

# Catalogue categories class (Or product lines)

## Moodle Integrated Shop : Structural elements

### Introduction

Categories make it possible to assemble products in order to present a single product line to the customer on one page. Some back-office management screens will also use categories to split the management scope. You can use categories to group similar products. Category is implemented as a simple concept in the Moodle shop.

### Category Properties

- **Catalogue (FKEY)** :The catalogue to which the category belongs.
- **Name**: External Name of the category. Visible in both front office and back office.
- **Description** : This text is displayed as heading in front office when displaying the category content.
- **Parent ID** : Allows you to attach a category to another as parent. The front-office can display a hierarchical tab-tree for browsing sub-categories.
- **Order** : Order of category display.
- **Visibility**: A category may be visible or hidden.

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