automatically rewritten to embed URLs.

Field	Type	Default	Description
<code>slug</code>	string	slugified file name	Overrides the URL segment used for this item.
<code>tags</code>	array of strings	<code>[]</code>	Tags shown on the item and used to filter listings (<code>/type/tags/{tag}</code>).
<code>authors</code>	string, or array of strings/objects (<code>{name, slug}</code>)	Anonymous	<code>author</code> (singular) is a deprecated alias.

Publishing

Field	Type	Default	Description
<code>draft</code>	bool	<code>false</code>	Drafts are only visible when <code>APP_ENV=local</code> or the request host is <code>localhost</code> ; hidden otherwise.
<code>unlisted</code>	bool	<code>false</code>	Still reachable by direct URL, but excluded from listings/tag pages unless explicitly filtered by <code>id/uri</code> .
<code>date</code>	string or timestamp	<code>YYYY-MM-DD</code> - prefix in the file name, or file creation time	Publish date. <code>created</code> is a deprecated alias.
<code>last_update</code>	string or timestamp	file modification time	Shown as “last updated on”.
<code>deprecated</code>	bool, string or timestamp	<code>false</code>	<code>true</code> uses the file’s modification time; a string/timestamp sets a specific deprecation date.
<code>indexable</code>	bool	<code>!draft && !unlisted && !deprecated</code> , and at least 100 characters of body	Whether the item should be considered for the <code>/api/content.json</code> export and, from there, external indexing (Qdrant, etc.).
<code>searchable</code>	bool	<code>!draft && !unlisted && !deprecated</code>	Whether the item should be considered a candidate for the site’s own search (search plugin) — independent of <code>indexable</code> .
<code>time</code>	int (minutes)	auto-estimated from word count (200 wpm)	Reading time. Set it explicitly when the estimate is off (code-heavy pages, etc.).

Sidebar and table of contents

Field	Type	Default	Description
<code>pagination_label</code>	string	<code>title</code>	Label used in the previous/next pagination links.
<code>sidebar_label</code>	string	<code>title</code>	Label used in the sidebar, which can differ from the page title.
<code>sidebar_position</code>	int	descending by date (newest first)	<code>order</code> is a deprecated alias. Lower sorts first.
<code>sidebar_class_name</code>	string	none	Extra CSS class added to the sidebar entry.
<code>sidebar_custom_props</code>	array	<code>[]</code>	Arbitrary data made available to the sidebar template.
<code>hide_title</code>	bool	<code>false</code>	Hides the <code><h1></code> rendered from <code>title</code> .
<code>hide_table_of_contents</code>	bool	<code>false</code> (true for Blog and FAQ)	Hides the in-page table of contents.
<code>toc_min_heading_level</code>	int (2-6)	2	Minimum heading level included in the table of contents.
<code>toc_max_heading_level</code>	int (2-6)	6	Maximum heading level included in the table of contents.

Authoring helpers

Field	Type	Default	Description
<code>has_twig</code>	bool	auto-detected (<code><twig:</code> in the body)	Whether the Markdown body should be rendered as Twig before being rendered as Markdown, so it can use Twig components.

Content is organized hierarchically on the filesystem for the plugins that support nesting — see [Content hierarchy](#) for the “one file per directory level” rule that trips people up most often.

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