

This page describes various terms related to PmWiki.

Author

Any user with privileges to write to the wiki.

Admin

The person (or people) who controls access to the wiki, configures the wiki, and generally is the person who installed the wiki.

Configuration file

A specially-named PHP script file where local customizations can take place for a farm, a wiki, a group, or a page.

Default configuration

The way Pm has chosen to set all settings, or an individual setting, by default. For example, [\\$EnablePathInfo](#) is disabled by c

Farm

A group of wikis that share code. Content and formats may or may not be shared. For more farm-related terms, including several

Farm-wide configuration file

A WikiFarm's *local/farmconfig.php* file, where any settings (besides [\\$FarmPubDirUrl](#)) customize the default configuration for a

Full page name

The *full page name* consists of a group and a name, e.g. `Main.WikiSandbox`. The variable for the full page name is `{ $FullNa`

Group

A collection of associated wiki pages; by default this appears in the page name as "Group.PageName". Attributes can be set on a

Local configuration file

A specially-named PHP script where local customizations can take place for an individual wiki. For an entire wiki it's named *local*

Local customization

Any deviation from the default configuration. A related phrase is "farm-wide customization".

Page file name

The *page file name* is the name of the file that normally stores the data of a page in the directory `wiki.d/`. This file name is norm

Page link

A *page link* is something that is used to generate a link to a page. For example, the markup `[[wiki sandbox]]`, `[[(wiki) s`

Page name

The *page name* is a string that PmWiki uses to refer to a page - i.e. it *names the page*. This could also be considered a *handle* fo

Note that there is no whitespace in page names, and by default PmWiki capitalizes each word in a page's name. There is howev
Note that PmWiki also uses the page name to locate per-group and per-page customization files in the `local/` subdirectory. For

Page title

A *page title* is the title element of a page, i.e. what is usually shown above the page and in the browser window's name. This title

Page URI

Page names are used in URIs to tell PmWiki which page is to be loaded or acted upon. The normal form of a page URI is usually
`http://www.example.com/pmwiki/pmwiki.php/Main.WikiSandbox`

Note that various aliasing and rewriting tricks can be used to modify this, but PmWiki expects to obtain a page name from the pa
Note that the parameter 'n' takes precedence over `PATH_INFO` if both are available.

Wikifarm

Synonymous for "[farm](#)".

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