

PmWiki uses a number of directives to specify page titles, descriptions, page keywords, and control the display of various components.

(:attachlist:)

Shows a list of attachments of the current group or page, depending on whether attachments are organised per group or per page. The parameter to (:attachlist:) always resolves to a pagename. The directive then displays all of the attachments currently available.

Options

(:attachlist NAME:) shows a list of attachments of the group or page NAME.

(:attachlist ext=xxx:) specifies an extension for filtering by type of file.

(:attachlist *:) shows the uploads directory and permits browsing of all uploaded files by directory (*will not work if [\\$EnableUploads](#)*).

(:description text:)

Descriptive text associated with the page. (Generates a `<meta name='description' content='...' />` element in the page header).

(:keywords word1, word2, ...:)

Identifies keywords associated with the page. These are not displayed anywhere, but are useful to help search engines locate the page.

(:linebreaks:), (:nolinebreaks:)

Honors any newlines in the markup; i.e., text entered on separate lines in the markup will appear as separate lines in the output.

(:linkwikiwords:), (:nolinkwikiwords:)

Enables/disables WikiWord links in text.

(:markup:) ... (:markupend:) or (:markup:)[=...=]

Can be used for markup examples, showing first the markup and then the result of the markup.

Options

(:markup class=horiz:) will show the markup side by side instead of one upon the other.

(:markup caption='...':) adds a caption to the markup example.

(:markupend:) is not required when using (:markup:)[=...=].

Note that the placement of newlines is very important for this markup. If you are using the [=...=] option then the opening [=

(:messages:)

Displays [messages](#) from PmWiki or recipes, for instance from editing pages.

`(:noaction:)`

Turns off the section of the skin marked by `<!--PageActionFmt-->` thru `<!--/PageActionFmt-->`. In the pmwiki skin, this turns off the

`(:nogroupheader:)`

`(:nogroupfooter:)`

Turns off any groupheader or groupfooter for the page. (See [GroupHeaders](#).)

`(:noheader:), (:nofooter:)`

`(:noleft:), (:noright:), (:notitle:)`

If supported by the [skin](#), each of these turns off the corresponding portion of the page.

`(:redirect PageName:)`

Redirects to another wiki page.

`(:redirect PageName#anchor:)`

Redirects to an [anchor](#) within a page

`(:redirect PageName status=301 from=name quiet=1:)`

Redirects the browser to another page, along with a redirect message. For security reasons this only redirects to other pages with

`(:spacewikiwords:), (:nospacewikiwords:)`

Enables/disables automatic spacing of WikiWords in text.

`(:title text:)`

Sets a page's title to be something other than the page's name. The title text can contain apostrophes and other special characters.

`(:nl:)`

Creates a new line if there isn't one already there. See [this thread](#) for more info.

Similar to `[[<]]`

Can I get `(:redirect:)` to return a "moved permanently" (HTTP 301) status code?

Use `(:redirect PageName status=301:)`.

Is there any way to prevent the "redirected from" message from showing at the top of the target page when I use `(:redirect:`

From version 2.2.1 on, set in config.php [\\$EnableRedirectQuiet=1](#); and in the page `(:redirect OtherPage quiet=1:`

Is there any method for redirecting to the equivalent page in a different group, i.e. from BadGroup/thispage => GoodGroup/thispage

`(:redirect Goodgroup.{ $Name }:)` works if you want to put it in one page.

If you want it to work for the entire group, put `(:redirect Goodgroup.{ *$Name }:)` into Badgroup.GroupHeader - however, that only works

With `(:if exists Goodgroup.{ *$Name }:)(:redirect Goodgroup.{ *$Name }:)(:ifend:)` in Badgroup.GroupHeader you get redirected to Goodgroup

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