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What is what: Collabora Online

Collabora Online

- Powerful Office suite that supports all major document, spreadsheet and presentation file formats, which you can integrate into your own infrastructure.
- LibreOffice Technology: https://col.la/lot
- Key features are collaborative editing and excellent office file format support
- 10 years of experience. 45+ Staff. 230+ partners. 60 countries

col.la/partners

Collabora Productivity

- Parent company: Collabora
- Our mission statement is to "Make open source rock"
- Provides you the powerful on-premise office suites, for both online and desktop solutions
- Access documents, author new content and work collaboratively.



Community contributors – 12 months

Thank you for your contribution!

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Plus LibreOffice Technology contributors - 1400 individuals to the code alone last 10 years ...

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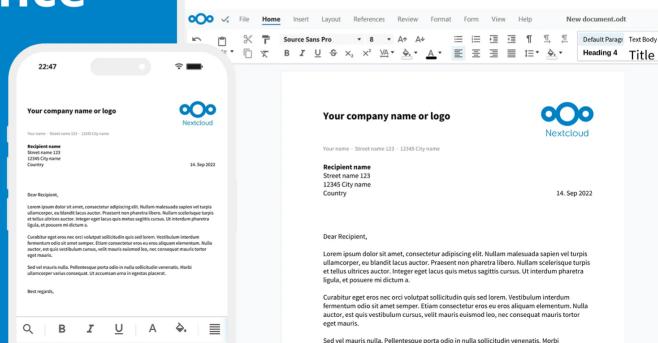








Nextcloud Office





Nextcloud Office

- Collabora Online + Nextcloud
 - Nextcloud Office is a powerful online office suite with collaborative editing. It supports all major document, spreadsheet and presentation file formats and works in all modern browsers.
 - Open Source spirit with partners = benefits upstream to everyone
- Joint effort
 - Nextcloud Office is built together with Collabora Productivity.
 - Thanks to



Overview: Nextcloud Office

- Get Nextcloud server
 - Storage / Authentication / Aweseomness
- Build richdocuments
 - PHP connector NC COOL WOPI-like protocol
- Build Collabora Online → will run in an iframe
 - Post messages are the way to interact and extend



Three ways to get a Nextcloud integrated development setup easily



NC server + richdocuments → Apache

- Nextcloud server
 - Clone NC server: https://github.com/nextcloud/server
 - Initiate git submodules
- Richdocuments: https://github.com/nextcloud/richdocuments
 - Clone richdocuments into 'apps' directory and make sure npm and Node.js are installed (needed for JS dependencies)
 - npm ci (only needed once after you git clone)
 - npm run dev (needed every time you pull different patch etc.)
 - You might encountered errors, read the logs and installed any missing packages

- Into web server's directory
 - /var/www
 - /var/www/html
 - /srv/http
- Check what is the Apache user and group
 - http
 - www-data
 - apache
 - wwwrun



NC server + richdocuments → Docker

Requirements

- Install docker: https://docs.docker.com/engine/install/ubuntu/
- systemctl start docker
- Pull image: sudo docker pull nextcloud
- https://hub.docker.com/_/nextcloud
- https://www.collaboraoffice.com/code/quick-tryout-nextcloud-docker/

Start and hack

- sudo docker run -d -p 80:80 nextcloud
- docker rename OLD name ncmaster
- docker run --name=ncmaster -d -p 8080:80 nextcloud
- 0.0.0.0:80

Accessing docker

- docker exec -it ncmaster bash
- apt upgrade
- apt install npm git
- Delete default 'richdocuments':
- /var/www/html/custom_apps/richdocuments
- Clone
 https://github.com/nextcloud/richdocuments.git
 into custom_apps
- npm ci
- npm run dev



NC server + richdocuments → PHP Built-in web server

- Requirements
 - PHP compiler.
 - The PHP modules Nextcloud requires.
 - More info at:
 https://www.php.net/manual/en/features.commandline.we
 bserver.php

Steps

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Building and working on Collabora Online



Collabora Online

- Head over to the community website: https://col.la/io
- Click in "Build Collabora Online"
- Choose your OS, e.g.: Ubuntu
- Follow the steps
- Also available building instructions for Android and iOS
- Don't have your development environment? Do not want to go through the building steps?
 - No problem:)



Contribute: Collabora Online

Collabora Online

- GitHub/CollaboraOnline/online
- Main repository
- C++, Javascript, Typescript, CSS

Collabora Online SDK Examples

- GitHub/CollaboraOnline/ collabora-online-sdk-examples
- Learn from examples and share your own.
 Build around Collabora Online
- DOCS: sdk.collaboraonline.com

Community websites

- GitHub/CollaboraOnline/
 CollaboraOnline.github.io
 - Help the others: Hugo, CSS, JS
- Forum.CollaboraOnline.com
 - Help the others: Answers

Testing, Bug reporting and translating

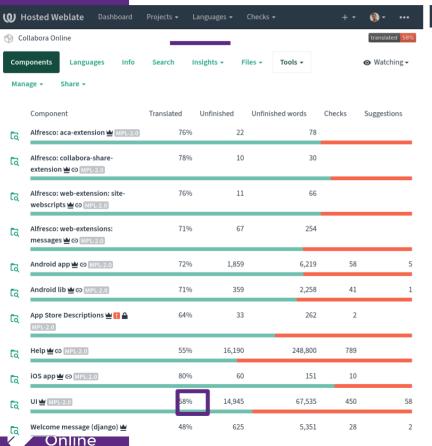
Your guide to becoming a contributor

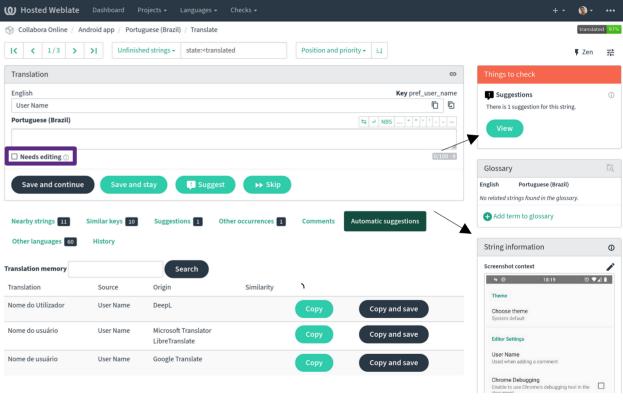
- <u>CollaboraOnline.github.io</u>: How to build, report, translate, meetings, etc.
- GitHub/CollaboraOnline/online/blob/master/
 CONTRIBUTING.md: Similar info also right from the main repository
- Forum: Your-first-pull-request





hosted.weblate.org/projects/collabora-online/





SDK examples repository: 1st steps

PostMessage test harness Run python InsertText.py script Click here to insert the following text into the document Run Capitalize.pv script Click here to capitalize selected text in the document. Various other messages to post Save Close Hide Save Commands | Show Save Commands Hide Print Commands | Show Print Commands Disable default save action Enable default save action Modified Status: Saved UI modification Hide Menubar Show Menubar Classic Toolbar Notebookbar Document frame If the frame fails to load click here and accept security bits If the frame still fails to load ensure you have localhost: * included in your net.frame_ancestors in coolwsd.xml

The world of postMessages:

- Collabora Online uses a WOPI-like protocol to interact with hosts who want to integrate Collabora Online in them
- Play with the available SDK examples
- Build your own SDK example and share with other
- Build your own app around Collabora Online
- Once you have Collabora Online built you can play with the generated framed.doc.html



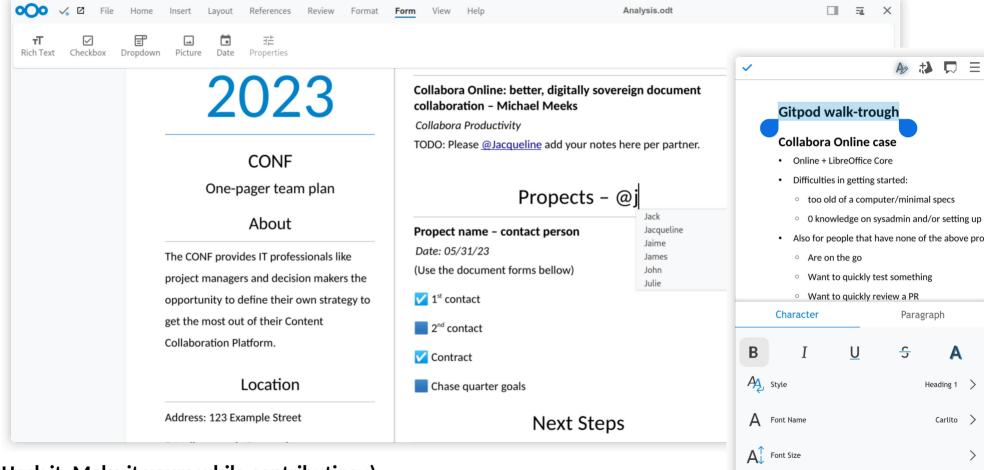






A Font Color







Hack it, Make it yours while contributing:)









replacing 3rd party Microsoft/Google view.

Why?

Because I wanted a handy document viewer for my mails' attachments in Afterlogic and I refuse to use Microsoft's or Google's cloud based solutions for my personal documents. I also had a Collabora Code server running for online office purposes in my Nextcloud instance. Why not combine the two?



Disclaimer

I am no PHP developer and I hacked this together with zero deeper knowledge regarding Collabora. Please use at your own risk.

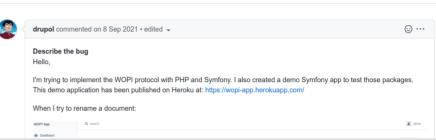
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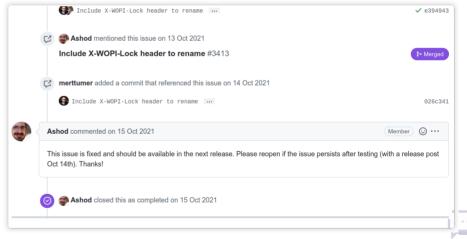
Afterlogic - https://afterlogic.org/webmail-lite

Collabora CODE - https://www.collaboraoffice.com/code/

Collabora SDK PHP example (heavily used in this hack) https://github.com/CollaboraOnline/collabora-online-sdk-examples/tree/master/webapp/php









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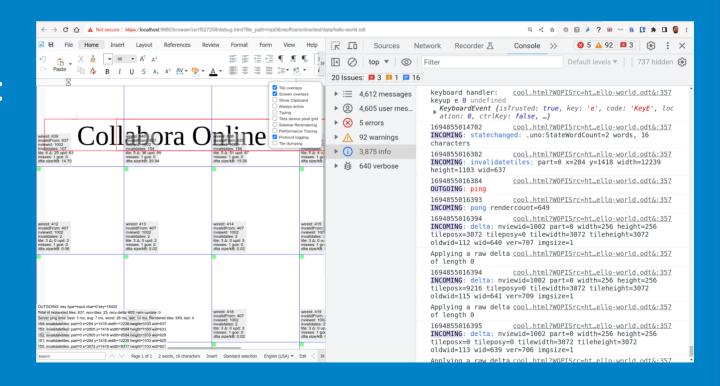
How to debug it

- Collabora Online
 - Debug: https://col.la/debug/
 - Build, Code, Translate, Report: https://col.la/io/
 - Missing something? Contribute: Hit the "Edit Page" at the bottom
- Nextcloud + CO = Nextcloud Office
 - Trouble shoot connectivity issues:
 https://docs.nextcloud.com/server/stable/admin_manual/office/troubleshooting.html
 - Dev Docs: https://docs.nextcloud.com/server/latest/developer_manual/digging_deeper/debugging.html
 - Whole nextcloud directory with app development tutorials waiting for you:
 https://cloud.nextcloud.com/s/iyNGp8ryWxc7Efa?path=%2F1%20Setting%20up%20a%20development%20environment
 - Richdocuments: get version from web console: "OC.getCapabilities().richdocuments.version"

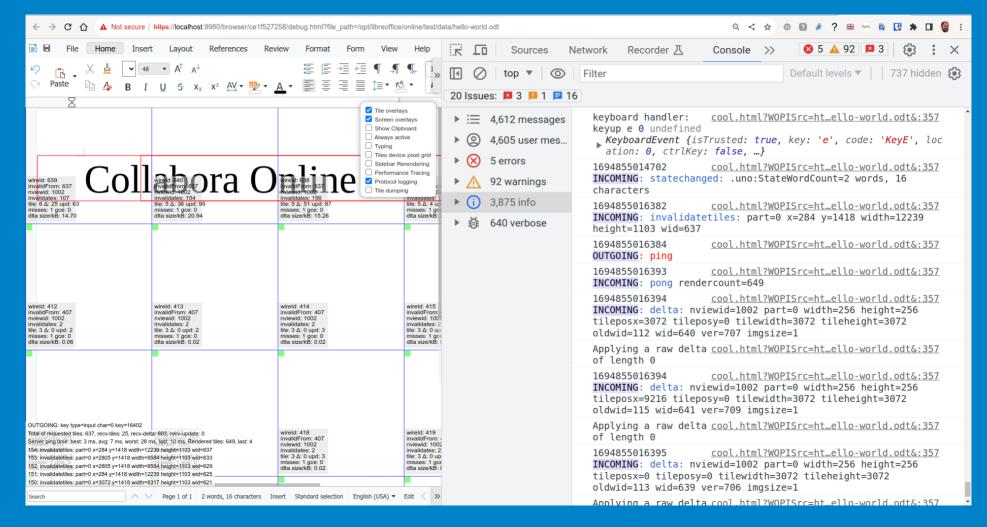


Help → About → triple-click

- A palette of debugging tools:
 - re-rendering overlays
 - Protocol debugging
 - Server-side log / trace toggle









LibreOffice Technology

- Collabora Online is built on the amazing LOT stack
- Join us, contribute to Collabora Online while improving LibreOffice



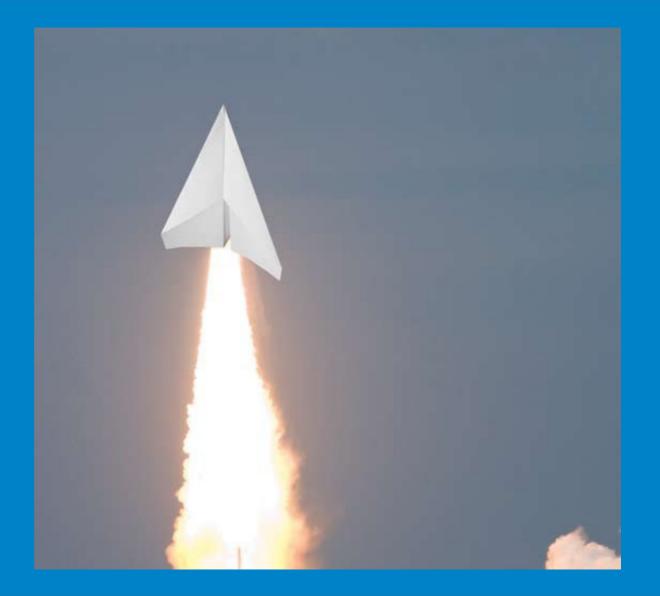
https://www.libreoffice.org/community/get-involved/

→ https://col.la/lot





Get on board the rocket ship





https://www.collaboraoffice.com/co ol-days-2024/



