

Plugin Regex

Use this [wiki plugin](#) to use a "regular expression" style search expression from another wiki page to search for and replace text in the body of the plugin (between the `REGEX` tags).

Parameters

Perform a regular expression search and replace

*Introduced in Tiki 1. Required parameters are in **bold**.*

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Preferences required: `wikiplugin_regex`

Parameters	Accepted Values	Description	Default	Since
(body of plugin)		Each line of content is evaluated separately		
pageName		Name of page containing search and replace expressions separated by two colons. Example of syntax on that page: <code>/search pattern/::replacement text</code>	pageName	1

To use this plugin:

1. Place the search pattern (enclosed with forward slashes) and replacement text on a separate wiki page, separated by two colons (`::`). For example:
`/search pattern/::replacement text`
2. Then enter that page name as the `pageName` parameter value of the plugin.
3. The text in the body of the plugin (between the `REGEX` tags) will be searched and each match of the search pattern will be replaced by the replacement text.

This plugin mimics the [preg_replace](#) PHP function. For advanced search patterns, see <http://www.php.net/manual/en/reference.pcre.pattern.syntax.php> in the online PHP manual or simply search the internet for "regular expression syntax".

Example

This code:

```
{REGEX(pageName="PluginRegex Example")}I had a horrible day.{REGEX}
```

Plus this syntax on a separate wiki page called [PluginRegex Example](#):

```
/horrible/::wonderful
```

Would produce:

I had a wonderful day.

Aliases

[Plugin Regex](#) | [PluginRegularExpression](#) | [Plugin RegularExpression](#) | [Plugin Regular Expression](#)