

# Metadata attributes in each article

## Pelican requires meta data like these

```
:lang: en
:date: 2025-04-16 00:37:11+00:00
:tags: metadata, article, pelican
:slug: articlemeta
:category: pelican
:authors: Pierre Bernatchez
:summary: Metadata in articles
```

Insert them below the initial heading of every article.

These ones should be identical in all translations of an article.

```
:date: 2025-04-16 00:37:11+00:00
:slug: sitehome
:authors: Nuno Yobidness.
```

These ones must be translated into the different language versions of the article.

```
:lang: en
:tags: introduction
:category: pelican
:summary: Welcome to Site
```

These ones are optional.

Prevents the content from coming out under menus, pages, keywords and categories. It will be generated, but you will need a link somewhere to get to it.

use the same value in all languages.

```
:status: hidden
```

Overrides the default page footer copyright Value is language dependant.

```
:fcopyright: Copyright © 2026 Isaac Mejia—all rights reserved.
```