Purge Inbox buffer

mysql> select count(*) from inbox;
+----------+
| count(*) |
+----------+
| 1980     |
+----------+

The buffer is purged with a script. The script is available on request.

Browsing and non Latin-1 chars

To support better the non Latin-1 chars in the views pages, we have comment 10 lines in the routine Util::escape_filename. The hack in EP3 is the same of EP2.

Changes on metadata

In EP2 the field 'abstract' is only one, in EP3 installation we have two fields, one not repeatable and called 'abstract' and a second called 'otherabstract'. The web page of the paper is now written directly.

Specific modification for editors

The web page with full metadata is now built with the archive configuration and not more with an hack in the API.

The language in the 'Review' page for editor now is done with a plugin

Specific scripts and Paracite

Many specific scripts are no more useful so are not rewritten for EP3. The improved version of Paracite can be used in EP3 without modifications. In fact the cgi improved uses specific modules that do not need any change.

Statistics

The SQL structures of Irstats and the EP2 statistic package done by University of Tasmania are compatible. The focus of E-LIS is on statistics about the single paper, but we want to use a standard tool. So we are working on use Irstats with EP3. We probably don't use the 'Dashboard' function but we will add direct link in the 'full' web page of every eprints.

Alerts improved

In EP2 we added abstracts into alerts and we inserted an alert to the uploader if the paper is approved. We plan to manage those functions with plugins.

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