

# CamelCase

New words created by smashing together capitalized words.

CamelCase is the original wiki convention for creating hyperlinks, with the additional requirement that the capitals are followed by a lower-case letter; hence `?AlabamA?` and `?ABC?` will not be links.

## Customizing the Wiki behavior

Some people dislike linking by CamelCase. While Trac remains faithful to the original Wiki style, it provides a number of ways to accomodate users with different preferences:

- There's an option (`ignore_missing_pages` in the `[wiki]` section of TracIni) to simply ignore links to missing pages when the link is written using the CamelCase style, instead of that word being replaced by a gray link followed by a question mark.  
That can be useful when CamelCase style is used to name code artifacts like class names and there's no corresponding page for them.
- There's an option (`split_page_names` in the `[wiki]` section of TracIni) to automatically insert space characters between the words of a CamelCase link when rendering the link.
- Creation of explicit Wiki links is also easy, see WikiPageNames for details.
- In addition, Wiki formatting can be disabled completely in some places (e.g. when rendering commit log messages). See `wiki_format_messages` in the `[changeset]` section of TracIni.

See TracIni for more information on the available options.

## More information on CamelCase

- [?http://c2.com/cgi/wiki?WikiCase](http://c2.com/cgi/wiki?WikiCase)
- [?http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/CamelCase](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/CamelCase)

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See also: WikiPageNames, WikiNewPage, WikiFormatting, TracWiki