
django-best-templatetags **Documentation**

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Best tags and filters for Django templates

CHAPTER 1

Installation

Install with pip:

```
pip install best_templatetags
```

Then declare the app in your settings.py

```
INSTALLED_APPS = [  
    ...  
    'best_templatetags',  
]
```

To use the filters, add in your template:

```
{% load best_filters %}
```

To use the tags, add in your template:

```
{% load best_tags %}
```


CHAPTER 2

Filters

<i>age</i>	give the age in year
<i>basename</i>	give the basename of the path
<i>dirname</i>	give the directory name of the path
<i>divide</i>	Divide by a value
<i>get_key</i>	Give access to a dict value with a key contained in a var
<i>listsort</i>	Sort a list or a list of lists/tuples
<i>listsortreversed</i>	Sort a list or a list of lists/tuples in reversed order
<i>multiply</i>	Multiply by a value
<i>replace</i>	Replace a substring
<i>resub</i>	regex substitute a substring
<i>sanitizetags</i>	Remove all tags that is not in the allowed list
<i>truncat</i>	truncate the string at the specified pattern

2.1 best_filters.age

`best_filters.age(bday, ref_date=None)`

give the age in year

Argument is optionnal. If not set, the reference day is today

Example

```
>>> c = {'user_birthdate':datetime(2006,11,9),
...      'mytoday' : datetime(2018,1,21) }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ user_birthdate|age:mytoday }} years old'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'11 years old'
```

2.2 best_filters.basename

`best_filters.basename(str)`

give the basename of the path

It uses `os.path.basename()`

Example

```
>>> c = {'mypath': '/a/b/c/myfile.extension'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mypath|basename }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'myfile.extension'
```

2.3 best_filters.dirname

`best_filters.dirname(str)`

give the directory name of the path

It uses `os.path.dirname()`

Example

```
>>> c = {'mypath': '/a/b/c/myfile.extension'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mypath|dirname }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'/a/b/c'
```

2.4 best_filters.divide

`best_filters.divide(val, arg)`

Divide by a value

Examples

```
>>> c = {'myval': 50}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ myval|divide:2|floatformat:0 }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'25'
```

```
>>> c = {'mystr': 100}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mystr|divide:3|floatformat:2 }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'33.33'
```

2.5 best_filters.get_key

`best_filters.get_key(object, attr)`

Give access to a dict value with a key contained in a var

Example :

```
>>> c = {'countries': {'FR': 'France', 'US': 'United States'},
...      'country': 'FR'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}Country:{{ countries|get_key:country }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'Country:France'
```

2.6 best_filters.listsort

`best_filters.listsort(lst, col=None)`

Sort a list or a list of lists/tuples

If no argument is given, the list is sorted like python does by default. If an argument is given (int), the filter is expecting a list of lists/tuples and will sort following the column 'col' order

Examples :

```
>>> c = { 'lst': ['a', 'c', 'b'] }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}
... sorted : {% for i in lst|listsort %}{{i}}{% endfor %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'\nsorted : abc'
```

```
>>> c = { 'lst': [('a', 3), ('c', 1), ('b', 2)] }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}
... sorted : {% for i in lst|listsort:1 %}{{i|safe}}{% endfor %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
"\nsorted : ('c', 1) ('b', 2) ('a', 3) "
```

2.7 best_filters.listsortreversed

`best_filters.listsortreversed(lst, col=None)`

Sort a list or a list of lists/tuples in reversed order

Same as `listsort()` except that is reverse the order

Examples :

```
>>> c = { 'lst': ['a', 'c', 'b'] }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}
... sorted : {% for i in lst|listsortreversed %}{{i}}{% endfor %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'\nsorted : cba'
```

```
>>> c = { 'lst': [('a', 3), ('b', 1), ('c', 2)] }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}
... sorted : {% for i in lst|listsortreversed:1 %}{{i|safe}}{% endfor %}'
```

```
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
"\nsorted : ('a', 3) ('c', 2) ('b', 1) "
```

2.8 best_filters.multiply

`best_filters.multiply(val, arg)`
Multiply by a value

Examples

```
>>> c = {'myval':50}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ myval|multiply:1024 }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'51200'
```

```
>>> c = {'mystr':'*'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mystr|multiply:8 }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'*****'
```

2.9 best_filters.replace

`best_filters.replace(str, arg)`
Replace a substring

The replacement syntax is : <chosen separator><string to replace><separator><replacement string>

Examples

```
>>> c = {'mystr':'hello world'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mystr|replace:"/world/eric" }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'hello eric'
```

```
>>> c = {'mypath':'/home/theuser/projects'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mypath|replace:"/home,/Users" }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'/Users/theuser/projects'
```

2.10 best_filters.resub

`best_filters.resub(str, arg)`
regex substitute a substring

The substitution syntax is : <chosen separator><regex pattern to search><separator><replacement string>

Examples

```
>>> c = {'mystr':'hello world'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ mystr|resub:"/ .* / eric" }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'hello eric'
```

```
>>> c = {'mypath':'/home/theuser/projects'}
>>> t = r'''{% load best_filters %}
... {{ mypath|resub:"/,home/([^\/]*)/projects,login=\1" }}'''
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'\nlogin=theuser'
```

2.11 best_filters.sanitizetags

`best_filters.sanitizetags` (*value*, *allowed_tags=None*)

Remove all tags that is not in the allowed list

Argument should be in form ‘tag1:attr1:attr2 tag2:attr1 tag3’, where tags are allowed HTML tags, and attrs are the allowed attributes for that tag.

In the example above, it means accepted tags are : <tag1 attr1=”...” attr2=”...”> and <tag2 attr1=”...”> and <tag3> All other HTML tags an attributes will be removed.

for example <tag2 attr1=”...” attr3=”...”> <tag4 ...> will be replaced by just <tag2 attr1=”...”>

The filter also unconditionnaly removes attributes having values starting with ‘javascript:’ to avoid malicious code.

If No argument is given, the filter will look for SANITIZETAGS_ALLOWED in settings or will use this default value: ‘a:href:name b u p i h1 h2 h3 hr img:src table tr td th code’

Notes

- The output is marked as a safe string.
- If the HTML given has not a correct syntax, an error html message is displayed instead of the original value.
- Only tags are sanitized, not the text in between

Examples

```
>>> c = {'comment':'<a href="x" name="y" id="z"></a> <b></b> <u></u>
... <p></p> <i></i> <h1></h1> <h2></h2> <h3></h3> <hr>
...  <table></table> <tr></tr> <td></td> <th></th>
... <code></code> <unkown_tag></unknown_tag> <div></div>'''}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ comment|sanitizetags}}'
>>> print(Template(t).render(Context(c)))
<a href="x" name="y"></a> <b></b> <u></u>
<p></p> <i></i> <h1></h1> <h2></h2> <h3></h3> <hr/>
 <table></table> <tr></tr> <td></td> <th></th>
<code></code>
```

```
>>> c = {'comment': 'My comment <b>with</b> <a href="spam">ads</a>'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ comment|sanitizetags:"B u i"}}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'My comment <b>with</b> ads'
```

```
>>> c = {'comment':
... ' <i>Go</i> <a badattrib="xx" href="google.com">here</a>' }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ comment|sanitizetags:"a:href"}}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'Go <a href="google.com">here</a>'
```

```
>>> c = {'comment': '<b><i><u>nested tags</u></i></u>' }
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ comment|sanitizetags:"b u"}}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'<b><u>nested tags</u></b>'
```

```
>>> c = {'comment': "'<a href='javascript:hack_me();' name='iambad'>
... <a href='http://google.com' name='iamgood'>'"}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ comment|sanitizetags:"a:href:name"}}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'<a name="iambad">\n<a href="http://google.com" name="iamgood"></a></a>'
```

2.12 best_filters.truncat

`best_filters.truncat` (*str*, *pattern*)
truncate the string at the specified pattern

Useful with filters `timesince` and `timeuntil` `pattern` is a regex expression string Do not forget to escape the dot (.) if it the char you want to search

Examples

```
>>> c = {'str': 'abc...xyz'}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}{{ str|truncat:"\." }}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'abc'
```

```
>>> c = {'t1': datetime(1789, 7, 14), 't2': datetime(2018, 1, 21)}
>>> t = '{% load best_filters %}
... timesince with 2 terms : {{ t1|timesince:t2 }}
... timesince with 1 term : {{ t1|timesince:t2|truncat:", " }}'
>>> print(Template(t).render(Context(c)))
```

```
timesince with 2 terms : 228 years, 6 months
timesince with 1 term : 228 years
```

<code>extend_url</code>	Update url parameters
<code>hash</code>	Return a hexadecimal md5 digest of a string
<code>render_template</code>	Render a string as it was a Django template
<code>update_url</code>	Update url parameters

3.1 `best_tags.extend_url`

`best_tags.extend_url(url, **kwargs)`

Update url parameters

- Not existing parameters are added
- Existing parameters are extended
- parameters with “`__del__`” value are deleted

Note: It takes care to not have duplicate values for a same parameter. The values taken from the tag parameters are converted to string.

Examples

```
>>> c = {'myurl': 'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% extend_url myurl d=1 e=3 f=4 %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=2&e=3&f=4'
```

```
>>> c = {'myurl': '?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% extend_url myurl e=3 f=4 %}'
```

```
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'?d=1&e=2&e=3&f=4'
```

```
>>> c = {'myurl': 'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% extend_url myurl d="__del__" e=3 %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'http://a.com/b/c.html?e=2&e=3'
```

3.2 best_tags.hash

`best_tags.hash` (*algorithm*, *str*)

Return a hexadecimal md5 digest of a string

First argument is a string giving the hash algorithm, for example: “md5”, “sha1” ... Second argument is the string or variable to hash

Note: string are encoded to utf-8 prior calculating the hash

Example

```
>>> c = {'title': 'My wonderful document title'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% hash "md5" title %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'3ddb7936634a6a47f978376674dea31'
```

3.3 best_tags.render_template

`best_tags.render_template` (*value*)

Render a string as it was a Django template

It will use the same context as the outer template.

Example

```
>>> c = {'mytemplate': 'my value = {{myvar}}',
...      'myvar': 'myvalue'}
>>> t = '''{% load best_tags %}My template : {{ mytemplate }}
... with myvar = {{myvar}}
... My template rendered : {% render_template mytemplate %}'''
>>> print(Template(t).render(Context(c)))
My template : my value = {{myvar}}
with myvar = myvalue
My template rendered : my value = myvalue
```


3.4 best_tags.update_url

`best_tags.update_url(url, **kwargs)`

Update url parameters

- Not existing parameters are added
- Existing parameters are replaced
- parameters with “__del__” value are deleted

Examples

```
>>> c = {'myurl': 'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% update_url myurl e=3 f=4 %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=3&f=4'
```

```
>>> c = {'myurl': '?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% update_url myurl e=3 f=4 %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'?d=1&e=3&f=4'
```

```
>>> c = {'myurl': 'http://a.com/b/c.html?d=1&e=2'}
>>> t = '{% load best_tags %}{% update_url myurl d="__del__" f=4 %}'
>>> Template(t).render(Context(c))
'http://a.com/b/c.html?e=2&f=4'
```


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