

User Account Settings

This page contains settings useful for customizing the My Account section of your site. For now, the switches deal almost exclusively with the My Account Home Page.

Main Settings

My Account Home Type

You can select to use either the newer "My Account Page" layout or the older "User Management Home Page" layout. Examples of each are shown below (click on them to see bigger pictures). If choosing the "My Account Home" setting after upgrading from a version of the software prior to 4.0.0RC11, you'll want to make sure you include the **(!MY_ACCOUNT_LINKS!)** module (shown on the left in the first screenshot below) in the template used on the My Account Home page, so that your users can navigate their account settings. If you installed the software at version 4.0.0RC11 or higher, this is now the default setup, and already done for you.

My Account Home (New)

User Management Home Page (Old)

The screenshot shows the 'My Account' page with a blue header bar containing links for 'Browse', 'Search', 'Sell', 'My Account', 'Privacy', and 'Contact Us'. On the right of the header are '01/07/2009', 'Sign Out', and 'Welcome testing1'. Below the header is a section titled 'Account Settings for testing1' with a sub-instruction: 'Access various areas of your account by clicking on the links below'. The page is divided into two columns of icons and labels. The left column includes: 'new listing' (pencil icon), 'my active listings' (document icon), 'my expired listings' (document with red circle icon), 'my favorites' (heart icon), 'my listing filters' (magnifying glass icon), 'my current bids' (bid icon), and 'feedback management' (person icon). The right column includes: 'my account information' (file folder icon), 'my messages' (envelope icon), 'message settings' (envelope with gear icon), 'print signs and flyers' (document with printer icon), 'Invited list of buyers' (two people icon), 'block listed buyers' (two people with crossed-out icon), and 'my storefront' (storefront icon). At the bottom of the page, there is a section for 'My Current Account Balance: \$350.92US' with 'account balance history' (calendar icon) and 'add to account balance' (dollar bill icon) buttons.

Post-Login Landing Page

You can choose which page the user is directed to after they login here...to the user management home page or the site wide home page. Upon successful completion of login the user will be directed to the page you choose.

Number of rows per table

Here, you can choose the maximum number of rows you would like to appear in information tables on the My Account Page (this setting has no effect if you are using the old User Account Home Page)

Boxes

The My Account Home Page organizes information into what we call, simply, "boxes." Each box shows information related to a different aspect of the software. The checkboxes in this section can be used to turn each box on or off. If a box is turned off, it will not display on the front-side of the site until it is turned on again (though any relevant data, such as which Auctions have recently sold, will still be tracked).

The "Recently Sold" row has a sub-setting that can be used to specify how far back in time (in days) the Recently Sold box looks when finding listings that have been sold. In other words, this setting lets you specify exactly how recent is meant by "Recently."

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