
django-nano Documentation

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Does less!

This is a set of nano-size tools and apps for Django 1.4 and later.

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CHAPTER 1

Installation

Thanks for downloading django-nano.

Install via - unpacking and running 'python setup.py install' - pip install django-nano - easy_install django-nano

These tools and applications require Python 2.6 or later, and Django 1.3 or later. You can obtain Python from <http://www.python.org/> and Django from <http://www.djangoproject.com/>.

This version will run on Django 1.3 if you rewrite the templates (search for `{% url ' '}` and Django 1.4 and newer otherwise.

2.1 Common for all apps

Append `nano.<subapp>` to your `INSTALLED_APPS`, where `subapp` is any of the tools listed above except `tools`.

Check the docs for the apps themselves for anything app-specific.

2.2 Specific apps

2.2.1 activation

A place to store activation-codes for e.g. authentication

```
nano.activation.baseNgenerator (base=10, keylength=5, step=1)  
    Generate keys of base <base> and length <keylength>
```

```
nano.activation.generate_keys (generator, amount=50)  
    Generate <amount> keys with <generator>
```

```
nano.activation.to_base (num, base, numerals='0123456789abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxy')  
    Convert <num> to <base> using the symbols in <numerals>
```

Models

2.2.2 badge

User-badges worth certain points ala. StackOverflow

```
nano.badge.add_badge (badge, model)  
    Put a badge on a model
```

`nano.badge.batchbadge` (*badge, queryset*)

Put a badge on all models that do not already have the badge

Models

2.2.3 blog

A very basic blog-app.

It has optional support for *django-taggit*.

Models

Tools

Changes to settings

NANO_BLOG_USE_TAGS (optional) Set to True to use *django-taggit* if it is installed.

Default: Not set

NANO_BLOG_SPECIAL_TAGS (optional) A list of tags that may be treated specially.

Default: ('pinned',)

2.2.4 chunk

A chunk is a template that is stored in the database.

It has a unique name, the `slug`, and some `content`, which is whatever you'd put in an ordinary template.

You use it by setting the `template_name` to the slug of the chunk, or by `{% include %}`-ing it directly.

If the chunk uses non-builtin template tags, remember to `{% load %}` the template tag library in the chunk.

There's a model and a template loader:

Models

Chunks can be created, updated and deleted via the django admin.

Changes to settings

Add `'nano.chunk.loader.Loader'` to `TEMPLATE_LOADERS`.

2.2.5 comments

Unmoderated comments for logged-in users.

Models

Views

Forms

Changes to settings

COMMENT_MAX_LENGTH (optional)

Default: 3000

2.2.6 countries

Drop-in, nanofied replacement for <https://code.google.com/p/django-countries/> .

To use: import from `nano.countries` instead of `countries`. The primary key is the two-letter iso country code, `name` and `printable_name` points to the same thing: what was known as `printable_name` in `django-countries`.

There is an admin, there are no template tags, views, forms or fields.

Models

2.2.7 faq

Just about as simple a FAQ as is possible

Models

2.2.8 privmsg

Private messages with separate archives for sent and received

Models

2.2.9 tools

Utility-functions used by some of the other apps.

exception `nano.tools.SiteProfileNotAvailable`

`nano.tools.asciify` (*string*)

Convert unicode string to ascii, normalizing with NFKD

Strips away all non-ascii symbols

`nano.tools.grouper` (*n, iterable, fillvalue=None*)

`grouper(3, 'ABCDEFGF', 'x') -> ABC DEF Gxx`

Models

Tree

Denormalized text-field

Model with one generic foreign key

Template tags

Either import the tags into some other templatetags-library. or add 'nano.tools' to INSTALLED_APPS.

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.come_back(context)`

Turn current url path into a query-part for use in urls

With default template:

If the path is stored in the context as /foo/bar, tag returns '?next=/foo/bar'

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.endswith(value, arg)`

Usage {% if valuelendswith:"arg" %}

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.fraction(text, arg=1)`

Get fractional part of float, pad with zeroes until <arg> length

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.integer(text)`

Get integer-part of float

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.nbr(*args, **kwargs)`

Replace whitespace with non-breaking-space

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.partition(iterable, cols=4)`

Split an iterable into columns

`nano.tools.templatetags.nano_tags.startswith(value, arg)`

Usage {% if valuestartswith:"arg" %}

2.2.10 user

Doesn't have any models so just hook up the views in an urls.py:

exception `nano.user.views.NanoUserError`

exception `nano.user.views.NanoUserExistsError`

- `signup()`
- `password_change()`
- `password_reset()`

Changes to settings

NANO_USER_EMAIL_SENDER The From:-address on a password-reset email. If unset, no email is sent.

Default: Not set

NANO_USER_TEST_USERS Special-cased usernames for live testing.

Default: ()

NANO_USER_BLOG_TEMPLATE Template used for auto-blogging new users.

Default: `blog/new_user.html`

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