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## Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/16 16:12

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Hi All,  
If I enable to display the thumbnail the introtext isn't shown, just the 'read more' link. Solution?  
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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Erwin Schro - 2008/03/16 23:44

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Zoltan,  
please provide us with your minifp parameter combination setting.  
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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/17 07:03

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Enable Cache No  
----- Article Sources Properties -----  
...  
Period of Novelty (Days) 10  
Thumbnail Position Before Title  
Show category title Yes  
Frontpage Items Yes  
Display Article title Yes  
Title Link Yes  
Display author Yes  
Display date articles created Yes  
Limit intro text 200

----- Display Format -----  
Number of columns 1  
Number of Articles to display 1  
Number of Introtext / Hide Introtext 1  
----- Image Thumbnails -----  
Show thumbnails Yes  
Thumbnail Image Width 120  
Thumbnail Image height 180  
Preserve Aspect Yes

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Erwin Schro - 2008/03/17 08:12

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Zoltan, please check your article source, have you set the right section id(s) or category(s)? After that, re-check articles creation date whether they still in the range of Period of Novelty Days parameter you've set.  
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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/17 08:25

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article source checked, section and category ids are correct.  
The article is in the range of Period of Novelty.

I can see the title of the article, but the introtext isn't shown. If I disable the thumb, the introtext is shown.

You can see <http://www.villanyujsag.hu> breaking news

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Myfia - 2008/03/17 11:56

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Hi Zoltan,

may I know what display setting you like to set for your site?  
I've visited your site. Would you like share with us.  
Thank you

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/17 14:00

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What do you mean display setting? The template width is the original now, but I am thinking to give a column to the right for skycrepers. It is 160-170px extra. Is this what you are interested in?

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Myfia - 2008/03/17 14:11

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Hi Zoltan,

Sorry, it looks I got wrong perception from your earlier posting.

I was thought your posting is about introtext and thumbnails setting (MFP).

If what you mean is about a column to the right for skycrepers (some 160-170px extra), let me check this first.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/18 11:42

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MiniFrontpage Thumbnail settings.

[www.villanyujsag.hu](http://www.villanyujsag.hu)

In advert1 position you can see the MFP module called breaking news. If I enable the thumbnail the introtext isn't shown.

When I disble the thumb, introtext is shown.

In user6 position. If I enable the thumb, it use the original MFP thumb instead of generating one from the pictures inside the article. I've tried everything without any success.

Thanks

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Myfia - 2008/03/18 12:18

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Hi Zoltan,

let me clarify first.  
you want to set thumbnails and introtext shown, is it correct?

here is image for the setting above  
[http://www.templateplazza.com/images/fbfiles/images/MFP\\_advert1.png](http://www.templateplazza.com/images/fbfiles/images/MFP_advert1.png)

let me know if the setting is like this sample image

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/18 12:57

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Yes it is.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by CET - 2008/03/18 20:16

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I've found that minifrontpage doesn't display preview text if there is an image before it. Perhaps because it is reading the image code as part of the text count? If I put some text before the first pic, it works just fine. It's not the end of the world, but it is kinda annoying.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/19 01:43

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Yes, it's partly solve the problem, but in this case it displays the introtext just before the first picture. You are true, this is not the EOW, but it is not so flexible. Otherwise I've checked with other template (timesplazza), and the introtext appears in that case if there is no text before the picture. Hmmmm... More than three days I am trying to find out what is wrong on my site. Probaply it is better to restart from the beginning.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Erwin Schro - 2008/03/19 07:47

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Guys, I just can't reproduce your problem above on my side...so tell us how did you manage to add your image(s) on your editor?

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/19 09:52

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Yesss!! Solved!  
The minifrontpage uses the pictures from the images folder. When I insert an image I give the full acces path for the image for example <http://www.mypage.com/images/stories/myimage.jpg> I can viev the picture int he TinyMCE or JoomlaFCK, but the MiniFrontPage can not see myimage.jpg, I think it thinks that it is an outer link. If I use only <images/stories/myimage.jpg> I cann'r see the picture in the editors insert window justh the outlines, but in this case it makes the thumb, and everything is fine.

Dear TP Admin, is it possible to hack the MFP that we could see the generated thumb when we give the full acces path at the editor? That would be great.

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Thanks

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/19 13:03

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Just one more question with the MFP. I can set up the size of the thumb (64x64), but if the picture I wanted to load has an another ratio, such as 100 x 45. What to do, because the pictures with the articles are always changing.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Torlux - 2008/03/28 00:04

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I have found the same problem. Let me try to explain.

In the 1.5 version of MF made obviously for joomla 1.5 the thumbnail and text are exclusive of eachother under certain circumstances. Meaning you can have only one or the other regardless of backend settings.

The error occurs when you have an image in the article and it comes before any text in the article:

Spanish designer Jaume Tresserra has come up with blablalbla.

In the above case the thumbnail is shown but the intro text is not.

If however you have this in your article:

Spanish designer Jaume Tresserra has come up with blablalbla. More bla bla bla.

Then both the thumbnail and intro text are shown.

This was not a problem in versions not for 1.5 because you could always use `<img src="" alt="" />` but now you have to use a direct reference to the image. (J 1.5.1

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Zoltan Babak - 2008/03/28 01:03

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Yes, you are true, but in your second examble the MFP displays the tex before the picture. If it is only two words it displays that two word and no more behind the picture.

I've changed a few lien of the source code of the MFP but be care with it, I've neither write a line of PHP nor other recently used programming languages.

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## Re:Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by torlux - 2008/03/28 11:04

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You're right i failed to mention that. Whatever the amount of text before the `<img src="" alt="" />` tag thats the amount that shows, if you have 1 word only 1 word shows etc.

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## Re: Thumb image vs introtext

Posted by Jakob - 2008/04/02 22:05

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Yeah, I have the same problem... isn't there any other solution??? :(

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