Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by ChristerE - 2017/05/16 13:53

When I try to update my Joomla Multisite from 3.6.5 to 3.7.0 I get this error: Fatal error: Class 'MultisitesContentRouterRulesLegacy' not found in /home/mettecos/public_html/components/com_multisitescontent/multisites.router.php on line 56

I've bought and installed the latest JMS2WIN version: 1.3.65
I'm currently using PHP-version: 5.6, I've tried to upgrade to 7.0 and 7.1 without any success

Any ideas on what to do?

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by edwin2win - 2017/05/16 23:44

The error is related to the Article Sharing.
Verify that you are using the latest "Article Sharing for JMS" version 1.3.13.

When you upgrade of Joomla, it is always recommended that you use the latest version of all the extensions.

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by ChristerE - 2017/05/23 19:57

Thanks, that made all the diffenrence BUT... now I get "Fatal error: Call to a member function get() on boolean in /my_path/components/com_multisitescontent/multisites.router.php on line 70"

I get this on all pages that share menu item with master site, do you have any updates for that plugin "laying around"? :)

I checked again and could it be the "Article sharing" that is the problem (I use version 1.3.13) on both master and slave sites.

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by edwin2win - 2017/05/24 10:56

Can you also precise the Joomla version that you are using.

Is it still J3.7.0 or 3.7.1 or 3.7.2 ?

I had a look in the J3.7.0 and the line 70 is

$category = JCategories::getInstance($this->getName())->get($id);

That would mean that JCategories::getInstance() return false and therefore, effectivelly the get() function does not exists on a boolean.

The only case where JCategories::getInstance() is when the name of the component "$this->getName()" provided does not provide the code to manage the category.
This can be due when the
JPATH_SITE . '/components/' . $component . '/helpers/category.php';

does NOT exists or when it does not contain the appropriate class name.

To make a diagnosis of the reason, try modifying this line to add test and collect debug info.
Try replacing the line 70 by the following.

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$obj = JCategories::getInstance($this->getName());
if ( empty( $obj)) {
   error_log( "Invalid category for component:".$this->getName());
   return array();
}
$category = $obj->get($id);
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Remark:
this peace of code should write an entry into the error_log file and show not return any category.
The code will be removed automatically with the "Purge" menu or any update. So consider it is as temporary debug code.

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by ChristerE - 2017/05/24 11:36

Thanks, I'll try it out, I'm using 3.7.0

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by ChristerE - 2017/05/24 11:43

The "fix" you provided solved the problem!!! THANKS :cheer:

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Re: Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by edwin2win - 2017/05/25 10:02

This is NOT a fix but a debugging code.
Remember that the peace of code that I have given to you will be automatically removed when you will update joomla or update the article sharing.

Would you please give the error_log message that you probably have when the error occurs.
This will help identifying the origin of the error and probably find a fix to put in the article sharing.

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Re:Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by ChristerE - 2017/06/01 11:46

Hi, I've tried for quite some time now to get Article Sharing to work but either I'm doing something wrong (probably) or there is a bug in the plugin. Some of slaves sites uses this plugin, there it works, if I don't edit/update the menu item, I can't make any new menu items or change article.

I'm using:
Joomla 3.7.0
JMS Multi Sites 1.3.66 BASIC (patches 1.3.62)
Article Sharing 1.3.13

Scenario 1: When I try to make a new menu item in a slave site with "Multisites Article Layout" I can select but all the selected articles are from the slave site.

Scenario 2: If I already have a menu item in a slave site with "Multisites Article Layout" I can't change the article (the box is disabled)

//Christer

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Re:Error when updating to Jooma 3.7.0

Posted by edwin2win - 2017/06/01 13:18

When you create a new menu item, to get the appropriate list of articles, you need first to save the menu item with any article and after re-open the menu item to see the appropriate list of articles.

The known issue is that when you select another site ID in the menu item, the refresh of the articles associated does not work. So save and re-open to display the correct list of articles.

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