Specialized Resource: Template Customization Reference

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Contents

Category 4 is your space for specialized, reference-style content. This example demonstrates how to create comprehensive resources that serve as go-to references for your audience.

What is Category 4?

Category 4 content serves as:

- **Reference Materials**: Comprehensive guides that users bookmark and return to

- **Technical Documentation**: In-depth explanations of complex topics

- **Resource Collections**: Curated lists, tools, and materials

- **Advanced Tutorials**: Step-by-step guides for experienced users

Template Customization Guide

This section provides advanced customization options for your library template.

Visual Customization

Your library supports both light and dark themes automatically. To customize colors:

1. **Edit CSS Variables**: Modify `src/styles/global.css`

2. **Brand Colors**: Update the `--link-color` variable for your brand

3. **Background Colors**: Adjust `--bg-color` and `--text-color` for themes

Content Organization

To add a new category:

1. Create a new directory in `content/`

2. Add markdown files with proper frontmatter

3. Update `src/data/library_content.json`

4. Add navigation links in `src/components/Navigation.astro`

Build System

The template uses `mdtexpdf` for PDF generation:

- **Command**: `make build-pdf`

- **Output**: `public/pdfs/`

- **Multi-format Support**: PDF, Audio, ePub, Web

Best Practices

1. **Consistent Frontmatter**: Use standardized metadata across all files

2. **SEO Optimization**: Include descriptive titles and descriptions

3. **Mobile Responsiveness**: Test on various devices

4. **Performance**: Optimize for fast page loads

This specialized resource demonstrates the depth and utility that Category 4 content can provide to your audience.

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