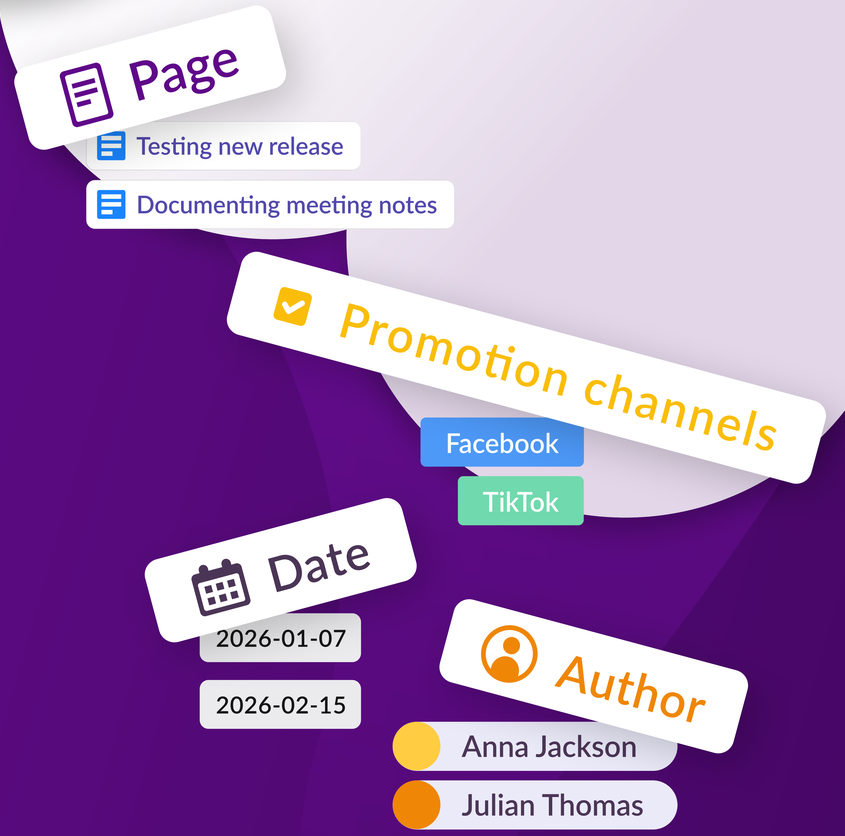
The Migration of Blueprint Creator to the Cloud

Everything you need to know about migrating your blueprints and templates to the Cloud





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Why We’re Asking You to Migrate and What is Important for a Smooth Transition



Following the recent Atlassian announcement about sunsetting all Data Center products in March 2029, we are here to support you in migrating your blueprints and templates to the Cloud.

Blueprint Creator, an app that has become an essential part of your Confluence experience, doesn’t have a Cloud version. However, we’ve got you covered with **Properties** – a well-established product developed by the same team and **trusted by numerous customers**.



Properties: Our successor to Blueprint Creator for Atlassian Cloud Users

Both products cover the same use cases, as they:

- Allow the creation of structured, standardized content in Confluence.
- Enable teams to capture metadata and enforce consistency across pages and spaces.
- Help reduce manual formatting, minimize errors, and improve efficiency.

For detailed comparison of Blueprint Creator and Properties features, please **refer to the documentation**.

In addition, Properties offer unique advantages:

- Edit metadata fields live, directly on the page, without entering edit mode, saving time and reducing friction.
- Take advantage of database-like views. You can filter, sort, and group pages by any property, display them as tables, cards, or boards, build custom dashboards and org charts with live data.
- Create collections of custom fields (property groups) and apply them to multiple templates or pages, managing them centrally and ensuring consistency.

Get ready to Migrate with the Atlassian Confluence Migration Assistant



Blueprint Creator is now ready to migrate your data to Properties using the **Atlassian Confluence Migration Assistant (CMA)**. The CMA assures smooth transition from one product to another.

Our official documentation is available to guide you through the process.

The official Atlassian Support Documentation is also available to help you assess your apps before testing and running your migration.

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What You Can Migrate Automatically

The migration allows you to reproduce the Blueprint Creator experience, and to take the full control over your data. All the page templates can be automatically migrated.

In some cases, however, a direct 1:1 migration is not entirely possible due to various technical restrictions.

What is not possible to migrate automatically:

- Page template metadata, as metadata is a native part of Confluence, not Blueprint Creator.
- Space template properties.
- Archived spaces. If you want to migrate them, you must move them from archived to in-use spaces first.
- The page tree functionality that allows to create multiple standardized pages at once as a structure.

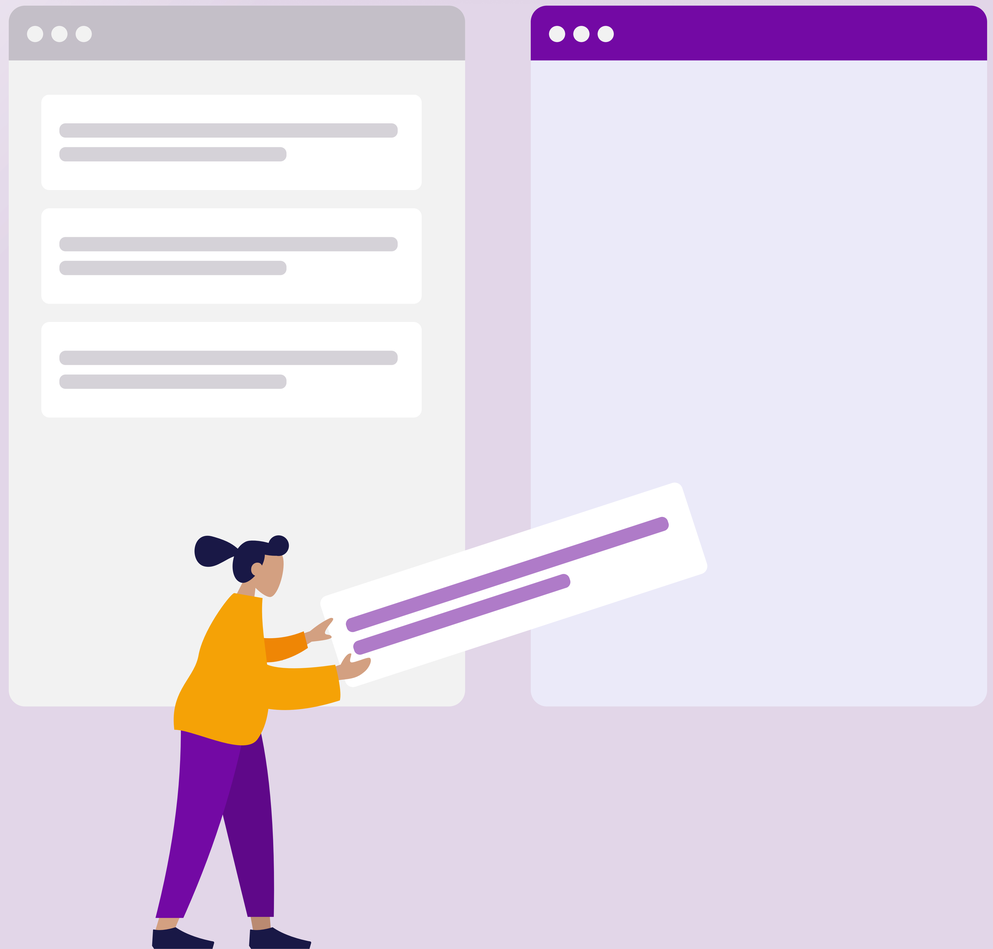
What Else You Need To Know:

The assistant will let you select which templates and template meta sets you want to migrate.

Blog templates and template fields will be migrated into a property group in Properties, as blog templates do not exist in Confluence Cloud.

If you are unable to use the Atlassian Confluence Migration Assistant, it is possible to download a JSON-based file of your setup and import it manually into the Properties.

Property Groups migrated from Space Templates will automatically inherit the space restrictions in the property group permission configuration, ensuring the right templates are available to the right team members.



Some Manual Steps To Complete

Once you finalize the migration, please consider these steps for quality assurance:

- [ ] Check if all selected Blueprints data configurations are available as Property Groups.
- [ ] Review if edit permissions need to be set for specific Property Groups.
- [ ] Assign Property Groups to Global Templates or Space Templates.

Read more in the **documentation**.

Your Personal Roadmap











1 Thorough Preparation

- Keep this PDF handy.
- Install Properties from the Atlassian Marketplace.
- Install the Confluence Cloud Migration Assistant app.
- Archive spaces you no longer need, and move the already archived spaces to in-use if you want to keep them in Properties.

2 Perform a Test Migration

- Transfer a small part of your data to test. You don't have to migrate everything at once!
- Watch out for error messages and review the migration report.

3 Collect Feedback

- Invite team members and key stakeholders, ask them to create different templates, and gather their feedback.

4 Just Do It!

- First, plan and announce a downtime for the migration.
- Then, transfer the data from Blueprint Creator into Properties and take advantage of your templates in the Cloud version.



We’ve Got You Covered!

Whenever you are ready to make the move from DC to the Cloud, we are here not only to offer you the successor product but also to support you with the migration, and ensure a smooth transition to Properties.

Dual Licensing

A Dual License is available for Blueprint Creator customers that migrate to Properties. It provides a free renewal of your Data Center license for up to one year to match the term of the Cloud site purchase.

For more information about the migration, dual license, and/or Properties, please reach our to your solution partner or directly to us.

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