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GitHub limitations

This cheatsheet contains small part of Asciidoc markup which works and looks fine on GitHub. There is also [full cheatsheet](#), but for now it's main use is to show bugs, design issues, GitHub limitations and other differences from [how Asciidoc cheatsheet should really looks like](#).

You can try these browser add-ons to fix some issues:

- [UserJS for GitHub: fix Asciidoc rendering](#)
- [UserCSS for GitHub: compact Markdown/Asciidoc lists](#)

Note	This is copy of https://github.com/powerman/asciidoc-cheatsheet to see limitations of GitHub Gist. Here is current list:
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- Gist must have a file name with one of asciidoc's extensions.
- Document title is not rendered without `:showtitle:` attribute.
- "Table of Contents" contains extra bullets, which makes more than 1 level toc too ugly.
- Link in "Table of Contents" doesn't work because generated links start with extra `_`.
- No syntax highlight for `[source]`.
- Custom anchors doesn't work.
- Relative/absolute links works in different way.

Attributes

```
// Header of this document:
```

```
AsciiDoc cheatsheet for GitHub
```

```
=====
```

```
:toc:
:toc-placement: preamble
:toclevels: 1
:showtitle:
:Some attr: Some value
```

```
// Need some preamble to get TOC:
{empty}
```

Some attr's value is {someattr}.

Escaped: \{someattr} and +++{someattr}+++.

Some attr's value is Some value. Escaped: {someattr} and {someattr}.

Headers

```
== Level 1
Text.
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=== Level 2
Text.
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Level 1

Text.

==== Level 3
Text.

===== Level 4
Text.

Level 2

Text.

Level 3

Text.

Level 4

Text.

Paragraphs

<p>.Optional Title Usual paragraph.</p> <p>Second paragraph.</p>	<p>Optional Title Usual paragraph.</p> <p>Second paragraph.</p>		
<p>.Optional Title</p> <p>Literal paragraph. Must be indented.</p>	<p>Optional Title</p> <p>Literal paragraph. Must be indented.</p>		
<p>.Optional Title [source,perl] die 'connect: '.\$dbh->errstr;</p> <p>Not a code in next paragraph.</p>	<p>Optional Title</p> <p>die 'connect: '.\$dbh->errstr;</p> <p>Not a code in next paragraph.</p>		
<p>.Optional Title NOTE: This is an example single-paragraph note.</p>	<table><tr><td>Note</td><td>Optional Title This is an example single-para</td></tr></table>	Note	Optional Title This is an example single-para
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<p>.Optional Title [NOTE]</p>	<table><tr><td>Note</td><td>Optional Title This is an example single-para</td></tr></table>	Note	Optional Title This is an example single-para
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This is an example
single-paragraph note.

TIP: Some tip text.

IMPORTANT: Some important text.

WARNING: Some warning text.

CAUTION: Some caution text.

Tip

Some tip text.

Important

Some important text.

Warning

Some warning text.

Caution

Some caution text.

Blocks

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Listing Block

Use: code or file listings

Optional Title

Listing Block

Use: code or file lis

.Optional Title

[source,perl]

Source block

Use: highlight code listings

use DBI;

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my $dbh = DBI->connect('...', $u, $p)
    or die "connect: $dbh->errstr";
```

Optional Title

Source block

Use: highlight code

use DBI;

```
my $dbh = DBI->connec
    or die "connect:
```

.Optional Title

[NOTE]

=====

NOTE Block

Note

Optional Title
NOTE Block

Use: multi-para

Use: multi-paragraph notes.
====

.Optional Title
[quote, cite author, cite source]

Quote Block

Use: cite somebody

Optional Title
Quote Block

Use: cite somebody

— cite author
cite source

////
Comment block

Use: hide comments
////

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Passthrough Block
<p>
Use: GitHub-restricted subset of HTML markup
<table border="1">
<tr><td>1</td><td>2</td></tr>
</table>
++++

Passthrough Block
Use: [GitHub-restricted](#) sul
markup

1	2
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.Optional Title
....
Literal Block

Use: workaround when literal
paragraph (indented) like
 1. First.
 2. Second.
incorrectly processed as list.
....

Optional Title

Literal Block





Use: workaround when
paragraph (indented)
 1. First.
 2. Second.
incorrectly processed

Text

<pre>forced + line break</pre>	<pre>forced line break</pre>
<pre>normal, 'italic', _italic_, *bold*. +mono *bold*+, `mono pass thru *bold*` ``double quoted'', `single quoted'. normal, ^super^, ~sub~.</pre>	<pre>normal, <i>italic</i>, <i>italic</i>, bold. mono bold , mono pass thru *bold* “double quoted”, ‘single quoted’. normal, ^{super}, _{sub}.</pre>
<pre>Chars: n__i__**b***+m++n</pre>	<pre>Chars: n/b m n</pre>
<pre>// Comment</pre>	
<pre>(C) (R) (TM) -- ... -> <- => <= &#182;</pre>	<pre>© ® ™ — ... → ← ⇒ ⇐ ¶</pre>
<pre>....</pre>	
<pre>Escaped: _italic_, +++_italic_+++, t_e_st, +++t_e_st+++, \&#182;</pre>	<pre>Escaped: _italic_, _italic_, t_e_st, t_e_st, &#182;</pre>

Macros: links, images

If you'll need to use space in url/path you should replace it with %20.

<pre>[[anchor-1]] Paragraph or block 1. <<anchor-1>>, <<anchor-1,First anchor>>, xref:anchor-1[], xref:anchor-1[First anchor].</pre>	Paragraph or block 1. [anchor-1] , First anchor , [anchor-1] , First anchor
<pre>link:README.adoc[This document] link:/README.adoc[]</pre>	This document /README.adoc
<pre>http://google.com http://google.com[Google Search] mailto:root@localhost[email admin]</pre>	http://google.c Google Search email admin
<pre>// Use attribute to shorten urls :repo: https://github.com/powerman/asciidoc-cheatsheet :img: {repo}/raw/master/images First home image:{img}/icons/home.png[] , second home image:{img}/icons/home.png[Alt text] . .Block image image::{img}/icons/home.png[] image::{img}/icons/home.png[Alt text] .Thumbnail linked to full image image:{img}/font/640-screen2.gif["My screenshot",width=128, link="{img}/font/640-screen2.gif"]</pre>	First home  home , second home  Alt text  home Figure 1. Block image  Alt text Thumbnail link to full image

Lists

<pre>.Bulleted * bullet</pre>	<p>Bulleted</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">bullet
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  *** bullet
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- Bulleted 2
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.Ordered
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. number
.. lower roman
.. lower roman
. number
.. lower roman
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- Ordered
1. number
 2. number
 - a. lower roman


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.. lower roman
... lower alpha
... lower alpha
.... lower alpha
.... lower alpha
..... lower alpha
..... lower alpha
.... lower alpha
... lower alpha
.. lower roman
. number
```

```
b. lower roman

3. number

a. lower roman

b. lower roman

    i. lower alpha

    ii. lower alpha

        a. lower alpha

        b. lower alpha

            i. lower alpha

            ii. lower alpha

                c. lower alpha

                iii. lower alpha

                    c. lower roman

4. number
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.Ordered 2
a. lower alpha
b. lower alpha
    .. lower roman
    .. lower roman
        . lower alpha
        . lower alpha
            1. lower alpha
            2. lower alpha
            3. lower alpha
            4. lower alpha
        . lower alpha
    .. lower roman
c. lower alpha
```

```
Ordered 2

1. lower alpha

2. lower alpha

    a. lower roman

    b. lower roman

        1. lower alpha

        2. lower alpha

            1. lower alpha

            2. lower alpha

            3. lower alpha

            4. lower alpha
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	<div>3. lower alpha</div> <div>c. lower roman</div> <div>3. lower alpha</div>
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Term 2	Definition 2								
Term 3	Definition 3								
Term 4	Definition 4								
<pre>[qanda] .Q&A Question 1:: Answer 1 Question 2:: Answer 2</pre>	<p>Q&A</p> <p>1. <i>Question 1</i></p> <p>Answer 1</p> <p>2. <i>Question 2</i></p> <p>Answer 2</p>								
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b. lower alpha

2. number

Tables

<pre>.An example table [options="header,footer"] ===== Col 1 Col 2 Col 3 1 Item 1 a 2 Item 2 b 3 Item 3 c 6 Three items d =====</pre>	<div>Table 1. An example table</div> <table><tr><th>Col 1</th><th>Col 2</th><th>Col 3</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>Item 1</td><td>a</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>Item 2</td><td>b</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>Item 3</td><td>c</td></tr><tr><td>6</td><td>Three items</td><td>d</td></tr></table>	Col 1	Col 2	Col 3	1	Item 1	a	2	Item 2	b	3	Item 3	c	6	Three items	d
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2	Item 2	b														
3	Item 3	c														
6	Three items	d														
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<pre>[format="csv"] [options="header",cols=", ,s, ,m"] ===== ID,FName,LName,Address,Phone 1,Vasya,Pupkin,London,+123 2,X,Y,"A,B",45678 =====</pre>	<table><tr><th>ID</th><th>FName</th><th>LName</th><th>Address</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>Vasya</td><td>Pupkin</td><td>Lond</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>X</td><td>Y</td><td>A,B</td></tr></table>	ID	FName	LName	Address	1	Vasya	Pupkin	Lond	2	X	Y	A,B			
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2	X	Y	A,B													
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|22-Aug-08 .2+^.^|10:24 | 157 |
Worked out MSHR (max sustainable
heart rate) by going hard
for this interval.

|22-Aug-08 | 152 |
Back-to-back with previous interval.

|24-Aug-08 3+^|none

|=====
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Date	Duration	Avg h
22-Aug-08	10:24	157
22-Aug-08		152
24-Aug-08	none	

frostbytt commented on 4 Aug

Does anyone else notice that you cannot escape the processing of www.example.com? I've tried ++ and \ and Github seems to always link it. Ideas?

powerman commented on 5 Aug

At a glance only code-like formatting works, e.g. ``www.example.com`` or

```
....
www.example.com
....
```