

Module Settings Interface

After selecting a module to assign or edit (see [Assigning Modules](#)) or when using [PluginModule](#) to display a module in a page or other feature, there are various settings available for configuring the module. This page explains how the interface works for making those settings. See the next page, [Module Settings Parameters](#) for information on the module parameters themselves.

Admin Modules Page

Beginning with [Tiki7](#), parameters are set in a form with a separate input field for each setting, grouped by tabs: Basic, Module (if applicable - for parameters specific to that module), Appearance, Visibility. Mouse over the screen shots below to see examples:

This screenshot shows the 'Basic' tab for the 'rsslist' module. It includes fields for 'Module Name' (rsslist), 'Position' (bottom), 'Order' (1), 'Cache Time (secs)' (7000), and 'Groups' (Admin, Registered). A note at the bottom says "Disappears now for all eligible users even with personal assigned modules. If you want users to be able to see it, make sure they are assigned to the module." Below the form is a plus sign icon and the text "7x - Basic".

This screenshot shows the 'Appearance' tab for the 'rsslist' module. It includes fields for 'Module Title' (Title of the feed of the day), 'Module Description' (An RSS feed of the day's news from various sources.), 'Module URL' (http://www.rsslist.com/rsslist), 'Module Icon' (RSS icon), 'Module Class' (rsslist), and 'Module Cache' (Cache time: 7000). Below the form is a plus sign icon and the text "7x - Appearance".

This screenshot shows the 'Visibility' tab for the 'rsslist' module. It includes fields for 'Module Visibility' (Visible to all users), 'Module Cache' (Cache time: 7000), 'Module Cache Type' (Cache type: Page), 'Module Cache Options' (Cache options: No cache), and 'Module Cache Headers' (Cache headers: No headers). Below the form is a plus sign icon and the text "7x - Visibility".

In versions 4x - 6x, parameters are set in a form with a separate input field for each setting. Mouse over the thumbnail below to see an example:

This screenshot shows the 'Parameters' tab for the 'rsslist' module. It includes a single input field for 'Parameters' containing "notitle=1&lang=fr". A red arrow points to this field with the text "Parameters set in 'url parameter' format". Below the form is a plus sign icon and the text "7x - Parameters".

In version 3x and prior, there are separate input fields for certain basic settings, but all other parameters are set in a single input field using a "url parameter format". With this format, parameters are set as equal to a value, like "notitle=y", separated by an "&". For instance: "notitle=y&lang=fr". Mouse over the screen shot below to see an example:

This screenshot shows the 'Parameters' tab for the 'rsslist' module. It includes separate input fields for 'Module Name' (rsslist), 'Position' (bottom), 'Order' (1), 'Cache Time (secs)' (7000), 'Rows' (10), and 'Parameters' (notitle=1&lang=fr). A red arrow points to the 'Parameters' field with the text "Parameters set in 'url parameter' format". Below the form is a plus sign icon.

PluginModule

Modules can be displayed in wiki pages and other Tiki features (blogs, articles, etc.) using [PluginModule](#). Use the parameter names below (not the labels) to set parameters for the plugin using the syntax explained on [PluginModule](#) and the documentation page for the individual module (see [Index of Modules](#) for links to the individual pages).

Where To Go From Here

Now that you know how the interface works, go to the next page, [Module Settings Parameters](#), to learn about the module parameters themselves.
