WordPress Plugin Installation Guide

Using the CatalogIt Plugin

This document is intended for use by your website administrator or other person with knowledge and expertise in WordPress design and administration. Users should be prepared to work with their own website staff to install the Plugin.

Installation Steps

CatalogIt content integrates into your WordPress pages via three shortcodes which are delivered via a single plugin: the CatalogIt plugin.

The plugin is available for download here:

https://s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/wp-plugins.catalogit.app/catalogit.zip

Before using the shortcodes you'll need to configure the CatalogIt plugin with your account ID (110 in the screenshot below). **Note**: *the following graphic shows Account ID 110 but you will enter the account ID of your account; you can find your account ID in the CatalogIt app's Settings page*. You can ignore the access token for now. You can also optionally change the name of the 'All Entries' folder and give it a description; note that 'All Entries' in the plugin/shortcodes is different from the 'All Entries' Folder in the app.

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Next, you'll need to create new pages (or reuse existing pages) for hosting the shortcodes-each shortcode will need its own page. You'll need one page for showing all the published folders (Folders shortcode), another page for showing the thumbnail grid/list of all the entries in a folder (Folder-Items shortcode), and a final page for showing the details for a single entry (Entry-Detail shortcode). Everything (purposely) has a unique URL, is deep linkable and SEO friendly. The shortcodes and their options are documented below.

You'll need to set the values for the url_parent & url_pattern shortcode options appropriately for your pages. All <url_...> values must begin with a forward slash and be a full/absolute path (i.e. no relative paths). For example, if you have a page called (<u>https://example.org/gallery/</u>), the <url> value of the folder-items page would be "/gallery/". The url_parent and url_pattern key/values serve to link the various pages together and depend on the URL structure of your site.

General Notes

Leading Slashes Required

All URL references are absolute and must start with a forward slash (/). For example url_pattern="/page-ref" or url_parent="/page-ref".

Trailing Slashes Optional

Trailing slashes on URL references are optional and the plugin will intelligently add a slash if required.

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Configuration options

- Account ID
- Access Token
- All Entries Label
- All Entries Description

Folders Shortcode

Use this shortcode to display the list/grid of all Folders that you've shared along with a special folder, All Entries, that contains all Entries from all shared Folders.

Shortcode Configuration Options

- view: list or grid default grid.
- font: inherit | roboto default roboto
- img_border: square | rounded default rounded
- url_pattern: router pattern for constructing links to folder items plugin. required

Example: /folder

Shortcode Example

[catalogit_folders_shortcode url_pattern="/folder" view="list"]

Folder-Items Shortcode

Use this shortcode to display a list/grid of all Entries in a single shared Folder. When you click on an item displayed via the Folder shortcode it will navigate to the page hosting this shortcode.

Shortcode Configuration Options

- view: list or grid default grid
- font: inherit | roboto default roboto
- img_border: square | rounded default rounded
- size: the page size for the number of entries to load at a time default 200
- url_parent: required. url to go back.
 - Example: /folders
- **url_pattern**: required. router pattern for constructing links to entry shortcode Example: /entry
- **goback_label**: string optional. Custom label to use for the 'Go back' button to take the user back to Folders shortcode. The default label is 'Go back'.

Shortcode Example

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[catalogit_folder_items_shortcode url_parent ="/folders"
url pattern="/entry" view="grid"]
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Query Args

- folder_id
- search
- page_number

Entry-Detail Shortcode

Use this shortcode to display a single Entry including all its details and shared images. When you click on an item in the Folder-Items shortcode it will navigate to the page hosting this shortcode.

Shortcode Options

- url_parent: url to go back required
- **single_column**: boolean optional. If true then render all properties in a single column to the left of the primary image (added for ACdR)
- prevnext_label: string optional. If set a label that should be rendered after the Prev

and Next navigation buttons. For example, a value of "Project" would yield "Prev Project" and "Next Project"

- **goback_label**: string optional. Custom label to use for the 'Go back' button to take the user back to Folders Items shortcode. The default label is 'Go back'.
- font: inherit | roboto default roboto
- img_border: square | rounded default rounded

Shortcode Examples

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Simple:
[catalogit_entry_shortcode url_parent="/folder"]
Full:
[catalogit_entry_shortcode
   url_parent="/folder"
   single_column="true"
   prevnext_label="Item"
   font="inherit"
   img_border="square"
]
```

Query Args

- entry_id required
- folder_id
- search
- page_number