# Templates preferences

Use the **Templates** preference panel to manipulate any of the common code templates predefined within CDT or create your own. To modify, delete, export, import, or create your own templates click **Window > Preferences > C/C++ > Templates**.

**Templates Preference Options**

| New... | Opens the **New Template** dialog to create a new code template. |
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| Edit... | Opens the **Edit Template** dialog to edit the selected code template. |
| Remove | Removes the selected code templates from the list. |
| Restore Removed | Restores templates deleted by the last Remove action. |
| Revert to Default | Removes the last edits made to the selected template restoring it to it's unmodified state. |
| Import... | Imports a code template. |
| Export... | Exports the selected code templates. |
| Use code formatter | Enable to apply the currently selected code style to the code template. |



[Coding aids](http://docs.google.com/concepts/cdt_o_code_entry.htm)



[Customizing the C/C++ editor](http://docs.google.com/tasks/cdt_t_cust_cpp_editor.htm)

[Working with Content Assist](http://docs.google.com/tasks/cdt_o_con_assist.htm)



[C/C++ editor preferences](http://docs.google.com/cdt_o_ceditor_pref.htm)

