OpenTBS demo

Hello **[onshow.yourname]**,

This is a demo of the OpenTBS plugin.  
The current document has been generated at [onshow..now;frm='yyyy-mm-dd hh:nn:ss']  
PHP version: [onshow..cst.PHP\_VERSION]  
TBS version: [onshow..version]

You may consider this before building your own Microsoft Word template:

* Some revision formats, spelling errors and grammar errors may split the inner XML source of TBS tags in the template. Such split tags are quite often not recognized by OpenTBS. You can clean-up a split tag by select it, then cut, and then do a « paste without formatting ». You can also clean-up split tags using the OpenTBS add-in for Ms Word given with the OpenTBS package.
* Since OpenTBS version 1.5.0, there is no need to deactivate Spell Checking and Change Tracking ids in the Microsoft Word options. Those features used to deconstruct TBS fields, but now OpenTBS automatically cleans up for you such tags in the XML source of the Ms Word template.
* Comments, footnotes and endnotes of your Ms Word documents are stored in separated sub-files in the DOCX archive. Thus, you need to manually load the corresponding sub-files in order to merge possible TBS fields placed inside those types of contents.
* Headers and footers are saved in separated sub-files too. But OpenTBS automatically load those files for you, and thus “onload” and “onswhow” tags are automatically merged in headers and footers. For other merging in headers and footers you have to use command OPENTBS\_SELECT\_HEADER.

## Merge data with a Chart

**Merge data with a table**

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Rank** | **First Name** | **Name** | **Membership number** |
| [a.rank] [a.rank;ope=mergecell] | [a.firstname;block=tbs:row] | [a.name] | [a.number] |

## Merge data in colmuns

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Category** | **[c.date]** |
| Thin | [c.thin;block=tbs:cell;parallel=tbs:table] |
| Heavy | [c.heavy] |
| **Total** | **[c.total]** |

## Merge or delete bullets and numberings

### Numbered titles

* 1. This title is kept
  2. This one will be deleted [onload;block=tbs:p;when [var.x\_delete]=0]
  3. But numbering will be automatically arranged by Ms Word
  4. As you can see

### Bullets

* This bullet is kept
* This one will be deleted [onload;block=tbs:p;when [var.x\_delete]=0]
* As you can see

## Merge or delete a part of the text

As you can see, this part of the text contains three paragraphs, including the title.

So you can delete the part using this: [onload;block=tbs:p+tbs:p+(tbs:p);when [var.x\_delete]=0].

## Delete a text box

This bloc will be deleted.  
[onload;block=mc:AlternateContent;when [var.x\_delete]=0]

## Delete comments

This text should have no comment.

## Merge data with pages

In the next page there is an example illustrating how to perform a merge with one page per record.

In this example, the first paragraph has a property giving a page break before. Therefore, the page-break is repeated for each record. It can also work if you insert a page-break (from ribbon “Insert”) instead of having it by the paragraph property.

The example also use a block defined with the alias “tbs:page”. This alias is given by OpenTBS and it helps to found the bounds of the page (or pages) according to the page-break defined in the paragraph properties or inserted manually.

If you try to merge one page per record without text before the first page, then make sure that the first paragraph has the property giving a page break before.

Hello [b.firstname;block=tbs:page] [b. name], your membership number is [b.number].



*The image is merged using a TBS field which is placed in the Description property of the image.*