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Main Web Preferences

The following settings are **web preferences** of the Main web. These preferences overwrite the **site-level preferences** in System.DefaultPreferences and Main.SitePreferences, and can be overwritten by **user preferences** (your personal topic, eg: WikiGuest in the Main web).

Web Preferences Settings

These settings override the defaults for this web only. See full list of defaults with explanation.


- Web settings:
 - ◆ Set WEBTOPICLIST = Users | Groups | Changes | Index | Search | Go
 - ◆ Set WEBBGCOLOR = #FFEFA6
 - ◆ Set SITEMAPWHAT = Welcome to Foswiki... Users, Groups
 - ◆ Set SITEMAPUSETO = ...see who is registered on this site
 - ◆ Set SITEMAPLIST = on
- Default template for **new topics** for this web:
 - ◆ WebTopicEditTemplate?: Default template for new topics in this web. (Site-level is used if topic does not exist)
 - ◆ System.WebTopicEditTemplate: Site-level default topic template
- Comma separated list of **forms** that can be attached to topics in this web. See DataForms for more information.
 - ◆ Set WEBFORMS = UserForm
- Users or groups who **are not** / **are** allowed to **view** / **change** / **rename** topics in the Main web: (See AccessControl). Remove the # to enable any of these settings. Remember that an empty setting is a valid setting; setting DENYWEBVIEW to nothing means that anyone can view the web.
 - ◆ Set DENYWEBVIEW =
 - ◆ Set ALLOWWEBVIEW =
 - ◆ Set DENYWEBCHANGE =
 - ◆ Set ALLOWWEBCHANGE = AdminGroup
 - ◆ Set DENYWEBRENAME =
 - ◆ Set ALLOWWEBRENAME = AdminGroup
- Users or groups allowed to change or rename this WebPreferences topic: (e.g., AdminGroup)
 - ◆ Set ALLOWTOPICCHANGE = AdminGroup
 - ◆ Set ALLOWTOPICRENAME = AdminGroup
- Web preferences that are **not** allowed to be overridden by sub-web, user or topic preferences:
 - ◆ Set FINALPREFERENCES = NOSEARCHALL, ATTACHFILESIZELIMIT, WIKIWEBMASTER, WEBCOPYRIGHT, WEBTOPICLIST, DENYWEBVIEW, ALLOWWEBVIEW, DENYWEBCHANGE, ALLOWWEBCHANGE, DENYWEBRENAME, ALLOWWEBRENAME

Help on Preferences

- A *preference setting* lets you define a simple macro? that can be expanded in your output.
- A preference setting looks like this:
3 or 6 spaces * Set NAME = value
Example:
 - ◆ Set WEBBGCOLOR = #FFFFC0

- A preferences setting can be disabled with a # sign. Remove the # sign to enable a local customisation. Example:
 - ◆ #Set DENYWEBCHANGE = UnknownUser
- Macros defined using preference settings are expanded by enclosing the name in percent signs. Example:
 - ◆ When you write %WEBBGOLOR%, it gets expanded to #FFEEFA6
- The sequential order of the preference settings is significant. i.e. set WEBCOPYRIGHT before WIKIWEBMASTER since %WEBCOPYRIGHT% uses the %WIKIWEBMASTER% setting.
- You can introduce your own preference settings and use them in your topics and templates.
- Preferences can be defined in a number of places:
 1. DefaultPreferences
 2. SitePreferences
 3. Parent webs WebPreferences
 4. WebPreferences
 5. In user topics
 6. In Plugin documentation topics
 7. In topics
- Preference settings can be *finalised*, which means they can't be redefined

Tools

-  **Rename, move or delete this web:**
 - ◆ **Rename/move/delete web...**, looking for references in *all public webs* - See also: [ManagingWebs](#)

Related Topics

- System.DefaultPreferences, Main.SitePreferences - site-level preferences
- WikiUsers - list of user topics. User topics can have optional user preferences
- Macros - what macros are and how to use them, including a list of common macros
- AccessControl - explains how to restrict access by users or groups

Select the Widget skin:

- Set SKIN = widgets

Get the common text section definitions from this topic (see the "Customisation" section in WidgetsSkin for more information on what this means):

- Set WIDGETSSKIN_DESIGNTOPIC = System/WidgetsSampleDesign

Get the Moveable Type compatible CSS and images from this topic (must be in the System):

- Set WIDGETSSKIN_CSSFILE = http://www.myunion.de/pub/System/WidgetsSkin/CMR_themes/dark-relief/screen.css

Get the extra CSS required by Foswiki from this topic

- Set WIDGETSSKIN_TWIKICSSFILE = /pub/System/WidgetsSampleDesign/Foswiki.css

Set the column preference:

- Set WIDGETSSKIN_COLUMNS = mw

- Set CLICKMENU = 1
 - Set QUICKMENUBAR = QuickMenuBar
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