

# Major Slowdown tab

## Overview

Use this tab to configure the Tiki options that may affect your overall performance.

### Related Topics







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## To Access

From the [Performance Admin Panel](#) page, click the **Major Slow Down** tab.

## Note

The features on this tab have been reported to lower overall performance, especially in high-volume sites.












Option	Description	Default
<a href="#">Plugin ShareThis</a>	Add a ShareThis button	Disabled
Log SQL	All SQL queries will be registered in the database in the tiki_sql_query_logs table.  <i>Do not enable this feature all the time. It can be very resource intensive and will impact performance.</i>	Disabled
<a href="#">Log mail in Tiki logs</a>	A line of type mail will be included in the System Log with the destination address and subject of each email sent.  <i>May impact performance</i>	Disabled
Smarty template usage indicator	Add HTML comment at start and end of each Smarty template (.tpl file)  <i>Clear the Tiki system cache for this change to take effect.</i>  <i>Use only for development, not in production at a live site, because these warnings are added to emails as well, and are visible to users in the page source.</i>  <i>May impact performance</i>	Disabled
Show category object count	Show object count when browsing categories, complying with search and type filters  <i>Can slow the loading of the categories page on large sites.</i>	Enabled

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Clear cache upon category change	A cache is used to avoid having to fetch all categories from the database every time; this clears the cache when an object is categorized to keep the count up to date. <b>⚠</b> <i>Can slow saving objects on sites with a lot of categories. You may need to manually clear caches to update category object counts.</i>	Enabled
Log bytes changes (+/-) in action logs	<b>⚠</b> <i>May impact performance</i>	Disabled
Parse search results	When enabled search results are parsed so content formatting is visible in the search results <b>⚠</b> <i>May impact performance</i>	Enabled
Custom blog headings	<b>⚠</b> <i>Using custom blog headings will use significantly more server resources. Unless you need per-blog templates, you should customize the template file instead.</i>	Disabled
PHP Error reporting level	Level of errors to be reported. Errors can be seen in a collapsible box at the bottom of the page, if any exist. ☰ No error reporting   Report all PHP errors except strict   Report all PHP errors   Report all PHP errors except notices   According to the PHP configuration	Report all PHP errors except...
Enable Typography Features	Features to replace normal characters with typographic equivalents	Disabled

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<a href="#">Plugin ShareThis</a>	Add a ShareThis button	Disabled
Log SQL	All SQL queries will be registered in the database in the adodb_logsql table. <b>⚠</b> <i>Do not enable this feature all the time. It can be very resource intensive and will impact performance.</i>	Disabled
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Smarty template usage indicator	<p>Add HTML comment at start and end of each Smarty template (.tpl file)</p> <p><i>* Clear the Tiki system cache for this change to take effect.</i></p> <p><i>👉 Use only for development, not in production at a live site, because these warnings are added to emails as well, and are visible to users in the page source.</i></p> <p><i>⚠ May impact performance</i></p>	Disabled
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Highlight results snippets	<p>Highlight the result snippet based on the search query to improve user experience.</p> <p><b>⚠</b> <i>May impact performance</i></p>	Disabled
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