
social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by amitvns04 - 2014/10/05 14:49

sir

is there any method that a user can share the quiz results and quiz events in facebook and other social sites?

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2014/10/05 14:55

Hello,

Currently the extension doesn't support this ability. It will be available in a future version of the extension.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by amitvns04 - 2014/10/05 15:04

thanx sir
I am waiting for it

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/01/31 18:33

Hi Team !

I have just bought Ari Quizz and so far have been impressed by its capacities.

However, the inability to share quizz results in Facebook (mostly) and other social networks is just a big issue for us. :S

We aim to have people to challenge each others with quizzes result, and I just discovered that it is not yet available in Ari Quizz... The very deep concept of quizz is crying out loud for sharing results in our social network !

You feature a (great) relaoding plugin for Google AdSenses, but not support FaceBook sharing !

When do you think you'll have that feature available ?
Is there any work around, in order to be able to wait for it ?

Many thanks in advance for your solutions,

Keep up the great work,
Thxs

Dominique

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/01/31 19:57

Hello,

We will implement this feature soon. Try to do it within a month.

Regards,
ARI Soft

Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/02/02 11:30

Hi Team,

Thanks for your answer over week-end, and thanks for the GOOD news !!
It is very important for us, and will definitively add a lot to AriQuiz power / interest.

If you need anything, or if we can be of help here please let us know.

Looking forward to test this feature soon !
Best

Dom

Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/02/16 16:40

Hi Team !

Just a quick check in case you have some news on this 'social share' function.

And also a quick question / suggestion : it would be nice to be able to edite what will be share.

For instance, be able to create a template for face book where we could decide that the message that will be shared will be:

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{name of the quizz}
My Score is {score of the quiz}

What will be yours ??

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And hopefully be able to get different message per result scales : very helpful to tease others in Social Networks.

If you need any help / test, please let me know !!

Thanks in advance &
Best regards

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/02/17 07:02

Hello,

Thank you for your suggestion. We will take it into account.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by amitvns04 - 2015/03/07 05:35

sir I am waiting for the good news

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/03/22 18:25

Hi Team !

Do you have any news on this social sharing feature ?
I really hope it will be available soon...

Many thanks in advance,
And let me know if I can be of any help on this.

Best
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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/15 06:59

Hello,

"ARI Quiz" v. 3.7.4 supports ability to share results via social networks (Facebook, Google+ and Twitter). See "Results settings -> Share results" parameter in quiz settings.

This feature works on Joomla! 3.x.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/15 10:40

Great news !!!!

Many thanks !!
I'm gonna check this out now, and will keep you posted.

Best !
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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/15 11:47

Hi Team,

First, many thanks for implementing Social Network sharing within AriQuizz.
Quizzes are so well fitting with Social Network teasing ! :)

I have just given a trial to this brand new functionality, and here is my feedback :

1) NEED OF A STEP FURTHER !

The way it is implemented now doesn't really unleash the power of teasing / sharing in Social Network.
We can't really control when & what is shared.

We need to have it implemented 'a step further'... The GREAT RESULT SYSTEM available in AriQuizz allows us to create different screen for different results via the TEXT TEMPLATE.

The ideal way regarding sharing would be to use the TEXT TEMPLATE to position the Social Networks sharing :

- We would have 3 text zones (one for FaceBook, one for Google+, one for Twitter) where we create what should / can be shared depending the Social Network.
- The content of those 3 zone will be process and shared when the player click on one of the 3 buttons that should be displayed (one per Social Network)
- Ideally, we should be able to select 3 different buttons (if we want to have 'personalized ' Social Network buttons-
- We should be able to position those 3 buttons anywhere in the Joomla Editor, or at least either at the top or at the bottom

Could you push the effort a little further, and really use the true power of TEXT TEMPLATE, blended with the Social Network sharing features, to unleash AriQuizz popularity in quizz makers and quizzes lovers ?

Can I be of help here ? this feature would really make a difference, and you have already done a part of the job :-)

2) NOT SURE HOW IT CURRENTLY WORKS !

- For now, I presume that apart from placing a very generic text in the 'Social Sharing' tab in the 'Config' there's nothing we can tweak more than that. Correct?
- Also, it seems that it grab an image from the result page, but apparently we can't control which one and how right ? (that would be solved by the solution mentioned above !). We can't control either the link shared ? (I want the homepage to be shared for instance, not the result page itself)
- The tweeter and Google+ seem to work (even if text in Google+ hasn't been the one I mentioned in the Config). But Facebook apparently doesn't work on my side... Any idea / solution ?
- how can I place the button at the bottom of the page ? How can I make it more explicit ? Possible to have 1 button per Social Network, to allow sharing in a simple and direct click ?

It's a big step in AriQuizz history, to have Social Network implemented. It will really boost its interest :-) :woohoo:
I really hope you'll be able to push the implementation a step further. And if I can be of any help, please let me know !

Looking forward to have more good news, or requests from you ;-)

Thanks again for hard work
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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/15 13:12

Hello,

1. Thank you for your suggestions. We will take them into account for new versions of the extension.
2. Currently the extension shows "Share results" button with drop-down menu when "Results settings -> Share results" parameter is set to "Yes" in quiz settings. The message which will be added on Facebook and Twitter is defined on "ARI Quiz -> Config" page. See "Social sharing -> Message" parameter. If you want to change position of the button, see

/components/com_ariquiz/views/quizcomplete/default.php template file.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/16 16:49

Hi,

1Â°) Regarding suggestions made, and the fact that you will think about them for next version : could you tell me if you can think of a timeframe for this ? Can I hope for something within the next weeks ?

2Â°) Waiting for those improvements, I have a question for the current version : regarding the message that is posted on the Social Networks : how is chosen / grabbed the image for the post ? It is taken from the 'Result' screen ? How can we control that ? Can we force one image ? Does it take the first image of the post ?

(I would like to have 1 specific image per result screen... Not doable for now ?)

Many thanks for your advices and time,
Best
Dom

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/16 17:00

Hello,

What image do you mean? The extension posts only message from "ARI Quiz -> Config" page.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/16 17:11

Hello !

IMAGE in POST

I mean, for real impact, it is much better to have an image in post in Social Network.

On my site <http://www.test-cerebral.com/> I have 10 different result pages.
For instance : <http://www.test-cerebral.com/test-cerebral/Results-c1bd7f110e57f1960170533a546c8ad1>

On that last one, you can try the social sharing post.
The Google+ one is definitively grabbing an image from the post !

Actually, it grabs one that make sense :-)

But this is really something we need to control per result screen to really take benefit of the Social Network (reason why I have been asking that in previous posts). Possible to control this on current version? Not sure I'll be luck with all results page...

Also, from this page, the Facebook sharing doesn't seem to work for me... Could you give it a try ?

REPLACE DE CURRENT BUTON BY AN IMAGE

On current version, I'd like to replace the 'Social Sharing' button, by an image (I'll put one with the social sharing icons) that would also display the drop-down list on a click.

How can I replace that button by an image ? In which file ? Could you advice a code ?

Many many thanks !

I really love what you are doing with AriQuiz. It is becoming more and more flexible.

Dom

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/17 15:08

Hi again !

- Did you had enough info in my last post ? (about image)

It would be really great to be able to insert at least one generic image (company / quizz logo...) if not yet per result screen. For now Google+ seems to grab an image anyhow...

- Any hint on how to change button aspect ?

Many thanks for your help and great work,

Cheers

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/17 17:24

Hello,

- Only a link is sent to Google+, it selects content which will be shared for the link automatically.

- If you want to change "Share results" button, see /components/com_ariquiz/views/quizcomplete/default.php template file.

Regards,

ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/18 19:41

Hi Team,

First of all, thanks for your answers.

BUG : I found a bug in the 'Social Sharing' functionality.

If you try to share with Facebook, it takes the TEXT from the 'Quizzes/Quizname/MainSettings --> Description'. It is NOT taking the text from the 'Config/Social Sharing' option.

I have tried to paste the text from 'Config/Social Sharing' and pasted it in 'Quizzes/Quizname/MainSettings -->

Description' but it doesn't process the variable... And anyway it is not the purpose of it...

Additional info : it does work well with Twitter --> the text is taken from 'Config/Social Sharing'AND the variable is processed. Nice !

Additional info 2: on Facebook, the picture is grabbed from the proper result page even if the text is not. At least that's something (and lucky me, it seems that my result template is ok as Facebook takes the right picture from it. May be it is just the first picture it finds ?)

Do you think you can have a look to this before end of Monday ?
I planned to lunch the site officially on Monday...

Many thanks for your help!
Kind regards,

Dom

To check things out : <http://www.test-cerebral.com/test-cerebral/Results-3e3ca06dfa63fa54c94e027b3798e7ef>

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/19 11:05

Upgrade the extension to v. 3.7.5.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/19 12:27

Hello !

Yes !!! Well done !
Bug fixed !! :-) :-)

Many thanks !

ISSUE / REQUEST : I have an additional question / request...

I -really- need the url implemented in the Social Networks posts to be the homepage one, instead of the one from the result screen . So when people will click, they will be driven to the homepage of the website and not on the result screen...

Do you know what I mean ?
How can I do that ???

I really really hope that there is a way to do this...
What do you think ? Is there a file I can edit ?

Many thanks in advance for your help / advice on this.

Best,
Dom

Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/19 17:06

It is not possible via "sharer.php" Facebook API. If share a home page via "sharer.php" then meta description (open graph description) from main page will be used by Facebook.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/19 17:27

Hi !

Thanks for your answers today !
Amazing you are working & answering also on Sunday.

Regrading the url shared via the new sharing functionality... I'm afraid it actually doesn't make sense for us (and probably for most user of AriQuiz) to send people to the results screens.

The teasing 'I made this score, try it by yourself now' only make sense if -when people click- the end at the beginning of the quizz.
The less click the better. It is really not logic to send them at the end of the quiz.

And actually, they wil also be able to share that 'Result screen' themselves without having done the Quizz themselves !!
That really turn things down...

There must have a solution !
May be not using sharer.php ?

Worst case, I think I'll pass on the real score result, and just use a very simple 'share' or 'like', or something... Sending our players on result screens really doesn't make it...

Can't you think about a bypass / / trick / creative / other solution ? I'm not familiar with Facebook API, but I'm pretty sure I have seen this already...

I really hope there's a way to do this !
Would really be nice to be able to share the score of the player, and the homepage link....

Hoping for good news !

Many thanks in advance.
Best to you

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Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/19 17:42

Users share their results and it is logical share a link to results page.

For your case a possible solution is adding button like "Take quiz again" or "Try to get better" (it will open a quiz page).

PS: If you want to share not a quiz results page link with a custom message, we can offer a custom development. If you are interested in it, we can discuss details by email.

Regards,
ARI Soft

Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by DomJam - 2015/04/19 18:00

Hi again :)

Indeed, we thought about a link like 'Try the quizz again' on each Result page, and we are gonna put one in the end.

But still, we really believe that -at least for us- it is not logical to send new visitors on Results pages.
And also for the good reason that : they will be able to click on 'share' themselves, without having answered to any of the question of the quizz !!! That really kill a big part of the challenge !

I'm gonna try to redirect people to homepage if not coming on a result page from within the website (may be an option you could think of in AriQuiz). But if I can't manage to do it properly, yes I will contact you via email for sure...

I might also contact you regarding of the picture shared : on the preview from Facebook, it grabs a picture from the page that makes sense for our quiz. BUT in the end, on Facebook profil, it is using another image, apparently the logo but zoomed in in a way that make it really ugly... I think it will be an issue with others, but something for sure : I can't let it the way it is no....

If ever you have more ideas / solution on this (link and picture) please let me know !!!
I'm gonna give some trials on the redirect thing, and will contact you by email very soon (probably)

Many thanks for all the advices / explanations

Kindly
Dom

Re:social share of ARI Quiz

Posted by admin - 2015/04/19 18:03

Image for a page can be defined via open graph tags, but it requires modification of the extension. We will add this feature to "ARI Quiz" v. 4.x, but currently we don't have an exact date when it will be released.

Regards,
ARI Soft
