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Status

Open

Subject

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Version

6.x

Feature

Import-Export

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Rating

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Description

An imported Mediawiki page that has

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\* a bullet \*\* sub bullet

gets translated to

□□□□□□□□

\* a bullet {DL()} sub bullet {DL}

which results in the sub bullet and text not displaying on the page at all, except being represented by a small icon.

Yet if the importer had just left it as

□□□□□□□□

\*\* sub bullet

it would have worked.

Update: Sometimes it does get the nested bullets. But there are other places where Mediawiki stuff ends up in the DL tags where it shouldn't - with the effect that it disappears from the visible page.

Workaround

As a kludge I've changed lib/pear/Text/Wiki/Render/Tiki/Deflist.php so that it has:

□□□□□□□□

```
case 'list_start': $output = "^\\n"; break; case 'list_end': $output = "\\n"; break;
```

rather than throwing in the DL tags. This sets off whatever is at issue in a block-quote box, where the text remains visible - actually most often looks appropriate.

Priority

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Demonstrate Bug (Tiki 19+)

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Version: trunk ▼

Demonstrate Bug (older Tiki versions)

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Comments



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Hi whit,

Are you sure just the simple:

\* a bullet \*\* sub bullet

Is parsed as a definition list? Maybe there is something else before or after this code that causes the problem?

In a quick test just this snippet was properly parsed as a bullet list and generated the correct Tiki syntax (which is the same as the Mediawiki syntax). My guess is that it is a problem on `Text_Wiki_Parse_Mediawiki` that is identifying your code as a definition list when it is actually a bullet list.

Attachments

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<https://dev.tiki.org/item3684-Importer-doesn-t-handle-nested-bullets-right>