
Django Map Widgets Documentation

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Configurable, pluggable and more user friendly map widgets for Django PostGIS fields.

CHAPTER 1

Achievements

The aim of the Django map widgets is to make all Geo Django widgets more user friendly and configurable. Map widgets support major map services (GoogleMaps, OpenStreetMap) for your geoDjango fields.

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Installation

Note: The library has been tested against Python 2.7 and 3.4+.

Installing from PyPi

Note: This is the preferred installation method.

```
$ pip install django-map-widgets
```

Installing from source

Alternatively, install the package from github

```
$ pip install git+git://github.com/erdem/django-map-widgets.git
```

Add ‘map_widgets’ to your *INSTALLED_APPS* in settings.py

```
INSTALLED_APPS = [
    ...
    'django.contrib.sessions',
    'django.contrib.messages',
    'django.contrib.staticfiles',
    'mapwidgets',
]
```

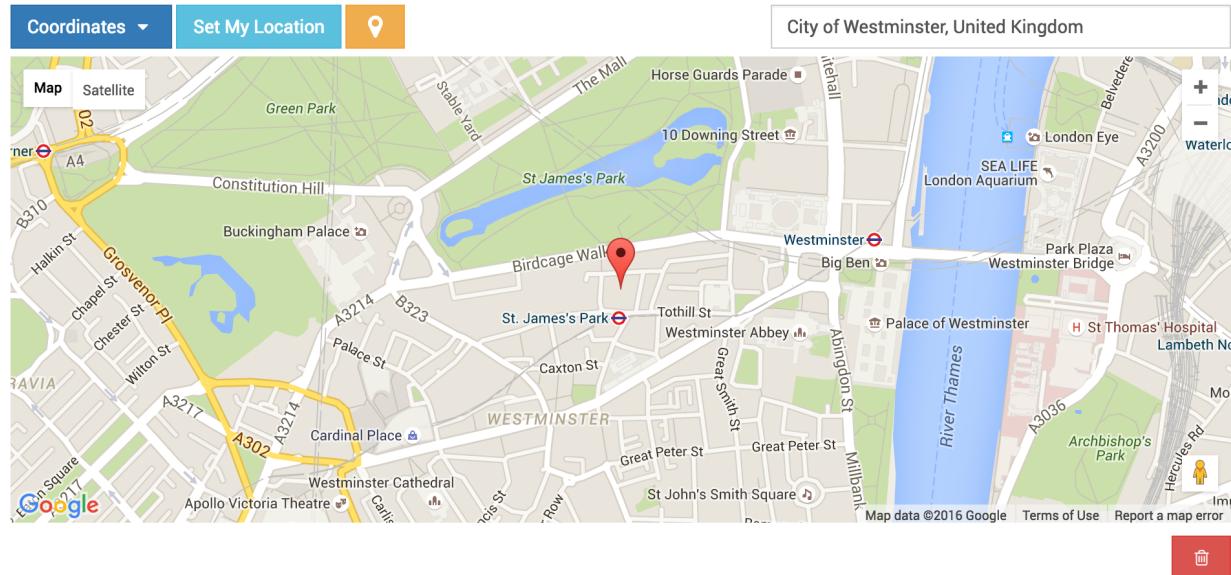
Requirements

Django Map Widgets needs Jquery dependency to work in your regular views. In Django Admin case, you don't need to provide the jQuery just because it's already available on `django.jQuery` namespace.

Map Widgets

Google Map Point Field Widget

Preview



Settings

- **GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY:** Put your Google API key (required)
- **GOOGLE_MAP_API_SIGNATURE:** You can give Google Static Map API signature key (optional). Check out [this page](#).
- **mapCenterLocationName:** You can give a specific location name for center of map. Map widget will find this location coordinates using [Google Place Autocomplete](#). (Optional)
- **mapCenterLocation:** You can give specific coordinates for center of the map. Coordinates must be list type. ([latitude, longitude]) (Optional)

- **zoom** : Default zoom value for maps (optional, default value is 6).
- **markerFitZoom** : When the marker is initialized google's default zoom is set to Max. This method sets the zoom level a reasonable distance and center the marker on the map.

Tip: If there is no specific value set for the map center for `mapCenterLocationName`, `mapCenterLocation` the widget will be centered by the timezone setting of the project Check out these links.

- Timezone Center Locations
 - [countries.json](#)
-

Usage

Settings

In your `settings.py` file, add your MAP_WIDGETS config:

```
MAP_WIDGETS = {
    "GooglePointFieldWidget": (
        ("zoom", 15),
        ("mapCenterLocationName", "london"),
        ("GooglePlaceAutocompleteOptions", {'componentRestrictions': {'country': 'uk'}}),
        ("markerFitZoom", 12),
    ),
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "<google-api-key>"
}
```

If you want to give specific coordinates for center of the map, you can update your settings file like that.

```
MAP_WIDGETS = {
    "GooglePointFieldWidget": (
        ("zoom", 15),
        ("mapCenterLocation", [57.7177013, -16.6300491]),
    ),
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "<google-map-api-key>"
}
```

Django Admin

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GooglePointFieldWidget

class CityAdmin(admin.ModelAdmin):
    formfield_overrides = {
        models.PointField: {"widget": GooglePointFieldWidget}
    }
```

Django Forms

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GooglePointFieldWidget

class CityAdminForm(forms.ModelForm):
    class Meta:
        model = City
        fields = ("coordinates", "city_hall")
```

```
widgets = {
    'coordinates': GooglePointFieldWidget,
    'city_hall': GooglePointFieldWidget,
}
```

Javascript API

If you want develop your map UI on front-end side, you can use map widget jQuery triggers.

- **google_point_map_widget:marker_create:** Triggered when user create marker on map. (callback params: lat, lng, locationInputElem, mapWrapID)
- **google_point_map_widget:marker_change:** Triggered when user change marker position on map. (callback params: lat, lng, locationInputElem, mapWrapID)
- **google_point_map_widget:marker_delete:** Triggered when user delete marker on map. (callback params: lat, lng, locationInputElem, mapWrapID)

```
$(document).on("google_point_map_widget:marker_create", function (e, lat, lng, _  
→locationInputElem, mapWrapID) {  
    console.log(locationInputElem); // django widget textarea widget (hidden)  
    console.log(lat, lng); // created marker coordinates  
    console.log(mapWrapID); // map widget wrapper element ID  
});  
  
$(document).on("google_point_map_widget:marker_change", function (e, lat, lng, _  
→locationInputElem, mapWrapID) {  
    console.log(locationInputElem); // django widget textarea widget (hidden)  
    console.log(lat, lng); // changed marker coordinates  
    console.log(mapWrapID); // map widget wrapper element ID  
});  
  
$(document).on("google_point_map_widget:marker_delete", function (e, lat, lng, _  
→locationInputElem, mapWrapID) {  
    console.log(locationInputElem); // django widget textarea widget (hidden)  
    console.log(lat, lng); // deleted marker coordinates  
    console.log(mapWrapID); // map widget wrapper element ID  
})
```

Google Map Widget for Django Admin Inlines

Preview

As you know Django Admin has an inline feature where you can add an inline row dynamically. In this case, Django default map widget doesn't initialize widget when created a new inline row.

If you want to use Google Map Widget on admin inlines with no issue, you just need to use GooglePointFieldInlineWidget class.

Note: This widget working with [Google Map Point Field Widget](#) settings.

Usage

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GooglePointFieldInlineWidget
```

```

class DistrictAdminInline(admin.TabularInline):
    model = District
    extra = 3
    formfield_overrides = {
        models.PointField: {"widget": GooglePointFieldInlineWidget}
    }

class CityAdmin(admin.ModelAdmin):
    inlines = (DistrictAdminInline,)

```

Google Map Static Widgets

Preview

Home > Cities > Citys > Cardiff

Change city

Name:

Cardiff

Coordinates:



To generate the map for your location

Django map widgets provide all Google Static Map API features. Check out this [link](#) for google static map api features. Here is the all default settings attribute for google static map widget.

```

MAP_WIDGETS = {
    "GoogleStaticMapWidget": (
        ("zoom", 15),
        ("size", "480x480"),
        ("scale", ""),
        ("format", ""),
        ("maptype", ""),
        ("path", ""),
        ("visible", ""),
        ("style", ""),
    )
}

```

```
        ("language", ""),
        ("region", ""))
    ),
    "GoogleStaticMapMarkerSettings": (
        ("size", "normal"),
        ("color", ""),
        ("icon", ""),
    )
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_SIGNATURE": "",
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "",
}
```

Usage

If you are not using specific features on Google Static Map API, you just need to update GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY value in your Django settings file. If you need also individual size map images, you can pass size and zoom parameter for each GoogleStaticMapWidget class.

Settings

In your `settings.py` file, add your MAP_WIDGETS config:

```
MAP_WIDGETS = {
    "GoogleStaticMapWidget": (
        ("zoom", 15),
        ("size", "320x320"),
    ),
    "GoogleStaticMapMarkerSettings": (
        ("color", "green"),
    )
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "<google-map-api-key>"
}
```

Django Admin

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GoogleStaticMapWidget

class CityAdmin(admin.ModelAdmin):
    formfield_overrides = {
        models.PointField: {"widget": GoogleStaticMapWidget}
    }
```

Django Forms

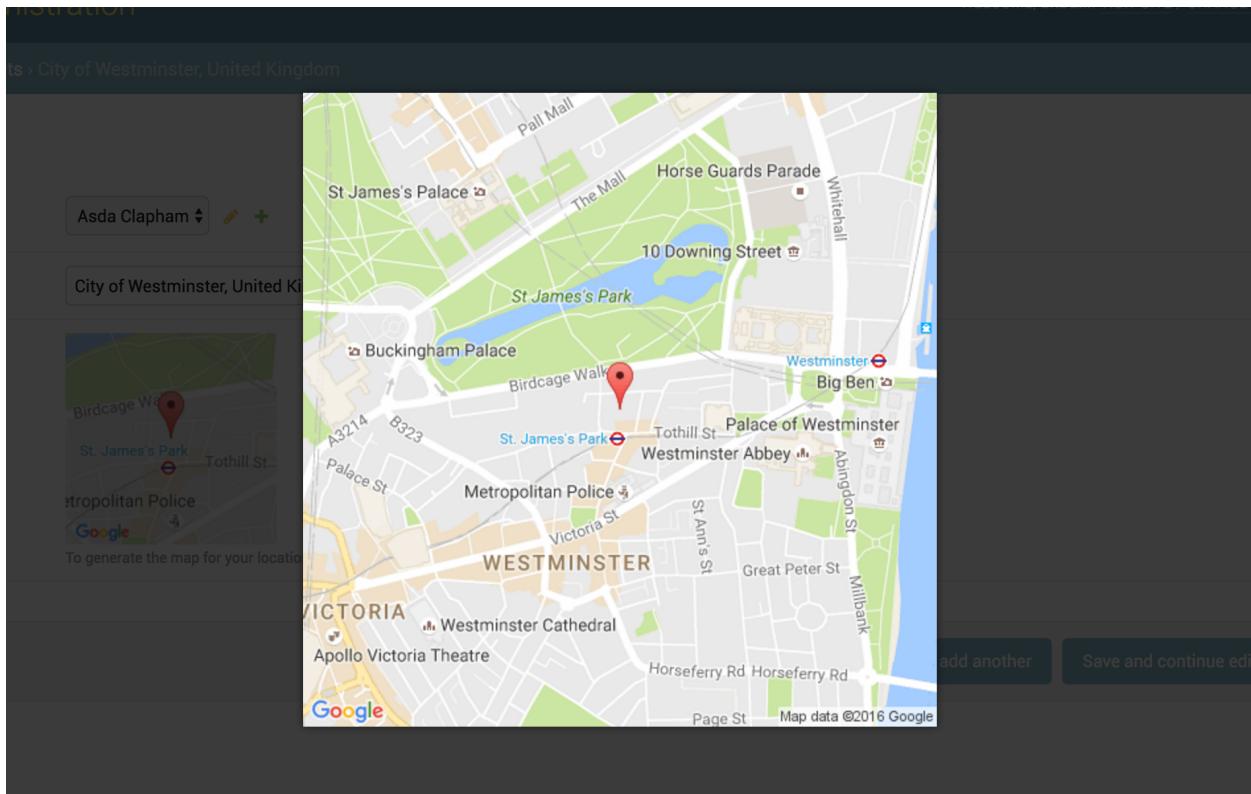
```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GoogleStaticMapWidget

class CityDetailForm(forms.ModelForm):

    class Meta:
        model = City
        fields = ("name", "coordinates", "city_hall")
        widgets = {
            'coordinates': GoogleStaticMapWidget,
            'city_hall': GoogleStaticMapWidget(zoom=12, size="240x240"),
        }
```

Google Map Static Overlay Widget

Preview



This widget is working with [Magnific Popup](#) jQuery plugin.

Usage

You can use also all static map features in this widget. Besides you can give a thumbnail_size value.

Here is the all default settings attribute for google static overlay map widget.

```
MAP_WIDGETS = {
    "GoogleStaticMapMarkerSettings": (
        ("size", "normal"),
        ("color", ""),
        ("icon", ""),
    ),

    "GoogleStaticOverlayMapWidget": (
        ("zoom", 15),
        ("size", "480x480"),
        ("thumbnail_size", "160x160"),
        ("scale", ""),
        ("format", ""),
        ("maptype", ""),
        ("path", ""),
        ("visible", ""),
        ("style", ""),
        ("language", ""),
        ("region", "")
    ),
}
```

```
"GOOGLE_MAP_API_SIGNATURE": "",  
"GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "",  
}
```

Settings

In your django settings.py file, add your MAP_WIDGETS config:

```
MAP_WIDGETS = {  
    "GoogleStaticMapWidget": (  
        ("zoom", 15),  
        ("size", "320x320"),  
    ),  
    "GoogleStaticMapMarkerSettings": (  
        ("color", "green"),  
    )  
    "GOOGLE_MAP_API_KEY": "<google-map-api-key>"  
}
```

Django Admin

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GoogleStaticMapWidget  
  
class CityAdmin(admin.ModelAdmin):  
    formfield_overrides = {  
        models.PointField: {"widget": GoogleStaticMapWidget}  
    }
```

Django Forms

```
from mapwidgets.widgets import GoogleStaticMapWidget  
  
class CityDetailForm(forms.ModelForm):  
  
    class Meta:  
        model = City  
        fields = ("name", "coordinates", "city_hall")  
        widgets = {  
            'coordinates': GoogleStaticMapWidget,  
            'city_hall': GoogleStaticMapWidget(zoom=12, size="240x240"),  
        }
```

Release Notes

Django map widgets 0.1.8 release notes

- Full documentation integrated to readthedocs.org.
- Fixed Google Map static widget issues.
- Added Russian localization support.
- Added Google Places Autocomplete options support.
- Fixed CSS issues.

CHAPTER 2

Indices and tables

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