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Wiki Access Control

General information about Wiki Access Control can be found at [AccessControl](#)

The default access control of the IAC Wiki

- Most of the IAC Wiki can only be viewed by users that are logged in.
- An exception is the Public Web.
- Please put topics that should be visible worldwide without a login into the Public Web.
- Wiki pages can only be edited by users that are logged in.

How to change the default access control rules

⚠ IMPORTANT: Use for the following **Set** statements inside a bullet list. Don't forget the **three spaces** before the asterisk!

Restrict viewing a topic

- To restrict viewing a topic only to your group members write the following on your Wiki page:

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICVIEW = Main.GroupnameGroup
```

For example:

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICVIEW = Main.LinuxAdminGroup
```

- To restrict viewing to a group of people:

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICVIEW = Main.WikiUser1, Main.WikiUser2, Main.WikiUser3
```

- To make a topic visible (and editable) only for you:

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICVIEW = Main.YourWikiname
```

- If for some reason, you would like to make a topic in a closed Web visible without login, you can always overwrite the default access control rule (Set DENYTOPICVIEW = WikiGuest) with

```
* Set DENYTOPICVIEW =
```

Restrict editing a topic

- Use ALLOWTOPICCHANGE to restrict editing a topic, for example:

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICCHANGE = Main.YourWikiname
```

```
* Set ALLOWTOPICCHANGE = Main.LinuxAdminGroup
```

Hint

- You can hide the Set-statement with a HTML comment, for example:

```
<!--  
* Set ALLOWTOPICVIEW = Main.LinuxAdminGroup  
-->
```

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