CONFLUENCE TRAINING

Handy Macro: Table Enhancer

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THE TASK AT HAND

You have a table in Confluence that's so large, readers have to scroll to see all the information:

Example: SOW product descriptions as of 07/12/18 (plus a couple extra columns for demo purposes)

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FREEZE ROWS AND COLUMNS

Excel lets you do this; but Confluence?

FREEZE ROWS AND COLUMNS



USE THE TABLE ENHANCER MACRO!



3 EASY STEPS



- 1. Edit the page.
- 2. Select the table.
- 3. Insert the macro.



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Handy macro: tableenhancer practice page

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3. INSERT THE MACRO

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INSERT THE MACRO AND SAVE THE PAGE

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Scroll and still see the top row and left 2 columns.

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