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Scripted dashboards

Warning: This feature is deprecated and will be removed in a future release.

If you have lots of metric names that change (new servers etc) in a defined pattern it is irritating to constantly have to create new dashboards.

With scripted dashboards you can dynamically create your dashboards using javascript. In the Grafana install folder under `public/dashboards/` there is a file named `scripted.js`. This file contains an example of a scripted dashboard. You can access it by using the URL: `http://grafana_url/dashboard/script/scripted.js?rows=3&name=myName`

If you open `scripted.js` you can see how it reads URL parameters from `ARGS` variable and then adds rows and panels.

Example

```
var seriesName = 'argName';  
  
if (!_.isUndefined(ARGS.name)) {  
    seriesName = ARGS.name;  
}  
  
dashboard.panels.push({  
    title: 'Events',  
    type: 'graph',  
    fill: 1,  
    linewidth: 2,  
    gridPos: {  
        h: 10,  
        w: 24,  
        x: 0,  
        y: 10,  
    },  
    targets: [  
        {  
            target: "randomWalk('" + seriesName + "')",  
        },  
        {  
            target: "randomWalk('random walk2')",  
        },  
    ],  
});  
  
return dashboard;
```

More examples

You can find more examples in `public/dashboards/` directory of your Grafana installation.