

# DITA publishing with oxygen XML Editor

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# Agenda

- Publishing overview
- WebHelp
  - Feedback
- PDF (CSS-based)
- Reviewing

# Publishing

- DITA-OT (1.8, 2.x)
  - HTML
  - PDF
  - CHM (Microsoft Compiled HTML Help)
  - EclipseHelp

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- Oxygen DITA-OT plugins
  - WebHelp (Responsive, Classic, Feedback)
  - DITA Map CSS-based PDF

# Using a different DITA-OT

# The scenario

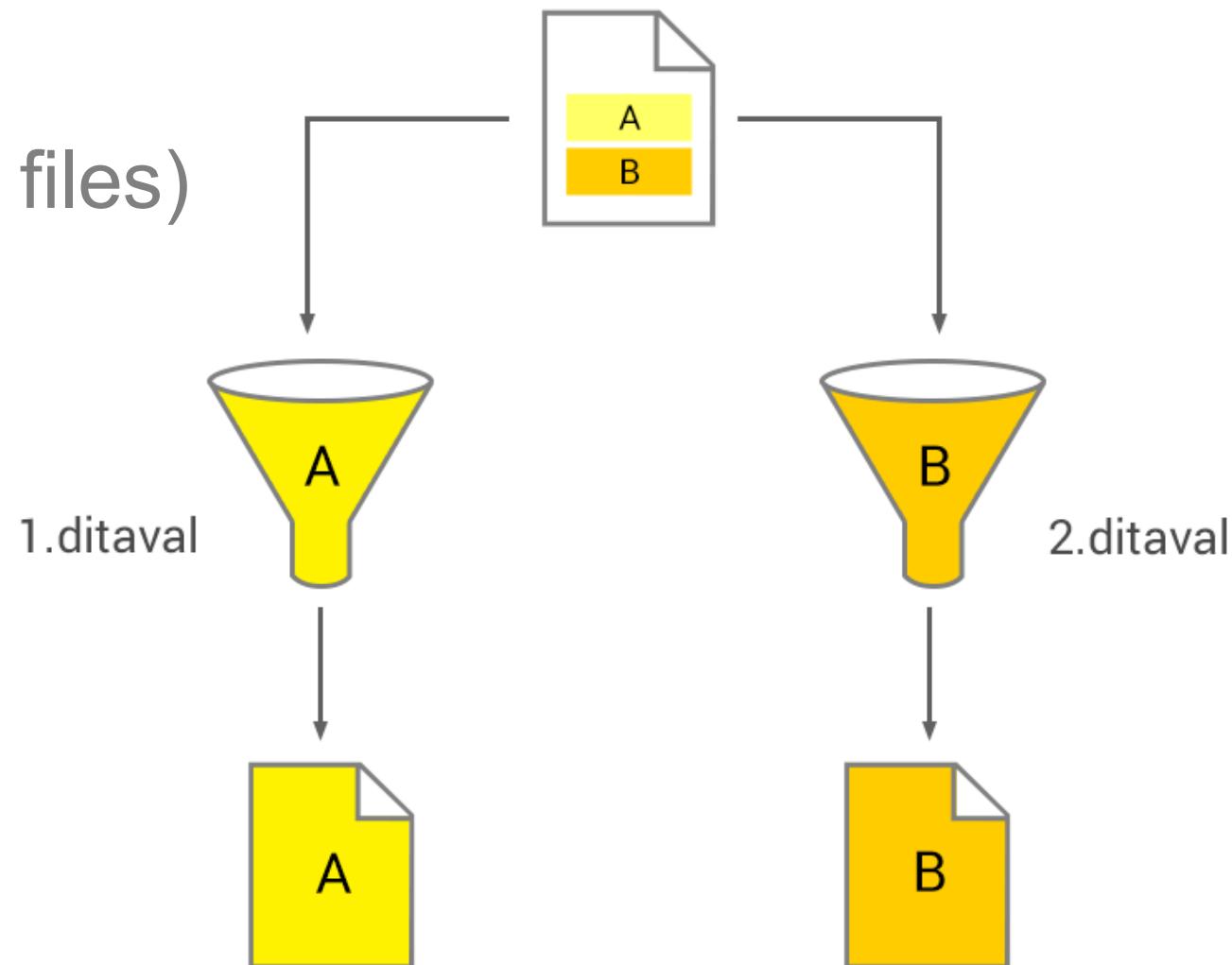
- Output type: HTML, PDF
- Parameters
- Filters (ditaval files)
- Apache Ant build configuration
- Output settings

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```
<val>
  <prop action="exclude" att="audience" val="Technician" />
</val>
```

# The scenario

- Output type: HTML, PDF
- Parameters
- Filters (ditaval files)
- Advanced (Apache Ant build file)

```
<project basedir=". " default="dist">
  <property name="use.custom.styles" value="false"/>

  <!--The DITA OT default build file--> !<import file="${dita.dir}/build.xml"/>

  <target name="dist">
    <condition property="args.css" value="custom/custom2.css">
      <equals arg1="${use.custom.styles}" arg2="true"/>
    </condition>

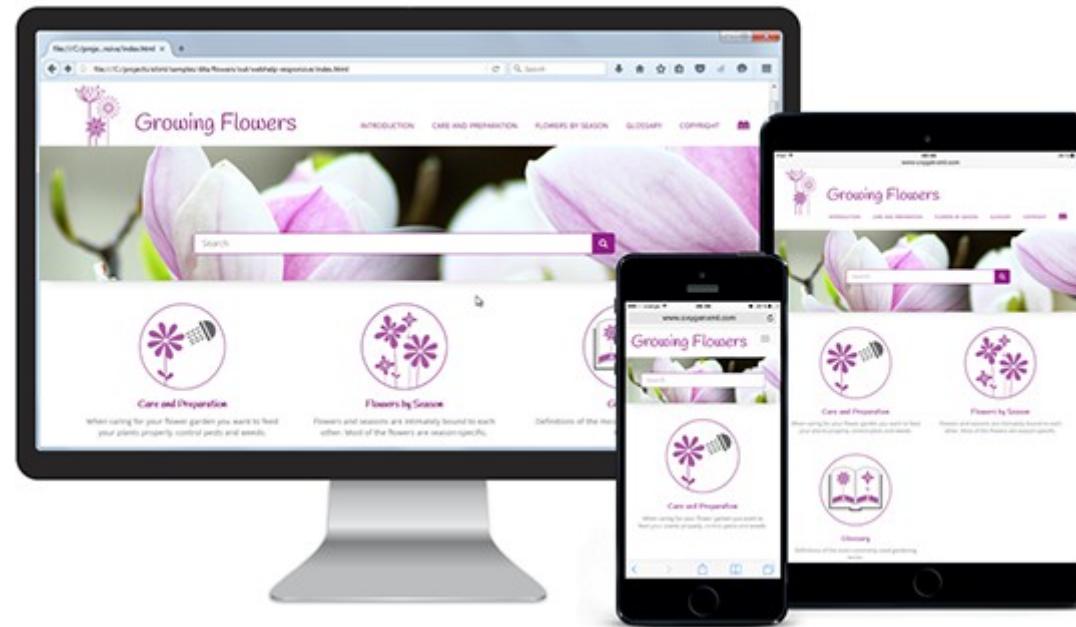
    <condition property="args.copycss" value="yes">
      <equals arg1="${use.custom.styles}" arg2="true"/>
    </condition>

    <!--Call the DITA OT default target--> !<antcall target="init"/>
  </target>
</project>
```

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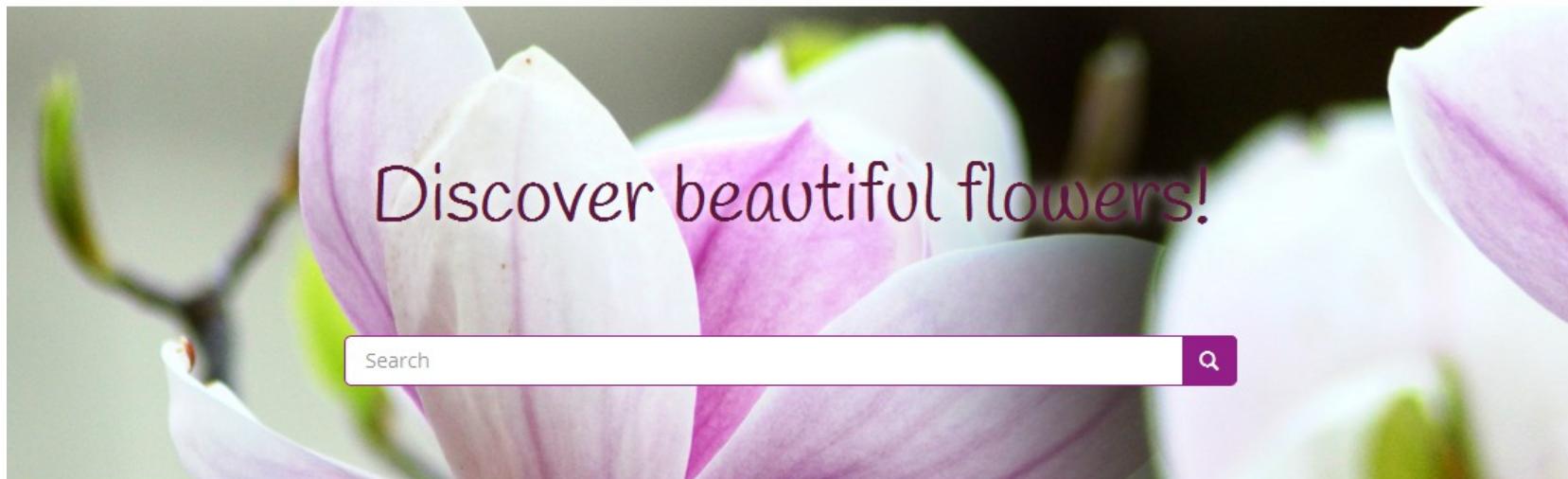
# WebHelp Responsive



# Tiles Template



## Growing Flowers

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### Care and Preparation

When caring for your flower garden you want to feed your plants properly, control pests and weeds.



### Flowers by Season

Flowers and seasons are intimately bound to each other. Most of the flowers are season-specific.



### Glossary

Definitions of the most commonly used gardening terms.

# Tree Template



## Growing Flowers

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Discover beautiful flowers!



### Introduction

With just a little bit of care and preparation, any flower garden can be a vibrantly colored environment.

### Care and Preparation

When caring for your flower garden you want to feed your plants properly, control pests and weeds.

Pruning

Garden Preparation

### Flowers by Season

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# WebHelp Responsive Skins

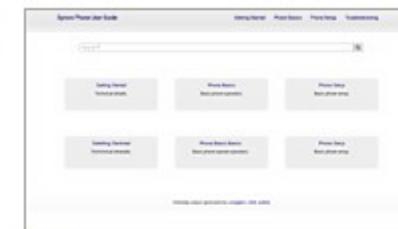
## Tiles



flowers



green



light



mechano

## Tree



flowers



green



light



mechano

# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -



# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -



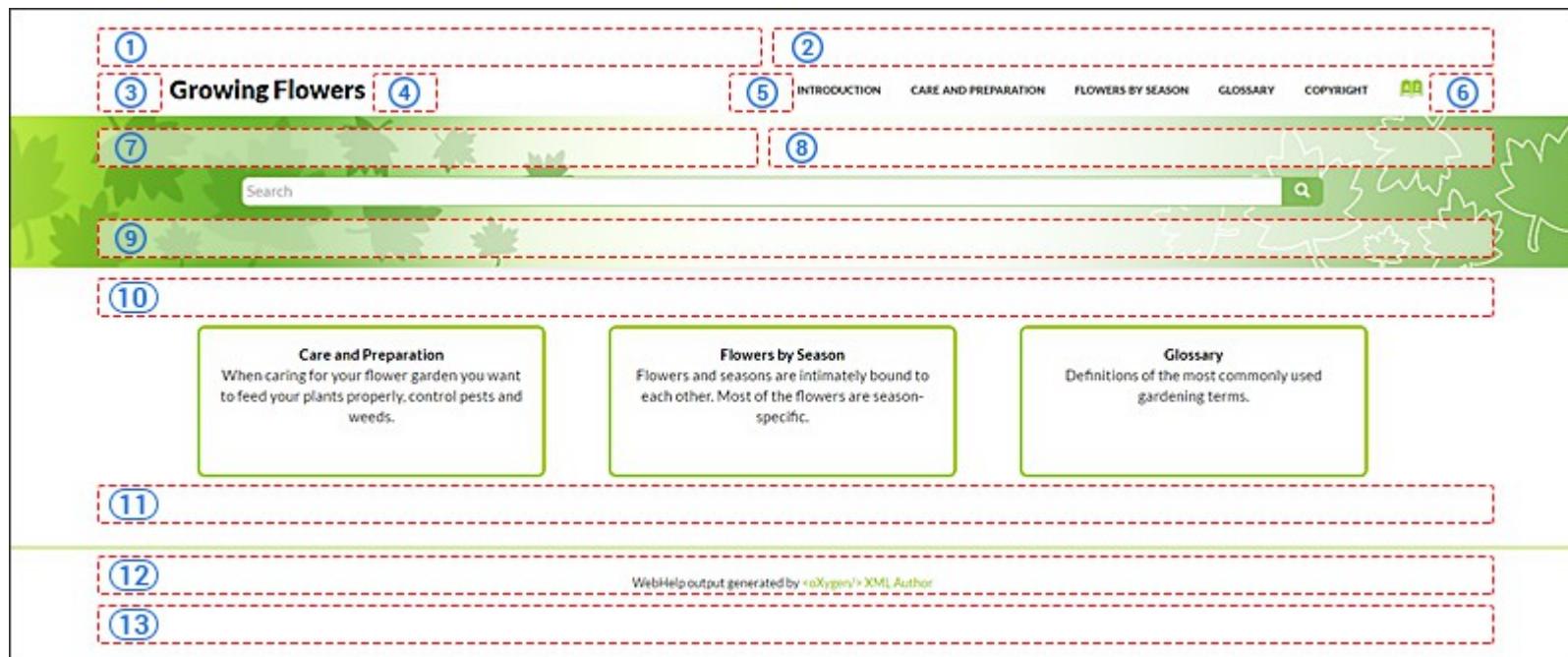
W E L C O M E

The graphic consists of the word "WELCOME" in white, sans-serif capital letters. Each letter is positioned on a separate, three-dimensional rectangular block. The blocks are colored in a repeating pattern: pink, blue, red, yellow, red, blue, and pink. The blocks are tilted at various angles, creating a sense of depth and movement. The entire graphic is centered on the page below the main title.

# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

- Predefined Placeholders



# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

### Getting Started

Technical details.



### Care and Preparation

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# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

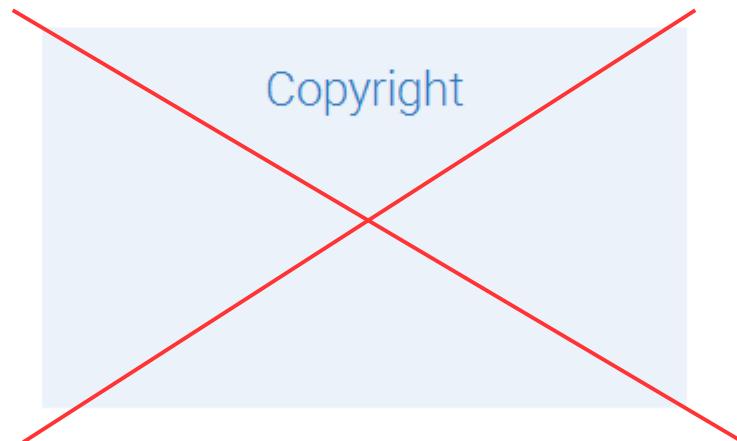
Getting Started

Technical details.

Phone Basics

Basic phone operations.

Copyright



# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

- Predefined Placeholders
- Meta data

```
<topicmeta>
  <data name="wh-tile">
    <data name="image" href="img/tile-image.png" format="png">
      <data name="attr-width" value="64"/>
      <data name="attr-height" value="64"/>
    </data>
  </topicmeta>

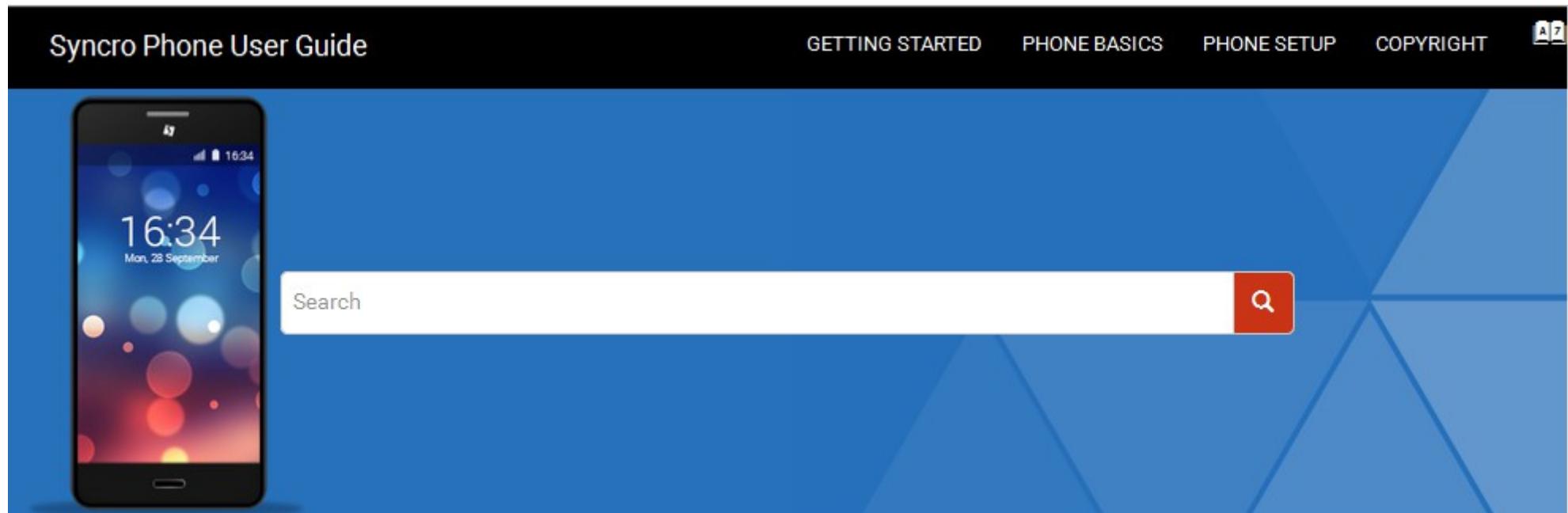
<topicmeta>
  <data name="wh-tile">
    <data name="hide" value="yes"/>
  </data>
</topicmeta>
```

# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

- Predefined Placeholders
- Meta data
- Change an existing Skin

# WebHelp Responsive - Customization -

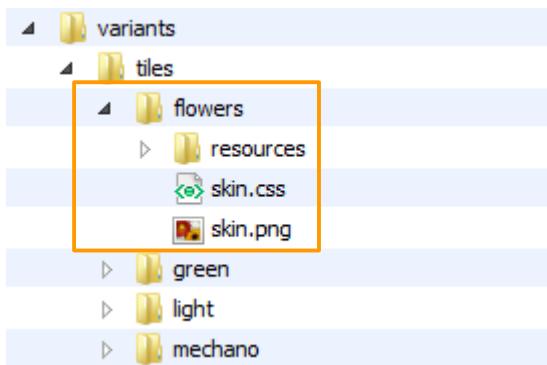


# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

- Predefined Placeholders
- Meta data
- Change an existing Skin
- Create a new Skin

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# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

The diagram illustrates a callout from the main title 'WebHelp Responsive - Customization -' to a screenshot of a responsive WebHelp page. A black arrow points from the title down to the screenshot. The screenshot shows a 'Phone Basics' topic page with a navigation bar at the top and two columns of content. The left column contains general information, while the right column is highlighted with an orange border and lists specific phone features.

Home / Phone Basics

← → ⌂

## Phone Basics

Basic phone operations.

This section shows the basics phone features.

Making a call

Setting up a conference call

You can easily set up a conference call with your family, friends, co-workers. Call the first participant and then join calls together as described in the following procedure.

Adjusting the volume

Locking and unlocking your phone

## Phone Basics

Making a call

Setting up a conference call

Adjusting the volume

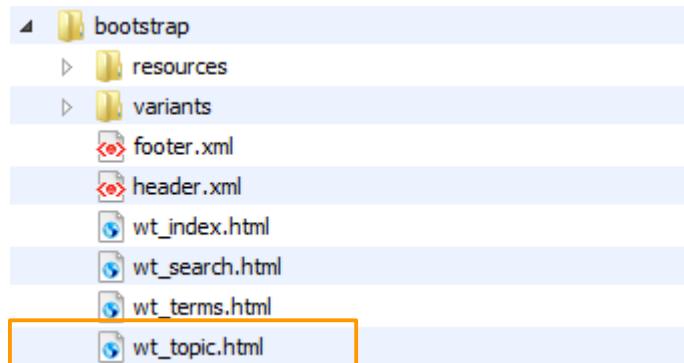
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# WebHelp Responsive

## - Customization -

- Predefined Placeholders
- Meta data
- Change existing Skin
- Create a new Skin
- Create a new Template

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# WebHelp Classic

## Growing Flowers

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- [Flowers by Season](#)
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## Care and Preparation

When caring for your flower garden you want to feed your plants properly, control pests and weeds.

When caring for your flower garden you want to feed your plants properly, control pests and weeds. Good soil is a must to successful gardening, landscaping, and healthy flowers. You have to balance the soil structure with nutrients and regulate the pH to cover your plants' needs. And above all, remember that many flower gardens fail because they just don't get enough of your attention.

Table 1. Flowers

Flower	Type	Soil
Chrysanthemum	perennial	well drained
Gardenia	perennial	acidic
Gerbera	annual	sandy, well-drained
Iris	perennial	slightly acidic
Lilac	perennial	alkaline
Salvia	perennial	average
Snowdrop	perennial	humus-rich

[Pruning](#)

[Garden Preparation](#)

# WebHelp Classic

- Predefined skins

## Predefined



## Custom

CSS File:



- Skin builder

<https://www.oxygenxml.com/webhelp-skin-builder/>

# Feedback

“Tell us what  
you think!”



# WebHelp feedback system

- WebHelp Responsive
- WebHelp Classic

2 Comments

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**Anonymous** 2016-03-18 17:14:10

Hello dear oXygen,  
I'm no longer seeing the web help frame containing the search bar, index and TOC for your wonderful online help.  
Cannot see it in Chrome, can see it in IE.  
Bug?

[Reply](#)

**Bogdan Cercelaru** 2016-03-21 10:15:18

Hello,  
We cannot reproduce this issue.  
Please send us more details at support@oxygentools.com, such as a sample, a screenshot or any other information that would help us to reproduce this issue.

Regards,  
Bogdan

[Reply](#)

# CSS-based PDF publishing

## Why?

- Lots more end users are comfortable with CSS
- CSS is much easier to learn than XSL-FO
- Same technology for both XHTML and PDF styling (CSS)

# DITA Map CSS-based PDF

- CSS-driven
  - <https://github.com/oxygenxml/dita-css>
- Supported engines
  - Prince Print with CSS
  - Antenna House Formatter
- Parameters
  - *css.processor.path.prince*
  - *css.processor.path.antenna-house*
- Customizing the Styles

# Change tracking and comments

- PDF (CSS-based)
  - show.changes.and.comments
- WebHelp
  - webhelp.show.changes.and.comments
  - WebAuthor-based review loop

# Thank you!

## Questions?

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# Upcoming webinars

- Ready for DITA 1.3
  - [http://oxygenxml.com/events/2016/webinar\\_ready\\_for\\_dita\\_1\\_3.html](http://oxygenxml.com/events/2016/webinar_ready_for_dita_1_3.html)