Pre-sale questions

Posted by tampe125 - 2013/02/11 11:55

Hi, I have some questions before purchasing your extension.
On a project of mine, I have to have a "master" site where I have some content (default Joomla articles) and I'd wish to "share" them with "slave" sites.
Is that possible?

Let's say I change the "Where we are" article on the master, this change will reflect on slaves, too?
What about if I want to override this behaviour? For example I change the "Where we are" on the master, every slave gets updated. Can I prevent this on a particular slave or I'll have to "adjust" this site?

Regarding modules, can I "propagate" changes on "slave" sites, in the same way I'd wish to do with articles?

Hope to ear you soon

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Re: Pre-sale questions

Posted by edwin2win - 2013/02/13 11:49

By default, each slave site have their own content beause they use their own DB or at least specific table prefix when sharing the same DB.
So the article are specific in each website but also the menu, forum, contact, ..., everything is specific as long as you don't share any DB content.

To share the content between website, you need a specific action.
You can only share the content of a limited number of extensions.
See the list of extension defined in the JMS tool menu
http://www.jms2win.com/en/list-of-extensions?view=extlist&id=269&Itemid=53

If you want to share the article between websites, see our "article sharing for JMS" that is an additional extension that you can add to JMS in aim to read the articles from another websites.
http://www.jms2win.com/en/joomla-multisite?page=shop.product_details&flypage=flypage_multisites.tpl&product_id=47&category_id=1

See also the demo
http://tutorial.jms2win.com/joomla/multisite-12x/articlesharingforjms/index.html

The concept of JMS is based on the sharing.
Therefore, there is no duplication of information and no need to synchronize or propagate something as it is physically shared (unique).
That mean that when you update an article that is read by other websites, they are automatically updated.
If you want to reading a shared article in a slave site, you have to change the menu item to make reference to a local article instead of a shared article present on another website.

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