


# Use a different extension for template files

For Wicket 1.2.x users

The  Wicket [1.2.x version](#) of this page can be found [here](#).

To accomplish this you need to override the `WebPage.getMarkupType()` method in your page class.

For instance, the default:

```
public String getMarkupType() {
    return "html";
}
```

can be overridden to be something like:

```
public final String getMarkupType() {
    return "xhtml";
}

protected final void configureResponse() {
    super.configureResponse();
    getResponse().setContentType("text/html");
}
```

See the source code for the [Alternative Markup \(XML\)](#) example for a more complete demonstration of this concept.