



The Handbook

Codex

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Template Tags/the date xml

Description

Displays the date of the post in YYYY-MM-DD format (ex: 2004-09-24). This tag must be used within [The Loop](#).

Usage

```
<?php the_date_xml(); ?>
```

Example

```
<p>Date posted: <?php the_date_xml(); ?></p>
```

Date posted: 2005-05-14

Parameters

This tag does not accept any parameters.

Related

[the_date_xml](#), [the_date](#), [the_time](#), [get_the_time](#), [single_month_title](#), [the_weekday](#) (Deprecated), [the_weekday_date](#) (Deprecated)