special: Special copy images
Posted by eeiaobn - 2009/11/15 13:15

I want slave sites to have separate image folders (instead of symlink) but template settings do not allow that. Why? Is it really necessary?

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Re:special: Special copy images
Posted by edwin2win - 2009/11/15 19:34

YES JMS can do that.

Which JMS version are you using.
This is introduced in JMS 1.2.6 or higher.

See the JMS Templates and the "files and folders" tabs.

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Posted by eeiaobn - 2009/11/15 22:47

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Re:special: Special copy images
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well, i can actually edit multisites/config_templates.php and remove 'readOnly' => '1' from 'images' => array('action' => 'special') but that looks more like a hack

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Re:special: Special copy images
Posted by edwin2win - 2009/11/16 00:07

To copy "templates directory", you have to defined a JMS templates in which you specify a templates path and also go in the "files and folders" tabs to select the action "copy" beside the templates directory.

The line that present here is the "images" directory that is only applicable when you replicate a DB as this is explained in the tutorial video CP-05.
If you don't replicate a DB but want to create a fresh slave site, you can not have access to this

parameter because the DB is not yet created and the parameters must be also saved in the DB.
This is clearly explained in the video - listen carefully all my commnets in the video.
I have also re-explain that several times in the forum.

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Re:special: Special copy images
Posted by eeiaobn - 2009/11/16 00:58

Sounds more complicated than it is.
With default setting it creates symlink for images folder - and i don't like it
With hack - it makes copy of images folder - and i like it. That's it.

Btw, no problems with template folder.

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Re:special: Special copy images
Posted by xtremex - 2009/11/25 14:12

This really is quite simple,

with a template I can create a new site in seconds.

I created a separate folder called 'assets', set the template to copy that folder, then adjusted the slave base site's media path to use the assets folder instead.

All the joomla specific images are symlinked while each site has a seperate assets folder

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Re:special: Special copy images
Posted by edwin2win - 2009/11/25 16:45

Have a look in the latest JMS 1.2.13 that give new actions possibilities that just allow to select "copy" without changing any names.
This is true with images and templates folders.
See the change history
http://www.jms2win.com/faq/change-history-v12x

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