

# Bugs & Wish list

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Status

● Open

Subject

13.x dev.tiki.org wiki pages: "Unable to generate PDF"

Version

13.x

13.x Regression

Category

- Dogfood on a \*.tiki.org site
- Regression

Feature

PDF

Resolution status

New

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Rating

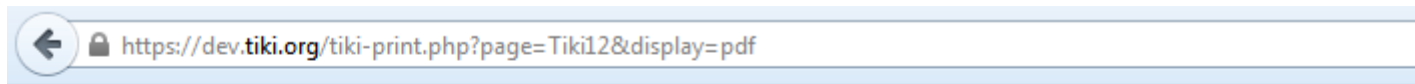
★ ★ ↘ ↗ ★ ★ ★ ★ ↘ ↗ ★ ★ ★ ★ ↘ ↗ ★ ★ ★ ★ ↘ ↗ ★ ★ ★ ★ (0) ?

Description

To reproduce, visit <https://dev.tiki.org/Tiki12>

Click PDF link:

<https://dev.tiki.org/tiki-print.php?page=Tiki12&display=pdf>



**Unable to generate PDF**

Importance

4

Easy to solve?

7

Priority

28

Demonstrate Bug (Tiki 19+)

Please demonstrate your bug on [show2.tikiwiki.org](http://show2.tikiwiki.org)

Version: trunk ▼ [Create show2.tikiwiki.org instance](#)

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## Comments



**WolfgangA** 21 Jan 15 11:05 GMT-0000

I made a fix for pdf printing in trunk tiki14 committed on 20.1.2015.

This fixed the error mentioned in case the path to the pdf generation tool contains a space. (like for example the path of wkhtml2pdf on windows).

Basically the error message is not helpful in troubleshooting the root cause . When the pdf class creates an empty output file or even no output file, than this error shows up.

So you do not know why it really failed.

To finally fix it in a way that you get a useful error message, we need to pass the pdfoutput AND a status AND an error message. This would effect tikiprint as well as the pdf class.

## Attachments

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Show PHP error messages