



Wordpress for integrators



Child Theme

Why ?

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Accelerate Development time

A good way to start learning

Child theme files

Style declaration to create the child theme

Parent theme

Child theme

- style.css
- functions.php
- <template1>.php
- <template2>.php
- ...

```
/*
Theme Name: Twenty Fifteen Child
Theme URI: http://example.com/twenty-fifteen-child/
Description: Twenty Fifteen Child Theme
Author: John Doe
Author URI: http://example.com
Template: twentyfifteen
Version: 1.0.0
License: GNU General Public License v2 or later
License URI: http://www.gnu.org/licenses/gpl-2.0.html
Tags: light, dark, two-columns, right-sidebar,...
Text Domain: twenty-fifteen-child
*/
```

Files loading logic

style.css

Overwrite the parent style

(So if you want to inherit the parent's styles, you have to import parent's « style.css » via @import), or with a specific method in functions.php :

```
<?php
add_action( 'wp_enqueue_scripts', 'theme_enqueue_styles' );
function theme_enqueue_styles() {
    wp_enqueue_style( 'parent-style', get_template_directory_uri() . '/style.css' );
}
```

functions.php

Loaded just before the parents functions.php file

The parent theme **must** be prepared with this specific conditional declaration :

```
<?php
if(function_exists(<functionName>)):
    function <functionName>() {
        //code of the function here
    }
endif;
```

Overwrite theme templates

To overwrite a specific template file,
Just copy the file located in *the parent theme folder*
to the *child theme folder*.

Important : The folder hierarchy must be the same.

To include a file from a child theme

```
require_once( get_stylesheet_directory_uri(). '/my_included_file.php' );
```

To include a file from a parent theme

```
require_once( get_template_directory_uri(). '/my_included_file.php' );
```



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<https://developer.wordpress.org/themes/basics/template-hierarchy/>

<https://wphierarchy.com>



Blank Themes

Blank themes

"starter themes", "blank themes", "white themes"
or "empty themes"

Some themes to be customized (with the code)

roots.io : with the Sage theme(Bootstrap) or Bedrock (which is more like a framework)

underscores.me : HTML5 clean code, good semantic usage, clean CSS.

<http://jointswp.com> : kick start, based on the Foundation framework

bones : for a starter theme with a more polished design

<http://sixrevisions.com/wordpress/blank-wordpress-themes/>



Create your own theme

A theme =

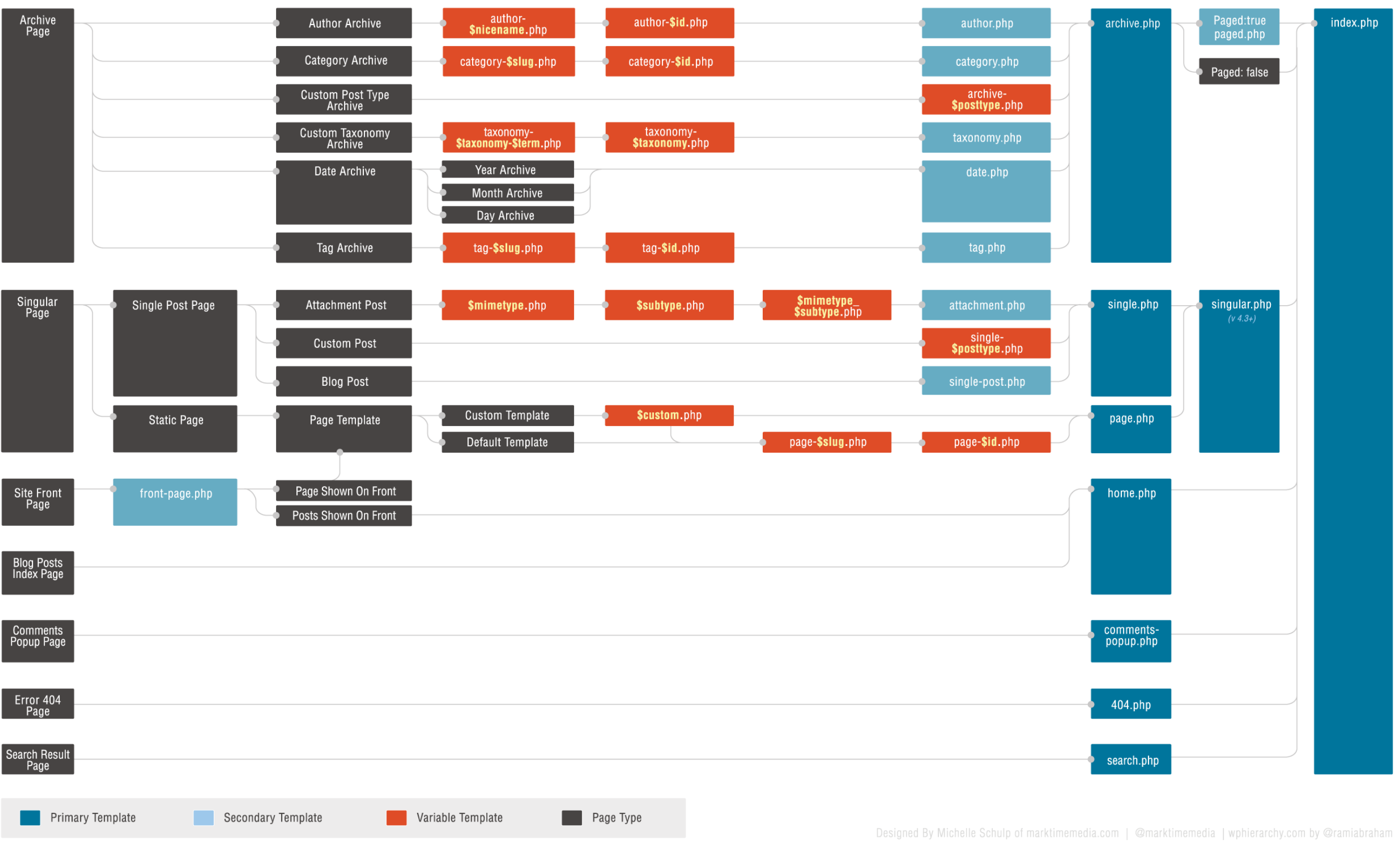
1 cascading Style Sheet **style.css**

1 screenshot (880×660) **Screenshot.png**

1 / more templates (minimum **index.php**)

1 (optional) file **functions.php**

The templates



<https://developer.wordpress.org/themes/basics/template-hierarchy/>

<https://wphierarchy.com>

Examples :

PAGE CALLED	URL	TEMPLATE IN USE
Accueil	blog.fr	home.php
Archive	blog.fr/2011 blog.fr/2011/12 blog.fr/2011/12/25	date.php
Catégorie	blog.fr/category/geek	category.php
Mot-clef	blog.fr/tag/iphone	tag.php
Résultat de recherche	blog.fr/?s=cadeau	search.php
Post	blog.fr/2011/12/25/un-iphone-pour-noel	single.php
Page	blog.fr/a-propos	page.php
404	blog.fr/fjeqoisjfmoqsijf	404.php

http://codex.wordpress.org/Site_Architecture_1.5

DRY

(Don't Repeat Yourself)

From Global to Specific

If `date.php`, `category.php` and `tag.php` are **the same**,
Use only the template `archive.php`.

-> maintainability and readability of the code

You can go further by using **only** `index.php` with some PHP conditions (conditional tags)

Includes

`header.php`: The head and header of the page include the doctype, the `<head>` tag, and the beginning of the `<body>` tag

`footer.php`: end of the page code, includes the page footer and the closing tags `</body>` and `</html>`

`sidebar.php`: some column that typically contains the search form and a widget area

`searchform.php`: The search form template

`comments.php`: Comments template, typically included in `single.php`

`loop.php`: the main loop used to display all type of contents (posts, pages..)

Conditional tags

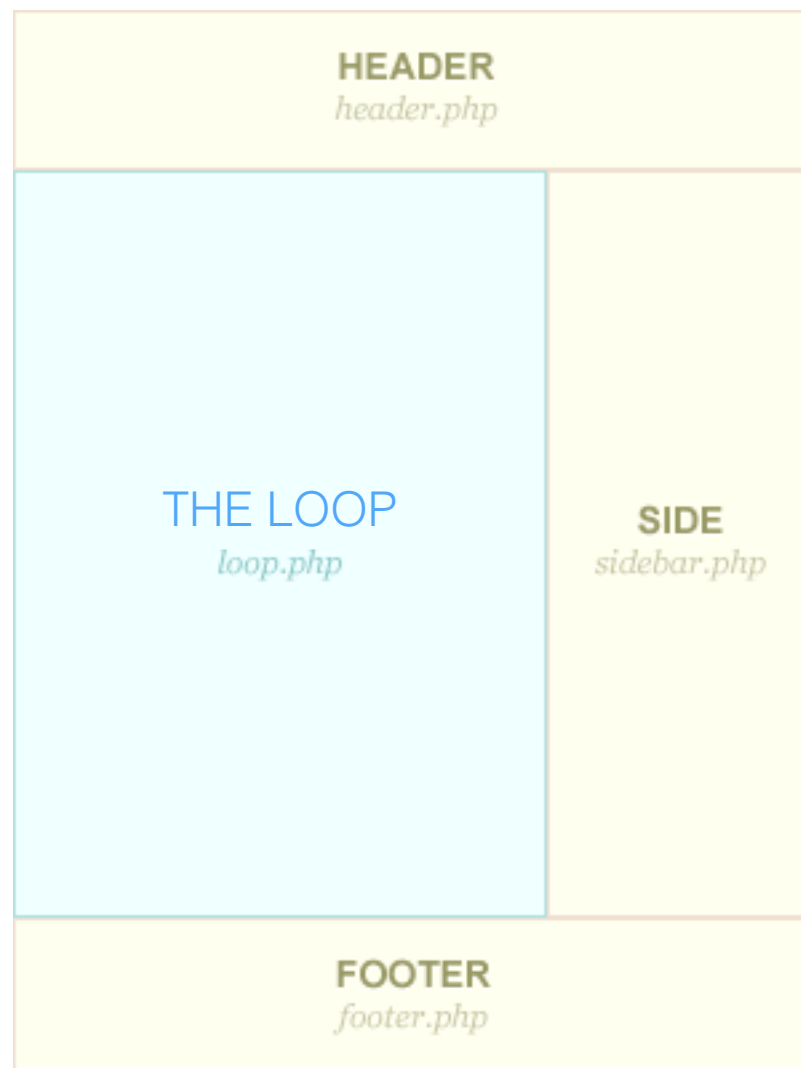
is_home()
is_archive()
is_tag()
is_category()
is_taxonomy()
is_date()
is_author()
is_preview()
in_the_loop()
is_plugin_active()
current_theme_supports()
...

```
<?php if (is_user_logged_in()) { ?>  
    <?php if (is_home()) { ?>  
        <p>Hello toi !</p>  
    <?php } ?>  
<?php } ?>
```

```
if ( is_home() || is_single() ) {  
    the_content();  
} else {  
    the_excerpt();  
}
```

https://codex.wordpress.org/Conditional_Tags

The loop



```
<?php if (have_posts()) : ?>  
    <!-- If there is Posts, Displays this part -->  
    <?php while (have_posts()) : the_post(); ?>  
        <!-- For each Post, displays something -->  
    <?php endwhile; ?>  
<?php else : ?>  
    <!-- If there is'nt any post... -->  
<?php endif; ?>
```

Template tags

```
the_title()  
the_ID()  
the_excerpt()  
the_content()  
the_thumbnail()  
the_category()  
the_tags()  
the_date()  
the_time()  
the_permalink()
```

Beware of the rendered code :

- the_title() and the_ID() returns some html **text**
- the_content() returns (a lot) of **HTML Code**
- the_thumbnail() returns an **** tag
- the_category() returns some **<a>** contained in **** (without ****)
- the_tags() returns a list of **<a>** tags

Parameters

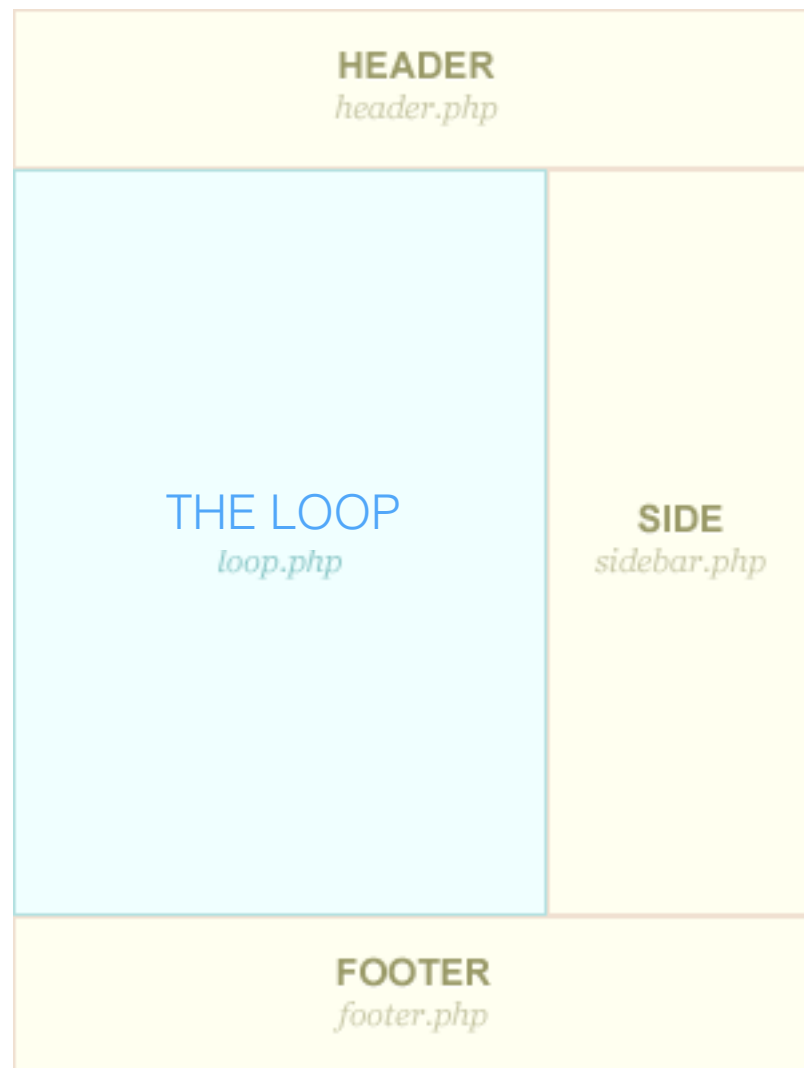
The big majority of these functions accepts **parameters**, some of them are mandatory.

Parameters are used to **modify** the generated HTML code.

For example, `the_thumbnail()` accepts as a parameter the dimensions of the featured **image** :

- thumbnail
- medium
- large
- full

4 includes, 1 template: `index.php`



```
<?php
get_header();
get_template_part('loop');
get_sidebar();
get_footer();
?>
```

Recognize the templates

category.php

```
<?php get_header(); ?>
<div class="main">
    <h1>Catégorie : <?php single_cat_title(); ?></h1>
    <?php get_template_part('loop'); ?>
</div>
<?php get_sidebar(); ?>
<?php get_footer(); ?>
```

Navigate through the pages

```
<?php posts_nav_link('separator','prelabel','nextlabel'); ?>
```

```
<div class=« navigation">  
<p><?php posts_nav_link('∞','Plus récents','Plus anciens'); ?></p>  
</div>
```

https://codex.wordpress.org/Next_and_Previous_Links

Single post template

single.php

```
<?php get_header(); ?>
<div class="main single">
    <?php if (have_posts()) : ?>
        <?php while (have_posts()) : the_post(); ?>
            <div class="post">
                <h1 class="post-title"><?php the_title(); ?></h1>
                <p class="post-info">
                    Posté le <?php the_date(); ?> dans <?php the_category(', '); ?>
                    par <?php the_author(); ?>.
                </p>
                <div class="post-content">
                    <?php the_content(); ?>
                </div>
                <div class="post-comments">
                    <?php comments_template(); ?>
                </div>
            </div>
        <?php endwhile; ?>
    <?php endif; ?>
</div>
<?php get_sidebar(); ?>
<?php get_footer(); ?>
```

Single Page template

page.php

```
<?php get_header(); ?>
<div class="main_page">
  <?php if (have_posts()) : ?>
    <?php while (have_posts()) : the_post(); ?>
      <div class="post">
        <h1 class="post-title"><?php the_title(); ?></h1>
        <div class="post-content">
          <?php the_content(); ?>
        </div>
      </div>
    <?php endwhile; ?>
  <?php endif; ?>
</div>
<?php get_sidebar(); ?>
<?php get_footer(); ?>
```

Page named templates

Attributs de la page ▲

Parent

(pas de parent) ▼

Modèle

Modèle par défaut ▼

Ordre

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Besoin d'aide ? Utilisez l'onglet Aide présent dans le coin supérieur droit de votre écran.

```
<?php
/*
Template Name: Statistiques
*/
?>
```

Modèle

✓ Modèle par défaut

Statistiques

Ordre