

# Notifications vs Watches

Comparison of both features. [Notifications](#) vs [Watch](#)

Feature related to email sending	Watches + Daily Reports	Notifications + Digests	Direct emails	Comments
User level	Y	Y	Plugins: Tracker, ListExecute, Mail. Intra-tiki messaging + copy to email	
Group level	Y	N	?	
Category	Y	Y		
Wiki page	Y	Y		
Wiki Structure	Y	Y		
Forum	Y	Y		
Forum post	Y	Y		
Tracker	Y	N		
Tracker item	Y	Y		
Tracker Field User selector	N	N	Y	
Tracker Field Group selector	N	N	Y (16.2)	
Tracker monitoring email	N	N	Y	
Plugin Tracker	N	N	Y	
Plugin ListExecute	N	N	Y	
Plugin Mail	N	N	Y	
Tracker item comments	Y	N	User selector?	
Intra-tiki messaging + copy to email	N	N	Y	
Article	Y	N		

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Blog	Y	N		
Calendar	Y	N		
File gallery	Y	N		
Comment reply	Y	N		
Periodic Reports	Y ("Daily Reports")	Y ("Notification Digests")		
User chance to opt-out emails	N	N	N	
Redundant info avoided	N	Partly	-	
Ability to point out critical messages	N	Y (direct emails aside of digests upon user request per tiki object)	-	
Custom grouping and sorting of info in periodic reports	N	N	N	

Related:

- [Notifications](#)
- [Daily Reports](#)
- [Watch](#)
- [Group Watches](#)
- [PluginActivityStream](#)