Bug report: Users can configure modules is broken

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**Status**
- Open

**Subject**
advanced feature: Users can configure modules is broken

**Version**
15.x

**Category**
- Error
- Usability

**Feature**
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- User Preferences

**Resolution status**
New

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**Rating**

1 star (0)

**Description**

In/tiki-admin.php?page=module we have an advanced feature: "Users can configure modules".

Maybe "Theme Control" needs to be active.

When active, all modules have extra icons for moving them from left to right, or deleting, etc. This is meant for allowing users to personally changes modules placement or visibility (not globally, just for them).

Advice: create a new user or backup the database.

When clicking on any such icons, table "tiki_user_assigned_modules" gets values (this looks expected), and the whole display is immediately broken for this user because modules don't show up anymore. Especially the modules for login/logout or menus...

No obvious way of fixing except clearing table "tiki_user_assigned_modules".
Not the most useful feature and I don't know if it worked before, but it should either be fixed or tagged "experimental"...
Customers who hit this found no other way out than creating a new user 😞

Workaround
testing save

Importance
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Comments

Jonny Bradley 30 Mar 16 10:17 GMT-0000
I think this got broken several tikis ago didn't it? Should have been removed really i guess - maybe we can add a warning for 15 and drop it in 16?

Jean-Marc Libs 01 Apr 16 14:23 GMT-0000
Yes, shall I tag it as "experimental"? We don't seem to have a "dying" tag 😞

Jean-Marc Libs 25 Apr 16 12:58 GMT-0000
Not fixed, but lowered to "experimental" so normal users don't get caught.
No attachments for this item

The original document is available at
http://dev.tiki.org/item5871-advanced-feature-Users-can-configure-modules-is-broken