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### Subject

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### Version

14.x

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### Category

- Error
- Patch

### Feature

User Administration (Registration, Login & Banning)

External Authentication (LDAP, AD, PAM, CAS, etc)

### Resolution status

Fixed or Solved

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### Rating

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### Description

There was an issue with the LDAP not syncing groups properly, and would thus cause a blank page to appear when logging into my site.

Essentially, the entire problem is attributed to a typo in the function name for the `ldap_sync_groups` function. The file `~/lib/userslib.php` contains the function:

```
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```

```
private function _ldap_sync_groups($user, $pass) {...}
```

The major problem is that this function name has a leading underscore (`_`) and causes an issue when it attempts to sync the groups with the LDAP.

Simply removing the underscore solves the whole problem. The function should be named as such:

```
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```

```
private function ldap_sync_groups($user, $pass) {...}
```

This will make it so that when the file reaches the line:

```
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```

```
$ret &= $this->ldap_sync_groups($user, $pass);
```

It can successfully sync with the LDAP.

## Solution

Apply the mentioned correction, albeit I had at least 2 places to change, not just the 1 mentioned here, so further occurrences should be checked.

## Importance

10 high

## Easy to solve?

10 easy

## Priority

99

## Demonstrate Bug (Tiki 19+)

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Version: trunk ▼

## Demonstrate Bug (older Tiki versions)

Please demonstrate your bug on [show.tikiwiki.org](https://show.tikiwiki.org)

Version: 18.x ▼

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## Comments



Xavier de Pedro 27 Dec 16 14:12 GMT-0000

can you please commit the fix yourself? (you will probably have your own setup to test your fix, etc.)  
See <https://dev.tiki.org/Commit>  
Thanks and welcome to the Tiki Community! (ask commit access on irc - see <https://tiki.org/Irc> )



RadoS 13 Jan 17 13:48 GMT-0000

I'm looking for php-experts in my company for the coding, will cover this when the time comes. ;-)  
However, the point of my comment was to have a look at further places where such "typo"(?)  
happend.

I don't know the code well enough to judge what's better to correct, remove the extra "\_" or add it  
everywhere else where it's missing, and where all those adjustments have to be made or what side  
effects it might have to fix it here but break elsewhere.



Marc Laporte 22 Apr 17 04:49 GMT-0000

Should be fixed for latest 12.x, 15.x, 16.x, 17.x and trunk (future 18.x). Please retest with Daily build for your version: <https://dev.tiki.org/Daily+Build> to confirm

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