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Message on slave: Template not installed on main Posted by allyro - 2011/11/21 08:45
Hi
I've created a master http://master.mydomain.com with document root /domains/mydomain.com/subdomains/master/public_html
I then created an add-on domain for addon.com with document root /domains/addon.com/public_html
Next, I created a slave site copying the template file as I required the slave site to have its own templates. When I tried to install a Joomla template on the slave site, I got this message:
This extension is not found in the master site. Please install it first in the master site before installing it into the slave site Install Template Error
It was, however, installed on the master site. I tried this dozens of times with different Joomla templates What am I overlooking?
Thanks
Re: Message on slave: Template not installed on main Posted by edwin2win - 2011/11/22 12:41
To allow installing specific joomla template in a slave site, you need to fill the "template (themes) folder path with {deploy_dir}/templates This parameter is present in the JMS Template rule (common tabs) or in the "manage site" definition.
See also the tutorial video 0.b slide 34 and the tutorial video CP-05 http://www.jms2win.com/en/tutorial#jms12x-0b http://www.jms2win.com/en/tutorial#jms12x-CP-05

Re: Message on slave: Template not installed on main Posted by allyro - 2011/11/29 02:47

Thank you for your response.

I'm now having an issue with the alias on the same configuration mentioned below:

I've created a master master.mydomain.com with document root /domains/mydomain.com/subdomains/master/public_html

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I then created an add-on domain for addon.com with document root /domains/addon.com/public html

I then added a folder for the slave site: /domains/addon.com/public_html/folder and an alias /domains/addon.com/public html/alias (I've also tried {deploy dir}/alias.

What happens is that the alias points to the addon.com site and not the folder. Again, what did I miss? It's worked before on other sites but I haven't been using it for a while.

Kind regards Allison

Re: Message on slave: Template not installed on main Posted by edwin2win - 2011/11/30 11:23

When you create a JMS alias, this result to create a Symbolic Link at the location that you have specified the the "alias folder" field that is linked to the "deploy folder" directory.

There in your sample, if you have setup the things like

Deploy folder = root/domains/addon.com/public html Alias folder = {deploy dir}/alias

Then this create a symbolic link in root/domains/addon.com/public html/alias that point to -> root/domains/addon.com/public html (the deploy folder).

So the result is correct.