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# **django-template-field Documentation**

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A Django template field with a manager to return the rendered template.

## Documentation

The full documentation is at <https://django-template-field.readthedocs.org>.

## Quickstart

Install django-template-field:

```
pip install django-template-field
```

Then use it in a project:

```
from django.db import models

from templatefield import fields, managers

class TemplatedText(models.Model):
    value = fields.TemplateTextField()

    # Manager that returns rendered templates. This will be the default
    # manager since it is first. Now, when accessed via `Related Models`_
    # this field will also be rendered.
    objects_rendered = managers.RenderTemplateManager()
    # Django's default manager returns unrendered templates.
    objects_unrendered = models.Manager()
```

Extra context can be added in settings like so:

```
TEMPLATE_FIELD_CONTEXT = { 'template_var': value }
```

Context can also be added to queriesets like so:

```
TemplatedText.objects_rendered.with_context({'template_var2': value2})
```

If you dump fixtures with `RenderTemplateManager` as the default manager, django will render the exported data. To work around that, create an alternate settings file for your project with the following setting:

```
TEMPLATE_FIELD_RENDER = False
```

Then you can dump your unrendered data like so:

```
./manage.py dumpdata myapp.mymodel --settings=myapp.dump_settings
```

## Related Models

If a `TemplateTextField` will be accessed from another model through a `ForeignKey` relationship, Django will use the default manager to render the `TemplateTextField`. For example, if we define this additional model:

```
class RelatedToTemplatedText (models.Model) :  
    templated_text = models.ForeignKey(TemplatedText)
```

We can expect to see fields accessed via `templated_text` rendered properly.

## Admin

Using `RenderTemplateManager` as the default has the unfortunate side effect of rendering your fields in the Django admin, so we have provided a class from which you can inherit to solve that problem. Ex:

```
from templatefield import admin  
  
class TemplatedTextAdmin (admin.UnrenderedAdmin) :  
    ...
```

## Running Tests

```
source <YOURVIRTUALENV>/bin/activate  
(myenv) $ pip install -r requirements/test.txt  
(myenv) $ python runtests.py
```



## CHAPTER 2

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### Installation

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At the command line:

```
$ easy_install django-template-field
```

Or, if you have virtualenvwrapper installed:

```
$ mkvirtualenv django-template-field  
$ pip install django-template-field
```



## CHAPTER 3

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### Usage

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To use django-template-field in a project:

```
import templatefield
```



Contributions are welcome, and they are greatly appreciated! Every little bit helps, and credit will always be given. You can contribute in many ways:

### Types of Contributions

#### Report Bugs

Report bugs at <https://github.com/orcasgit/django-template-field/issues>.

If you are reporting a bug, please include:

- Your operating system name and version.
- Any details about your local setup that might be helpful in troubleshooting.
- Detailed steps to reproduce the bug.

#### Fix Bugs

Look through the GitHub issues for bugs. Anything tagged with “bug” is open to whoever wants to implement it.

#### Implement Features

Look through the GitHub issues for features. Anything tagged with “feature” is open to whoever wants to implement it.

## Write Documentation

django-template-field could always use more documentation, whether as part of the official django-template-field docs, in docstrings, or even on the web in blog posts, articles, and such.

## Submit Feedback

The best way to send feedback is to file an issue at <https://github.com/orcasgit/django-template-field/issues>.

If you are proposing a feature:

- Explain in detail how it would work.
- Keep the scope as narrow as possible, to make it easier to implement.
- Remember that this is a volunteer-driven project, and that contributions are welcome :)

## Get Started!

Ready to contribute? Here's how to set up *django-template-field* for local development.

1. Fork the *django-template-field* repo on GitHub.
2. Clone your fork locally:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:your_name_here/django-template-field.git
```

3. Install your local copy into a virtualenv. Assuming you have virtualenvwrapper installed, this is how you set up your fork for local development:

```
$ mkvirtualenv django-template-field
$ cd django-template-field/
$ python setup.py develop
```

4. Create a branch for local development:

```
$ git checkout -b name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

Now you can make your changes locally.

5. When you're done making changes, check that your changes pass flake8 and the tests, including testing other Python versions with tox:

```
$ flake8 templatefield tests
$ python setup.py test
$ tox
```

To get flake8 and tox, just pip install them into your virtualenv.

6. Commit your changes and push your branch to GitHub:

```
$ git add .
$ git commit -m "Your detailed description of your changes."
$ git push origin name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

7. Submit a pull request through the GitHub website.

## Pull Request Guidelines

Before you submit a pull request, check that it meets these guidelines:

1. The pull request should include tests.
2. If the pull request adds functionality, the docs should be updated. Put your new functionality into a function with a docstring, and add the feature to the list in README.rst.
3. The pull request should work for Python 2.6, 2.7, and 3.3, and for PyPy. Check [https://travis-ci.org/orcasgit/django-template-field/pull\\_requests](https://travis-ci.org/orcasgit/django-template-field/pull_requests) and make sure that the tests pass for all supported Python versions.

## Tips

To run a subset of tests:

```
$ python -m unittest tests.test_templatefield
```





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### 0.3.1 (2016-01-11)

- Add setting to disable rendering

### 0.3.0 (2016-01-06)

- Enable rendering in related field access

### 0.2.0 (2015-10-23)

- Add *with\_context* to *RenderTemplateManager*

### 0.1.0 (2015-10-02)

- First release on PyPI.