Markdown

See also WYSIWYG and Markdown

Overview

Markdown has become a very popular type of common 'wikialike' Syntax used across the internet. Ever so often requests or project ideas are popping up in the Tiki dev-list to integrate Markdown to Tiki as an option besides WikiSyntax or WYSIWYG or to even replace the rock solid WikiSyntax. This is the developer page to conflate all ideas and thoughts and to provide a starting point for the person(s) who want to take on the project and to bring Markdown into the Tikiverse.

The CommonMark spec, when printed, is over 100 pages! So it is very very elaborate.

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(potentially) interested or needed people

Gour, Luci, Jonny, Brendan, Torsten, (add yourself) ...

Concepts of integrating Markdown to Tiki

PluginMarkdown

See PluginMarkdown.

CKE with Markdown capability

Replacing WikiSyntax with Markdown

See also below "Limitations of Markdown compared to WikiSyntax"

Ideas & Thoughts

please add your ideas and thoughts
Libraries and Varieties
  - https://packagist.org/search/?tags=markdown
  - https://commonmark.org

Limitations of Markdown compared to WikiSyntax

simple syntax examples

```
italic
Markdown: *italic* or _italic_
WikiSyntax: ''italic''

bold
Markdown: **bold** or __bold__
WikiSyntax: __bold__

underlined
Markdown: ???
WikiSyntax: ===underlined===

strike through
Markdown: ???
Markdown (Pandoc, GFM): ~~strikethrough~~
WikiSyntax: --strikethrough--
```

combined syntax examples

```
italic + bold
Markdown: __*italic bold__* or __'bold italic''__
WikiSyntax: ''__italic bold__'' or '__'bold italic''__

underline + strike through + italic + bold
Markdown: ???
WikiSyntax: =====''___underline strikethrough italic bold__''--- or ''---== or ''---==bold italic strikethrough underline===''__ or ...
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Markdown and WikiPlugins

WikiPlugins can be used all over Tiki as extended part of the WikiSyntax and inside the WYSIWYG ... this has to be possible with Markdown as well, respectively the potential Tiki Markdown parser has to parse WikiPlugins!

First implementation done by luci for Tiki20 as PluginMarkdown by using the CommonMark for PHP lib.

Related

Related Wishes or Bugs

Open
  - • Wiki page, Markdown: Carriage return are not displayed

Pending

No results for query.
Closed

- ✗ Markdown support
- ✗ Markdown plugin does not parse quoted text properly
- ✗ PluginQuote "eats" text when used along with Markdown plugin

Other related

- item6697-Markdown-support
- https://github.com/euangoddard/clipboard2markdown

Related Pages

add related wikipages of dev.t.o and doc.t.o here

Alias

Markdown Integration