Enabling and Managing Hashtags and Tags

This tutorial will show you how to manage your tags for your site. With phpFox, you can either have Tags or Hashtags.

Here is what each one looks like:

Normal Tags (Enabled by default):

Hashtags:

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Tag Settings

In order to set your tags the way you want them, go to Apps >> Tag

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Setting Cache

The tags need to be cached for better performance. As such, this will delay new tags showing up but not by that much. To change it, when in the Tag settings, change the Cache to be what you want. Note that it is in minutes. Putting this too high can have detrimental effects for your site.

Cache

180

Define how long we should cache tag clouds that are displayed on sections that use them.

Note that this setting must be defined in minutes.

It is important to cache tag clouds as this removes a query to the database that can be rather memory extensive.

Setting Display Minimum

To change how many tags need to be added before they display when in the Tag Settings, change the value for the Display Minimum to be what you want. For example, if someone puts phpFox as a tag, how many other tags for phpFox would need to be also be added to the site before it would show up in the tag cloud blocks.

Minimum Display

1

Define how many tags must be added before they can be displayed to the public.

Higher this setting if you do want to display a tag cloud with only a few tags.

Setting the Timestamp

To change the timestamp that displays on the site in the Topics or Tag clouds, when in the Tag Settings, change the value for Trending Topics Timestamp. Here are details about the Time Stamp.

Trending Topics Timestamp

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This is the timestamp used for the phrase "Trending since {time}"

Changing the Global Tag Display Amount

To change how many tags display in the global tag clouds, when in the Tag Settings, change the value for the Total Tag Display to be what you want.

Total Tag Display

25

Define the number of tags to display in a tag cloud.

Note: This is the global default setting, other modules can override this setting.

Changing the Trending Topics Display Amount

To change how many tags display in the Trending Topics block, when in the Tag Settings, change the value for the Total Tags to Display to be what you want.

Total Tags to Display

10

Define how many tags to display in the trending topics block on each section.

Setting the Days a Tag can Trend

To change how many days that tags display in the Trending Topics block when in the Tag Settings, change the value for Days a Tag Can Trend to be what you want.

Days a Tag Can Trend

7

Define how many days a tag can trend.

Enabling or Disabling Hashtags

To enable/disable Hashtags instead of Tags, when in the Tag Settings, change the value for Enable Hashtags to be Yes for Enabled and No for disabled. Setting this to Yes will disable the normal Tags.

Enable Hashtags

Yes   No

Enable this option if you wish to allow hashtags on the site to create topics for the item being added. This will remove the default tagging system.

Always clear cache after making any changes.

> ✔ **Tips**
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> Not seeing your tags? Try the following:
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> - Change the amount of tags needed to display via the Minimum Display setting
> - Change the Cache setting but be careful with this
> - Clear cache