

General Settings tab

Overview

Use this tab to configure the general settings and features for Tiki articles.

Related Topics

- [Articles](#)

To Access

From the [Articles](#) Admin page, click the **General Settings** tab.

Option

[Articles](#)

[Plugin Article List](#)

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Description

Articles can be used for date-specific news and announcements. You can configure articles to automatically publish and expire at specific times or to require that submissions be approved before becoming "live."

Display multiple articles

Display a field of an article

Default

Disabled

Enabled

Enabled

Option

Title of articles homepage

Maximum number of articles on the articles homepage

Submissions

Use new articles

Description

Select the default title for the page that displays all articles.

☰ | Topic | Type | Articles

The number of articles to show on each page of the Articles homepage.

Articles can be submitted but need to be approved before they are published.

Use the new CustomSearch-based article lists rather than database information 

Default

None

10 articles

Disabled

Disabled

Option

Article creator remains article owner

Rankings

User ratings on articles

Article rating options

Description

Last article editor does not automatically become author (owner).

Users can see several charts or rankings about the item.

Allow users to rate articles.

👉 *Permissions involved: rate_article, ratings_view_results. Also, when configuring articles, "Admin Types > Comment can rate article" needs to be set.*

List of options available for the rating of articles.

Default

Disabled

Disabled

Disabled

0,1,2,3,4,5

Option

Comments on articles

Number per page

Display order

Article content templates

Lock Content Templates

Description

Users with permission can post or reply to comments.
The comments will appear at the bottom of the page.

Set the number of comments per page.

Set the display order of comments.

☰ Newest first | Oldest first | Points

Predefined content for an article

Enable users to lock content templates and so prevent others from editing them

Default

Disabled

10 comments

Points

Disabled

Disabled

Option

Specify notification emails when creating articles

Paginate articles

Custom attributes for article types

Geolocate articles

Article title in SEFURL

Description

Send a notification email when creating an article.

Remember that notification emails for article topics can be redefined when the topic is edited after its creation.

Divide articles into multiple pages with pagebreak markers.

Enable additional custom fields for article types

Provide controls to indicate a geographic location in the article edit form.

The article title rather than article number can be displayed in the search engine friendly URL.

Default

Disabled

Disabled

Enabled

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Option

Related articles

Tracker for articles

Tracker ID of tracker for articles

Article copyright

Article image maximum file size

Default maximum width for custom article images

Description

Display a list of related articles at the bottom of an article page

Have a tracker to supplement article information

A tracker for articles must contain an "Articles" field

Apply copyright management preferences to this feature.

Maximum file size for an article image. Article images are stored in the database so it should remain low.

Set the default maximum width of the article image

👉 "0" *for no maximum*

Default

Disabled

Disabled

None

Disabled

500000 kilobytes

0 pixels

Option

Default maximum height for custom article images

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Option

ShareThis buttons

Your ShareThis publisher identifier (optional)

Description

Enable sharing site content via ShareThis

👉 *Insert a ShareThis button from*

<http://www.sharethis.com>.

Set to define your ShareThis publisher identifier

👉 *record your ShareThis publisher ID*

Default

Disabled

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