

# Manual:Pywikibot

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**Pywikibot** is a Python library and collection of scripts that automate work on MediaWiki sites. Originally designed for Wikipedia, it is now used throughout the Wikimedia Foundation's projects and on many other wikis.

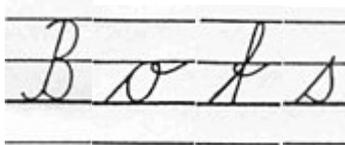
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## Running a bot



- **What is Pywikibot?**
- Learn how to **install and configure** Pywikibot
- Discover **existing scripts** for Pywikibot

## Writing a bot



- Learn how to **write a basic script**
- Discover the **docs at wikimedia.org** (<https://doc.wikimedia.org/pywikibot/>)
- Learn how to **use Wikidata**

## Developing Pywikibot



- Learn how to **contribute** to Pywikibot
- Discover the **source code on Gerrit** (<https://gerrit.wikimedia.org/r/#/admin/projects/?filter=pywikibot>) (mirrors: Differential, GitHub (<https://github.com/search?q=org%3Awikimedia+pywikibot>))
- List **bugs on Phabricator**
- **Translate** Pywikibot on [translatewiki.net](http://translatewiki.net)

Get more help on mailing lists and other support channels

## See also

- [Wikipedia:Creating a bot](#)
- [mwparserfromhell](https://github.com/earwig/mwparserfromhell) (<https://github.com/earwig/mwparserfromhell>) (wikicode parser written in Python)
- [Other Python bots](#)

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