

PO Converter for TikiWiki

Intro

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Here are two small utilities to convert between TikiWiki's language.php files and GNU gettext PO files. PO files are generally easier to translate since a number of tools are available to automate this.

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PO tools use the [Translate toolkit](#) to do the complicated work and are written in [Python](#).

Moreover, the Translate project has produced [Pootle](#) — a web interface that allows anyone from the net to translate PO files. No need any more to be initiated in the black magic of PO file manipulation.

The utilities should make it easier to pick up on a stale Tikiwiki translation.

Prerequisites:

- Python interpreter (<http://www.python.org>) installed on your system
- Translate toolkit (<http://translate.sf.net>), downloaded and installed on your system

Usage

- **python tiki2po.py infile.php outfile.po** # produces a PO from TikiWiki's language file
- **python po2tiki.py infile.po outfile.php** # produces a TikiWiki's language file from PO

Additional docs available on the [Translate Toolkit tiki2po page](#)

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- By installing the Translate Toolkit you'll get this script automatically, however, the source is available from SVN should you want it separately: [tiki2po](#) and [po2tiki](#).

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History

[filmil](#) originally wrote a script in 2005 which [clouserw](#) rewrote to work with the Toolkit in 2008.