

# \$post OBJECT

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property	sample values/possible values
Definition/Notes	

<b>ID</b> ID number of the post	202	<b>post_author</b> User ID number of the author	1	<b>post_date</b> Date/Time post was made	2013-03-15 19:22:29
<b>post_date_gmt</b> Date/Time post was made in GMT. <sup>1</sup>	2013-03-15 19:22:29	<b>post_content</b> Actual post content, including markup		<b>post_title</b> Title of the post	
<b>post_category</b> Number representing post category ID#	0	<b>post_excerpt</b> Actual post content <b>without</b> markup	1	<b>post_status</b> Current status of the post	<i>publish, pending, draft, private, inherit</i>
<b>comment_status</b> "closed" means no comments	<i>open, closed</i>	<b>ping_status</b> "closed" means pingbacks are turned off	<i>open, closed</i>	<b>post_password</b> Will be empty if no password	
<b>post_name</b> The slug name for the post slug is post's unique part in the permalink	statistics-post	<b>to_ping</b> List of urls to ping when post is published (for unpublished posts)	(array of URLs)	<b>pinged</b> List of urls that have been pinged (for published posts)	(array of URLs)
<b>post_modified</b> Date/Time the post was last modified	2013-03-15 19:22:29	<b>post_modified_gmt</b> Date/Time the post was last modified in GMT. <sup>1</sup>	2013-03-15 19:22:29	<b>post_content_filtered</b> Exists to store a cached version of post content. <sup>2</sup>	
<b>post_parent</b> ID# of post's parent. In the case of attachments, will be the post it's attached to. Defaults to 0 if no parent.	0, 1, 2, etc...	<b>guid</b> Global Unique Identifier. The "real" URL to the post, not the permalink version (slug). <sup>3</sup>	2013-03-15 19:22:29	<b>menu_order</b> Holds values for display order of pages. Works only for pages, not posts.	0, 1, 2, etc...
<b>post_type</b> Various structured data that is maintained in the WordPress posts table	<i>post, page, attachment, revision</i>	<b>post_mime_type</b> Contains MIME type of uploaded file. Only used for files (attachments).	text/html	<b>comment_count</b> Number of comments, pings, and trackbacks combined.	4

<sup>1</sup> GMT = Greenwich Mean Time

<sup>2</sup> If you run a plugin with heavy filter on content, you might want to consider caching the results with `post_content_filtered`, and calling that from the front end instead.

