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# Templates for CommentPlugin

See CommentPlugin: Customisation for help.

While this topic can be viewed as a TWiki topic, it is used by the CommentPlugin as a template file - see TWikiTemplates. The important content in here is in the verbatim blocks. The rest of the topic is just comments.

 See CommentPluginExamples to view rendered templates.

 A note on security with the URLPARAM variable: Comments are passed along via URL parameters. They are safely encoded by default to reduce the exposure to cross-site scripting. To preserve user text "as is", and at the cost of security, you can turn off encoding by using `encode="off"` in the URLPARAM variable. The `newline=""` parameter of URLPARAM gets encoded with the same encoding as the actual URL parameter. In TWiki 5.0 and later you can specify `newline="$br"` to add a `<br />`, regardless of the encoding used.

WARNING: THIS FILE WILL BE OVERWRITTEN WHEN YOU UPGRADE THE COMMENT PLUGIN

Put your local templates into UserCommentsTemplate (create if it does not exist yet). **Local templates defined in that topic will override templates defined below.**

## Template definitions


### Templates used in rest of file

Generic prompt box used by other templates

```
%TMPL:DEF{promptbox}%<div class="commentPlugin commentPluginPromptBox"><table border="0" cellpadding="0" cellspacing="0"><tr><td style="padding: 5px 0 5px 5px;">
```

Short comment, signed and dated

```
%TMPL:DEF{outputoneline}% * %URLPARAM{"comment"}% -- %WIKIUSERNAME% - %GMTIME{"$day $month $year $hour $min $sec"}%
```

 See rendered template Default

### User templates

#### top

Comments, signed and dated, added at top of file

```
%TMPL:DEF{PROMPT:top}%%TMPL:P{promptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF{OUTPUT:top}%%TMPL:P{outputoneline}%%POS:TOP%  
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template top


#### bottom

Comments, signed and dated, added at end of file

```
%TMPL:DEF{PROMPT:bottom}%%TMPL:P{promptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

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```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:bottom}%%POS:BOTTOM%%TMPL:P {outputoneline}%%TMPL:END%
```


 See rendered template bottom

### above

Comments, signed and dated, added immediately before anchor

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:above}%%TMPL:P {promptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:above}%%POS:BEFORE%%TMPL:P {OUTPUT:threadmode}%%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template above


### bulletabove

Bullet item added immediately before anchor. The input field width is passed with variable `inputsize`, for example:

```
%COMMENT{type="bulletabove" inputsize="20"}%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:bulletabove}%<input class="twikiInputField" name="bullet_above_item" id="bullet_
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:bulletabove}% * %URLPARAM{"bullet_above_item"}%%POS:BEFORE%  
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template bulletabove

### threadmode


Wiki thread mode comment, signed and dated

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:threadmode}%%TMPL:P {promptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:threadmode}%%POS:BEFORE%
```

```
%URLPARAM{"comment"}%
```

```
-- %WIKIUSERNAME% - %DATE%  
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template threadmode

### belowthreadmode


Comments, signed and dated, added recurse after comment box.

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:belowthreadmode}%%TMPL:P {promptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:belowthreadmode}%%POS:AFTER%  
---++++ %WIKIUSERNAME% - %SERVERTIME%
```

```
%URLPARAM{"comment"}%
```

```
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template belowthreadmode


bottom

## below

Comments, signed and dated, added immediately below anchor

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:below}%TMPL:P {promptbox}%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:below}%POS:AFTER%TMPL:P {outputoneline}%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template below

## tableprepend

Comments, signed and dated, added at top of table below the anchor/location/COMMENT

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:tableprepend}%TMPL:P {promptbox}%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:tableprepend}%POS:AFTER% | %URLPARAM { "comment " newline="$br" }% | %WIKIUSERNAME%
%TMPL:END%
```


 See rendered template tableprepend

## tableappend

Comments, signed and dated, added at end of table above the anchor/location/COMMENT

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:tableappend}%TMPL:P {promptbox}%TMPL:END%
```


```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:tableappend}%POS:BEFORE% | %URLPARAM { "comment " newline="$br" }% | %WIKIUSERNAME%
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template tableappend

## after: Add before the comment box, after the last comment

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:after}%TMPL:P {promptbox}%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:after}%NOP%TMPL:P {outputoneline}%
%POS:BEFORE%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template after


## action

Action added to action table directly above comment box (requires TWiki:Plugins/ActionTrackerPlugin )

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT:action}%
```

```
%TABLE { databg="#ffffff" tableborder="0" cellborder="0" }%
| <label for="action_who">Action for</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" name="action_who" type="text" value="" />
| <label for="action_due">Due date</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" name="action_due" type="text" value="" />
| <label for="action_comment">Comment</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" name="action_comment" type="text" value="" />
| <input %DISABLED% type="submit" class="twikiButton" value="Add action" /> |
%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT:action}%POS:BEFORE%AC%NOP%TION { who="%URLPARAM { "action_who" }%" due="%URLPARAM { "action_due" }%" comment="%URLPARAM { "action_comment" }%" }%
%ENDAC%NOP%TION%
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template action

## table

Tablerows adding on end - TWiki:Main/FranzJosefSilli

```
%TMPL:DEF{PROMPT:table}%
%TABLE{datavg="#ffffff" tableborder="0" cellborder="0"}%
|      <label for="comment_date">Date</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
|      <label for="comment_city">City</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
|| <input %DISABLED% type="submit" class="twikiButton" value="%button|Add entry%" /> |
%TMPL:END%

%TMPL:DEF{OUTPUT:table}%%POS:BEFORE% | %URLPARAM{"comment_date"}% | %WIKIUSERNAME% | %URLPARAM{"comment_date"}%
%TMPL:END%
```


 See rendered template table

## toctalk

Talk using TOC adding on end - TWiki:Main/FranzJosefSilli

```
%TMPL:DEF{PROMPT:toctalk}%
%TABLE{datavg="#ffffff" tableborder="0" cellborder="0"}%
|      <label for="comment_summary">Summary</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
|      <label for="toctalk_comment_text">Message</label>| <textarea %DISABLED% rows="%rows|3%" />
|| <input %DISABLED% type="submit" value="%button|Add%" class="twikiButton" /> |
%TMPL:END%

%TMPL:DEF{OUTPUT:toctalk}%
%POS:BEFORE%----+++ %SERVERTIME% %WIKIUSERNAME%: %URLPARAM{"comment_summary"}%
%POS:BEFORE%%URLPARAM{"toctalk_comment_text"}%
%POS:BEFORE%
%TMPL:END%
```


 See rendered template toctalk

## bookmark

Create a list of annotated bookmarks - TWiki:Main/FranzJosefSilli

```
%TMPL:DEF{PROMPT:bookmark}%
%TABLE{datavg="#ffffff" tableborder="0" cellborder="0"}%
|      <label for="comment_url">Url</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
| <label for="comment_link">Link label</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
|      <label for="bookmark_comment_text">Comment</label>| <input class="twikiInputField" %DISABLED% type="text" value="" />
|| <input %DISABLED% type="submit" value="%button|Add bookmark%" class="twikiButton" /> |
%TMPL:END%

%TMPL:DEF{OUTPUT:bookmark}%%POS:BEFORE% * [[[%URLPARAM{"comment_url" encode="entity"}%][%URLPARAM{"comment_link" encode="entity"}%]]
%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template bookmark

## return

Post to a different topic and return to here. The comment target is set in the PROMPT. In the form below the redirectto is set to the current (including) topic. Available with TWiki 4.1.

```
%TMPL:DEF{returnpromptbox}%
```


action

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```
<input type="hidden" name="redirectto" value="%BASEWEB%.%Basetopic%" />
%TMPL:P{promptbox}%
%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {PROMPT: return}%%TMPL:P{returnpromptbox}%%TMPL:END%
```

```
%TMPL:DEF {OUTPUT: return}%%POS:BEFORE%%TMPL:P{OUTPUT:threadmode}%%TMPL:END%
```

 See rendered template return

## Include UserComments

Including UserComments:

```
%TMPL:INCLUDE{"UserComments"}%
```

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