Plugin RSS

Use this wiki plugin to display items received from an external RSS feed that has been set up in the external feed feature (at `tiki-admin_rssmodules.php`). See External Feeds on how to set up Tiki to receive external feeds, which will need to be done first before using this plugin. For outgoing RSS feeds, see Feeds.

Parameters

Display items from one or more RSS feeds
Introduced in Tiki 1.
Go to the source code
Preferences required: wikiplugin_rss

Parameters	Accepted Values	Description	Default	Since
desclen	digits	Max characters/length, truncates text to fit design	0	10.1
icon	url	URL to a favicon to put before each entry		5.0
max	int	Number of results displayed.	10	1
tplWiki	text	Custom wiki page with smarty content to use for displaying feed items instead of the default template		28.0
author	(blank) 1 0	Show authors (not shown by default)	0	1
date	(blank) 1 0	Show date of each item (not shown by default)	0	1
desc	(blank) 1 0	Show feed descriptions (not shown by default)	0	1
refresh	digits	Refresh period in minutes, determining how frequently the RSS feed is updated.	60	29.0
showtitle	(blank) 1 0	Show the title of the feed (shown by default)	1	6.0

`ticker`	(blank) 1 0	Turn static feed display into ticker news like	1	10.1
`url`	url	The full URL of the RSS feed. Use this parameter if you want to directly link to an RSS feed without adding it to the RSS Administration page.		29.0
`id`	int *separator:* :	List of feed IDs separated by colons (e.g., `feedId:feedId2`). You can find the IDs in the RSS Administration page: `tiki-admin_rssmodules.php`.		1
`sortBy`	title publication_date author	Sort by field	publication_date	28.0
`sortOrder`	ASC DESC	Sort order	DESC	28.0

Usage notes

- `feedId` is the id of the feed set up at *Settings > External Feeds* (or `tiki-admin_rssmodules.php`), `max` is the number of shown entries, `date` and `author` (optional) are added if set to `1` , and hidden if set to `0` , `desc` is a short description of the current rss item (optional).

You can also combine feeds by indicating `1:2` , or `1:2:3` to add feeds together. Note, however, that if you are combining feeds, "show publish date" must be checked in the Feeds module settings, in order to allow this plugin to sort the combined feeds.

Examples

Let's say you wish to display the list of last 3 items of a feed with the Id of 1 inside a Wiki page. Simply include this in your page, with date, but no author:

```
{rss id="1" max="3" date="1" author="0" desc="1"}
```

On this site, this would produce:

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Now you want the same using a "Ticker like" effect:

    {rss id="1"max="3" date="1" author="0" desc="1" ticker="1" desclen="50"}

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Smarty Feeds Function

You can also include a feed in a wiki page by using the Feeds Smarty function (`lib\smarty_tiki\function.rss.php`). Its usage is:

    {rss id="5" max="10"}

Parameters for Smarty Function

id	ID	mandatory	ID of the rss
max	number	optional	max number of objects to show
skip	numbers separated by comma	optional	the objects to skip. Ex: 1,3 will skip the first object and the third one

Related pages

- External Feeds