A PLAN FOR THE 2016 COMMUNITY WISHLIST

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Goat User Story:

As a goat, I would like goats to replace

cats as the lingua franca of the internet

Community Wishlist:

A collaborative approach!

The Wishlist in practice

Local and international surveys

- German community wishlist survey 2013: ~ 115 participants, 230 proposals (the prototype)
- German community wishlist survey 2015: ~ 235 participants, 132 proposals
- International community wishlist survey 2015: ~ 630 participants, 107 proposals
- International community wishlist survey 2016: 1132 participants, 265 proposals
- German community wishlist survey 2017: TBA, summer 2017

Voting process

international

Community Wishlist 2016

Voting – Length of edit summary the non-Latin languages can use

1. ⊕ **Support** BethNaught (talk) 08:16, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
2. ⊕ **Support** Skydrinker (talk) 13:47, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
3. ⊕ **Support** --Michgrig (talk) 13:52, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
4. ⊕ **Support** --Vladis13 (talk) 14:17, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
5. ⊕ **Support** RasabJacek (talk) 15:19, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
6. ⊕ **Support**. Cat of the Six (talk) 15:27, 28 November 2016 (UTC).
7. ⊕ **Support**. --Есстествоиспытатель (talk) 15:29, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
8. ⊕ **Support** Sadads (talk) 15:36, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
9. ⊕ **Support** Liasmi (talk) 16:00, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
10. ⊕ **Support** – *Meiræ* 16:17, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
11. ⊕ **Support** --Inctructor (talk) 16:27, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
12. ⊕ **Support** --Kosun (talk) 17:11, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
13. ⊕ **Support** --Arbnos (talk) 17:37, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
14. ⊕ **Support**! ~ *Starship Trooper* ~ 17:55, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
15. ⊕ **Support** --A.Savin (talk) 18:16, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
16. ⊕ **Support** --VAP+VYK (talk) 18:50, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
17. ⊕ **Support** --Wintik (talk) 19:20, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
18. ⊕ **Support**. Max Semenik (talk) 19:28, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
19. ⊕ **Support**.--Vladimir Solovjev (talk) 20:15, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
20. ⊕ **Support** JAn Dudík (talk) 21:52, 28 November 2016 (UTC)
21. ⊕ **Support** — Ping08 (talk) 21:59, 28 November 2016 (UTC)

Top Community Tech wishlist results 2016

Rank	Proposal	Category	Support	Tickets
1	Global gadgets	Bots and gadgets	91	T22153
2	Edit summary length for non-Latin languages	Miscellaneous	90	T6715
3	Section heading URLs for non-Latin languages	Miscellaneous	88	T75092
4	Global settings	Miscellaneous	84	T16950
5	Rewrite Xtools	Moderation tools	84	T153112
6	Wikitext editor syntax highlighting	Editing	82	T101246
7	Warning on unsuccessful login attempts	Miscellaneous	73	T11838
8	Automatic archive for new external links	Bots and gadgets	72	T153354
9	Fix Mr.Z-bot's popular pages report	WikiProjects	72	T141154
10	User rights expiration	Admins and stewards	70	T12493

265 wishes, in order of support votes

The WMF Community Tech team is responsible for evaluating and addressing the top 10.

The Technical Collaboration team is helping volunteers work on wishes #11–on.

https://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/2016_Community_Wishlist_Survey/Results

#1: Global Gadgets

#2: Edit summary length for non-Latin languages

#3: Section heading URLs for non-Latin languages

#4: Global Settings

#5: Rewrite XTools

#6: Wikitext editor syntax highlighter

#7: Warning on unsuccessful login attempts

#8: Automatic archive for new external links

#9: Fix Mr.Z-bot's popular pages report

#10: User rights expiration

WMDE Technical Wishes: Current and upcoming tasks in Q1/2017 (January – March)

TwoColConflict Extension

Advanced Search Interface

Show changes in moved text paragraphs

Book Referencing Wish

Correctly move files to Commons

Deployment only

Tables in PDFs

RevisionSlider

TwoColConflict Extension

- Provide a better way to resolve edit conflicts

- Passed security review, some open tasks

- Planned as a beta feature

Show changes in moved text paragraphs

- Needs to be written in C++ and PHP

- First prototype written in C++

- Next steps: Check performance issues, check if it is doable in PHP, too

Book Referencing Wish

Problem: When referencing different sections of the same book, the whole source always needs to be repeated

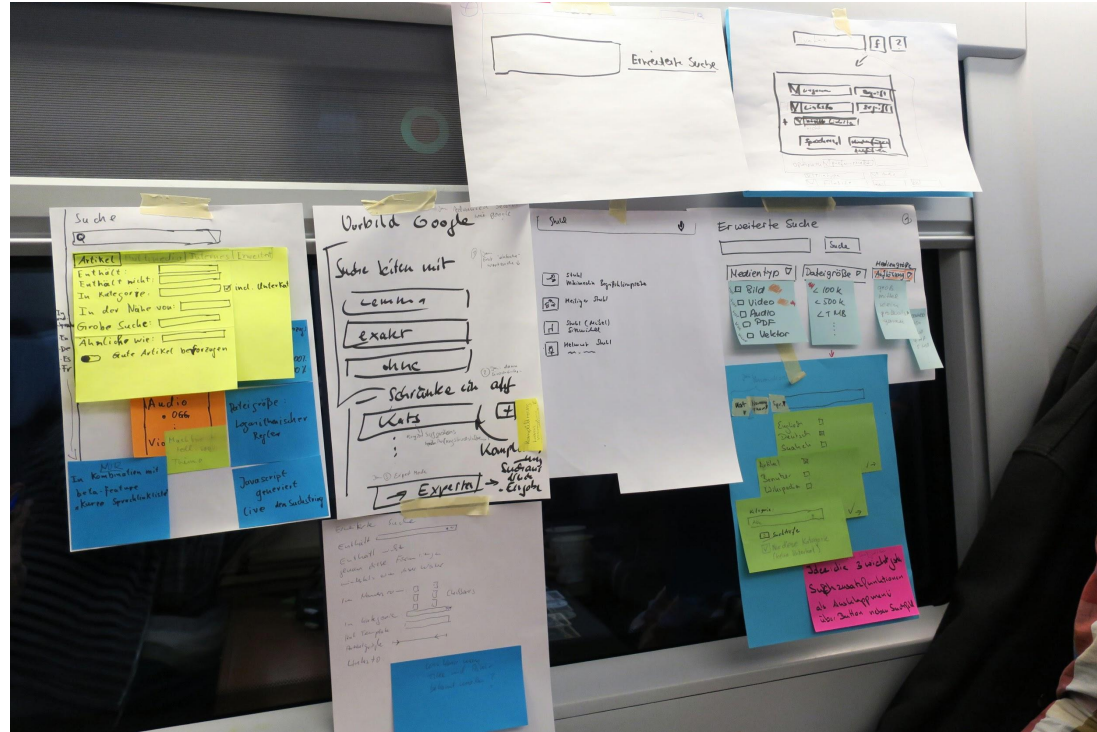**Solution:** Provide an efficient way to refer to different pages of the same work when adding references to an article by implementing a "refines" parameter.

- A reference that was named with name="animal" can then be refined through <ref refines="animal">

- <ref refines="animal"> Page 25 </ref> will lead to "Page 25" being printed in the references section, below the definition of the "animal" source

Advanced Search Interface

Make special search

parameters accessible via

the advanced search interface

-> Unconference session

with Dan & Birgit on Tuesday!

https://phabricator.wikimedia.org/T154911

More tasks to hack on:

Wishlist tasks beyond the top 10!

11	Add a button in the watchlist to remove pages	Watchlists	68	T2424
12	Ability to edit Wikidata from WP and other projects	Wikidata	68	T132790, T103092, T136599 Related: T112987
13	Improve diff to handle splitting a paragraph	Editing	63	Related: T21092, T7072
14	New User Landing Page - Article Creation Workflow	Bots and gadgets	63	Related: T50552
15	360 panorama support	Multimedia	58	T151749, T105789, T70719, T138933
16	Graphs, charts, and timelines tools	Editing	56	T56213
17	Web-based AutoWikiBrowser alternative	Bots and gadgets	56	
18	Support for Incubator projects	Wikidata	54	T54971
19	Checking dead links on all projects	Miscellaneous	53	Related: T140388, T132606
20	Create new Han Characters with IDS extension for Wikisource	Wikisource	53	T154044
21	Better interface and visualisation for coordinates and map	Reading	49	Related: T137253

22	Editor-focused central editing dashboard	Editing	48	T91655
23	Watchlist priorities or Multiple watchlists	Watchlists	48	T3492 Related: T126641
24	Ask new users to disclose paid editing	Miscellaneous	47	
25	Category move should also move stuff inside that category	Editing	47	T5311
26	Improve the stability of the page while loading	Miscellaneous	47	T28234
27	Notifications for when your image is used	Multimedia	45	T77154
28	Add categories to the app	Mobile and apps	45	T73966
29	Identify high-use gadgets and ensure that they have proper long-term maintenance	Bots and gadgets	43	T108630 Related: T121470, T87730, T151056
30	Add talk page links to the app	Mobile and apps	42	
31	Auto-saving edits	Editing	41	T75241
32	Automatic import and formatting of literature references from selected database sources	Citations	41	

Thank you!

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