

Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by amccarron - 2010/06/06 04:17

I have read the documentation and started going through videos but am still a little unsure which instructions to follow.

I have created a website that has a public section and a registered members section. They use the same template for design and layout but the menus and content are unique to each section. The reason I did not create two separate websites is because both sites need to share the virtuemart store and Jevents data.

The problem I now have is the members section requires the Jevents display to include additional information and have a different view to that shown in the public section.

I have installed JMS on the site and set up an addon domain. I am just not sure what to do next to achieve 2 sites sharing same database while being able to customise components and what is displayed on each site.

Please could you recommend what sections of the user guide and/or videos to jump to?

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Re: Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by edwin2win - 2010/06/06 16:20

If you want to share the VirtueMart and JEvents extension then you have to also share the users. This means that you have to follow the procedure to share an extension.

As you mentioned "AddOn domain", I suppose that you are using cPanel.

If this is the case, you will have to grant the MySQL user to allow sharing the DB tables.

See tutorial video 0.b slide 34 that show that cPanel all privileges does not put all the privileges and that you have to enable additional privileges with PHPMyAdmin.

<http://www.jms2win.com/tutorial#jms12x-0b>

Follow the method described in the tutorial video 16

<http://www.jms2win.com/tutorial#jms12x-16>

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Re: Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by amccarron - 2010/06/19 09:52

I followed the instructions in tutorial video 16 (a number of times till I got it right) but now I am stuck as to what next. How do I get the master website be represented in the slave sites sharing extensions.

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Re:Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by amccarron - 2010/06/20 09:14

Some more info:

here is the existing website (which is now the master): www.amie.geek.nz

I created a slave site (which I named public) in multisites www.public.amie.geek.nz which was to look like the master. I browsed and installed Joomla as per instructions.

Then I created the template. From this I created a slave_1a (which I named members). I browsed and installed Joomla as per instructions.

I have not missed a single step in video 16 to this point.

However now I get nothing when browsing to www.public.amie.geek.nz or www.members.amie.geek.nz

What do I do next? Is there any particular screenshots I could share with you as I have fully documented and screenshot every single step to match the video instructions.

My goal is to have two sites with their own menu structures and content, but both need to share the virtuemart data, the jEvents & JEVlocations data, community builder and user (and I did select all these in the sharing section of template).

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Re:Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by edwin2win - 2010/06/20 11:38

If you have followed the video, the domain name and subdomain would be different as the video present the case of subdirectories.

If you want to share the users with the master, you have to consider that "slave1" does not exists and is your master website.

So you have to modify the "JMS template" to use the "Master" instead of the "Slave1".

Concerning the JEVlocations we never reviewed this extension and therefore can not tell you if this will be possible. Send us this extension in attachment of an email. This may take several days or weeks to analyse this extension and to see if it could be a candidate for the sharing.

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Re:Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by amccarron - 2010/06/20 12:00

THANK YOU!!!

That helped so much! I have been trying to nut this out for days.

I have emailed you the extensions to take a look at in case they are suitable for inclusion.

Thanks again.

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Re:Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by amccarron - 2010/06/23 13:55

I have a reseller hosting account. I created a new account for the actual domain I want the sites to live on (www.aamembers.org.nz) and have followed my fully documented procedure from the amie.geek.nz site but I cannot recreate a successful installation.

I have asked my host to grant the correct privileges and they confirm it is the same as the amie.geek.nz site. Yet no matter what I do I cannot recreate the same result using exact same instructions. Error is:

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Error(1) query . DB Error: CREATE VIEW command denied to user 'aamember_user'@'localhost' for table 'aamain_users' SQL=CREATE OR REPLACE VIEW aamain_users AS SELECT * FROM `aamember_joomla`.`master_users`... etc....etc
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The privileges are:

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mysql> show privileges;
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| Privilege | Context | Comment |
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| Alter | Tables | To alter the table |
| Alter routine | Functions,Procedures | To alter or drop stored functions/procedures |
| Create | Databases,Tables,Indexes | To create new databases and tables |
| Create routine | Databases | To use CREATE FUNCTION/PROCEDURE |
| Create temporary tables | Databases | To use CREATE TEMPORARY TABLE |
| Create view | Tables | To create new views |
| Create user | Server Admin | To create new users |
| Delete | Tables | To delete existing rows |
| Drop | Databases,Tables | To drop databases, tables, and views |
| Execute | Functions,Procedures | To execute stored routines |
| File | File access on server | To read and write files on the server |
| Grant option | Databases,Tables,Functions,Procedures | To give to other users those privileges you possess |
| Index | Tables | To create or drop indexes |
| Insert | Tables | To insert data into tables |
| Lock tables | Databases | To use LOCK TABLES (together with SELECT privilege) |
| Process | Server Admin | To view the plain text of currently executing queries |
| References | Databases,Tables | To have references on tables |
| Reload | Server Admin | To reload or refresh tables, logs and privileges |
| Replication client | Server Admin | To ask where the slave or master servers are |
| Replication slave | Server Admin | To read binary log events from the master |

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| Select | Tables | To retrieve rows from table |
| Show databases | Server Admin | To see all databases with SHOW DATABASES |
| Show view | Tables | To see views with SHOW CREATE VIEW |
| Shutdown | Server Admin | To shut down the server |
| Super | Server Admin | To use KILL thread, SET GLOBAL, CHANGE MASTER, etc. |
| Update | Tables | To update existing rows |
| Usage | Server Admin | No privileges - allow connect only |

Can you spot anything that might be wrong?

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Re:Two websites sharing data with different views

Posted by edwin2win - 2010/06/23 23:01

As you could read in this forum plenty of times "command denied to use" mean that you don't have the "create view" and "show view" enabled.

See tutorial video 0.b slide 35 that show an easier way to manage the privileges with PHPMysqlAdmin

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