

xNews 1.68 UTF-8 CLonable & SEO **** RC1 **** - Modules

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I have made lots of old and new bug corrections, changes and improvements and before making any other addition I would like to consolidate 1.68 version as is, therefore I made an RC1 version for testing and will soon realease xNews 1.68 FINAL and after that i will concentrate on 1.69 version.

In the works - New xNews Importer/Exporter Module 1.0

Here is a list of major changes. Made so many though that I did loose track of some....

- Module preferences
 - changed "Show Previous and Next link" to accept None, Bottom, Top, Both visualization
 - added "Display Link Icons" (print, friend, pdf icons) as above
 - changed "SEO enable" to accept none, htaccess, path-info
 - added "SEO path" to include a title in url

eg. <http://your.site.com/a-title-here/topics.1/your-topic.html>

- added "SEO level" to htaccess in xoops root dir or in module dir for different url visualization

eg. ROOT = <http://your.site.com/a-title-here/topics.1/your-topic-title.html>

MODULE = <http://your.site.com/modules/xnews/a-title-here.topics.1/your-topic-title.html>

- Clone manager
 - added "Force upgrade" to enable further upgrading in case things go wrong
 - added "Delete" clone once uninstalled (this will remove selected clone dir and files completely).
- Other
 - added "Extend meta-data input" to toggle between text and textarea for user edit meta-data input
 - with 255 char max length control
 - added and modified htaccess one for root and one for modules/xnews as needed
 - improved UTF-8 management
 - Fixed Comments SEO related issues

Upgrading xNews Beta to RC1:

copy all files in modules/xnews then go to admin-modules menu and update xnews.

Upgrading clones Beta to RC1:

go to admin-xnews-Clone Manager and click on "Force Upgrade" for each clone then goto admin-modules

and update each upgraded clone.

Enjoy!!!

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