Glossary

Whilst enjoying the company in the community Chat, you may see some unfamiliar terms:

branch, commit, merge request, pull request or checkout
- Terms used by developers in reference to the repository of files

branch21, branch22, trunk/master/main
- Different branches of Tiki versions.

cms
- content management system.

dev or dev.t.o or dev.tw.o
- http://dev.tiki.org - Developer site

doc or doc.t.o or doc.tw.o
- http://doc.tiki.org - Documentation site

DogFood or Dogfooding
- it’s a metaphor to use Tiki’s features to manage our own development, processes and to solve problems

gitter
- This is our chat solution and main support channel, which you can also access via a Matrix account

info.to or info.tw.o
- http://info.tiki.org - General information site, which is a Perspective of tiki.org

irc
- Internet Relay Chat. This was our chat solution and main support channel before Gitter.

Long Term Support or LTS
- Some Tiki versions receive updates for an extended period. See Tiki Versions.

module
- right- and left-column boxes in Tiki (also can be displayed in a wiki page by use of a plugin). Not the same meaning as in other CMSs.

plugin or wikiplugin
- extensions of the wiki syntax. Not the same meaning as in other CMSs. In Tiki, it is to plug something into a page.

polom
- See polom

RFE or wish
- Request for enhancement that you should submit to dev.t.o

sf
- https://sourceforge.net/projects/tikiwiki/ is what we used for source control before Git. Still used for downloads and Mailing Lists
Subversion is our previous way to manage source control (before Git)

t.o or tw.o  
http://tiki.org (You are here - the Tiki Community site)

themes or themes.t.o or themes.tw.o  
http://themes.tiki.org - Themes site

trunk (or master/main)  
the latest in-development version of Tiki (in Git)

WYSIWTSN  
Unlike WYSIWYCA, WYSIWTSN is driven by user motivation. It's meant to allow for larger Tiki installations broken down into workspaces using Perspectives.

WYSIWYCA  
What You See Is What You Can Access (do not show options that you are not supposed to see). In other words, list and menu items aren't displayed for pages or features, etc, that the visitor doesn't have permission to see.

WYSIWYG  
What You See Is What You Get - it means while you edit the page you see it directly (as closely as possible) as it will appear after save (shows text layout and styling, etc. in the edit window). In latest Tiki versions we have integrated CKeditor to achieve that.

Related links

- Glossary Ideas
- doc:Glossary
- pr:Collaborative_Multilingual_Terminology