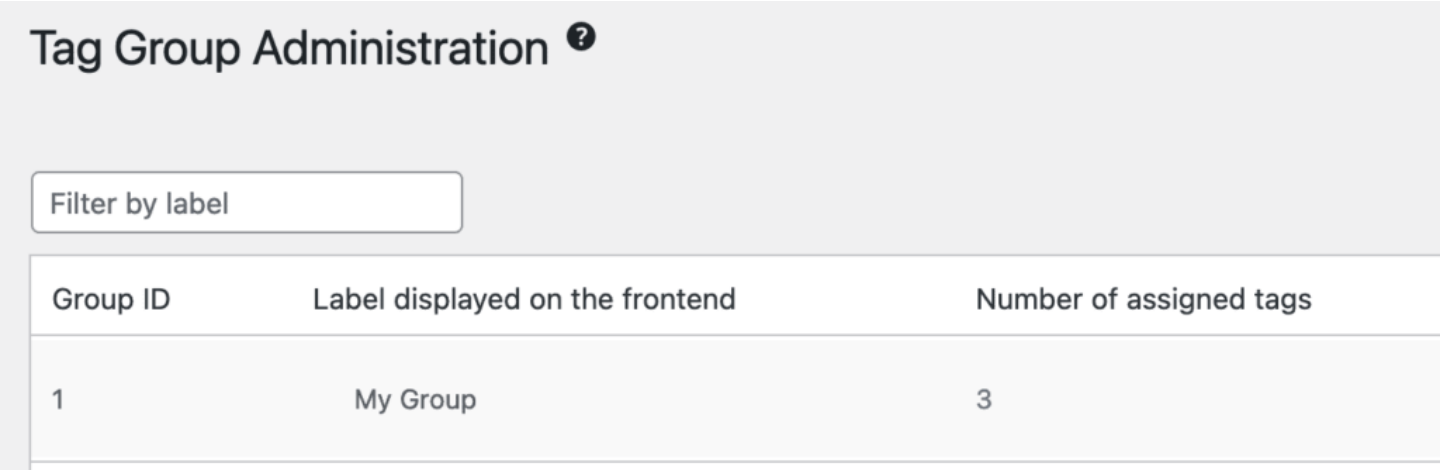
Tag Groups in the WordPress Database

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This guide will introduce you how data for the Tags Groups plugin is stored in the WordPress database.

On the main "Tag Group Administration" screen you will be able to see the Group ID for each Tag Group. In this example, "My Group" has an ID of 1 and there are 3 tags assigned to this group.



tag groups id

In this screenshow below, I've used the Reveal IDs plugin to show the IDs of the tags: 54, 55, and 56.



If you go to the _termmeta table in your database, you will find how the terms are connected to the Tag Groups. The term_ids below are 54, 55, and 56. For each term, there an array called

_cm_term_group_array and the Group ID is stored as 1.

Modify	meta_id	term_id	meta_key	meta_value
edit	131	34	_cm_term_group_array	,0,
edit	132	21	_cm_term_group_array	,0,
edit	133	35	_cm_term_group_array	,0,
edit	134	54	_cm_term_group_array	,1,
edit	135	55	_cm_term_group_array	,1,
edit	136	56	_cm_term_group_array	,1,

tags term meta

The labels for each group are stored together in the _options table.