

Restoring Webpage or Content Versions

Did Joe Contributor just convert your article on NASA research into a walk-thru of an online video game by mistake? Did someone change the template on your page and you can't remember which template gave your page that perfect look and feel? No worries, the dotCMS versions tab is here to help on nearly ever dotCMS object. Just open your page or piece of content and click on the **Versions** tab as shown in the image below. From the **History** tab you can see who made the changes, when they made them, and recover proper version before the unwanted changes were made.

The screenshot shows the 'Page Asset' interface with the 'History' tab selected. A table lists various versions of a 'landing page' asset. Red callout boxes provide instructions on how to interact with the table: 'Click "Delete" to delete a previous version from the history' points to the 'Delete - Bring Back' link; 'Click "Bring Back" to revert to previous version' points to the 'Bring Back' link; and 'Click the "Title" in a row to view that previous version of the object' points to the 'Title' column. A top callout states: 'You can view a history of saves and revert to a previous version from the history tab of any dotCMS object'.

Status	Action	Title	Author	Modified Date	Inode
Working Version		landing page	system user system user	10/31/2018 - 5:27AM	4a22a2cc-e42e-4dec-8758-7d83d4b639ed
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 6:45PM	a66e4c64-4d3b-48c1-9233-a42b52265670
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 5:06PM	2e684ddc-7938-488a-8456-b26af0ae5d3f
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 3:15PM	4d3ff0e5-2ee0-4582-968a-d04f07c9a3f9
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page			6e82e-a12c-487e-9400-17f7f19fd38f
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page			9730-9ad9-4f03-9a6d-7f109e1b30e4
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page			51254-8ee7-4700-b5a0-bd6e89735f24
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 1:45PM	85f96-094b-49fc-9e27-401658504816
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 1:45PM	4b7c050d-5f46-4e28-9c1d-6ae243042ad5
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page	Admin User	7/18/2018 - 1:35PM	4abe4d4a-12f3-4f86-ac74-257385525bbe
	Delete - Bring Back	landing page		7/18/2018 - 1:35PM	df85edba-3dcb-4f27-9ce8-4a991873f99b

Review the author and date columns to find the right version you want to recover - still unsure? Just click on the title of the object to preview the previous version.

Once you have found the version you want, just click on the **"Bring Back"** link to recover the correct version.

Review the previous version to make sure you have made the right choice and "Save" or "Save/Publish" the recovered version. It's just that easy.

NOTE: The list of versions to review and restore is not always in chronological order. Also, restoring a prior version can make the "current" version difficult to recover. Please contact the webteam prior to restoring content for your site.