

## Bugs & Wish list

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### Status

● Open

### Subject

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### Version

20.x

21.x

20.x Regression

22.x

23.x

### Category

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

### Feature

Article

Edit interface (UI)

### Resolution status

Confirmed

### Submitted by

Gary Cunningham-Lee

### Keep informed

Jonny Bradley

### Lastmod by

Gary Cunningham-Lee

### Rating

★★★★★ (0) ?

### Description

Currently, when you write a new article at tiki.org and then click the preview button, the page refreshes with all the form empty, so all the inputs and edits are lost. (Seems like I reported this earlier, but the bug list search also didn't work when I tried to find it, so I'm not sure.)

### Workaround

Write the article locally and then copy-paste it to tiki.org article after doing the first preview action.

### Importance

9

### Easy to solve?

3

### Priority

27

### Demonstrate Bug (Tiki 19+)

Please demonstrate your bug on [show2.tiki.org](https://show2.tiki.org)

Version: trunk ▼

Demonstrate Bug (older Tiki versions)

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Comments



luciash d' being 21 Jan 20 11:48 GMT-0000

Preview worked for me today when I edited the article of yours (it stayed in the community orange perspective just fine).



Gary Cunningham-Lee 21 Jan 20 12:01 GMT-0000

Yes, I just did a test and this time the preview worked and didn't wipe the content. But it definitely failed when I wrote the article originally, so I don't know why it would sometimes work and sometimes not. Anyway, I generally write articles first as a wiki page and then transfer the content to the article so it's not a huge problem for me personally, but I guess something to monitor.



luciash d' being 21 Jan 20 12:08 GMT-0000

I suspect if you wrote it in orange perspective and then when you made the preview it switched suddenly to the blue one (for some reason I don't know why it sometimes does this) it could wipe the content I guess.



Gary Cunningham-Lee 21 Jan 20 13:08 GMT-0000

Maybe so. For what it's worth, I just edited this page:  
<https://tiki.org/tiki-editpage.php?page=Awards> , and saved with "Save Minor Edit" and instead of the page displaying with my edits included, the edit screen displayed again with my edits missing (showing the version before my edits). I made the edit again and saved with the normal save button and this time the editing was successful. I don't know if this behavior is consistent but will test. I haven't noticed this weirdness in other Tiki installations.



luciash d' being 05 Mar 21 20:49 GMT-0000

Seems it happens only under some circumstances as we could reproduce this issue only on tiki.org so far.

Perspectives may be ruled out because we have switched the Perspectives feature off and it's still happening.

Side note: I have tested and reproduced it in Brave browser but Jonny said it worked for him just fine in Safari.

#### Attachments

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No attachments for this item

The original document is available at <https://dev.tiki.org/item7237-Article-preview-is-broken-at-tiki-org>