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I've just tried selecting a load of replies and an original post and copying them to a Word document. It includes all the pretty pictures and you can then edit it to remove bits you don't need.

[Nigel Bennett](#)

Participant

@nigelbennett69913

23 December 2024 at 10:10

REPLY | QUOTE | REPORT #772019

Thanks Nigel, but with a 3 page Forum reply, it becomes quite a long job. Seems a simple website request. I suppose one could make a file of the web addresses with the topic as a title for each. I find the search facility rarely gives a GOOD result.

[Speedy Builder5](#)

Participant

@speedybuilder5

Bob

23 December 2024 at 10:40

REPLY | QUOTE | REPORT #772036

What Nigel said. For anyone unfamiliar with cut and paste method, here's a full description.

[SillyOldDuffer](#)

Moderator

@sillyoldduffer

Cut (actually Copy). You can't simply select all (ctrl-a) because that captures everything, like buttons, banners, and the unwanted right panel listing "Latest Replies". Instead use the mouse to select what's wanted.

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Paste. Start Word, or other word-processor, and open a new document. Position the cursor at the top and select Paste with the right-mouse button. All being well, posts copied from the forum will appear in Word, and can be word processed in the usual way.

Repeat for each page of replies.

Same method allows single posts, or parts of posts to be copied.

Gotchas! The computer may not let the user Cut and Paste with a mouse from a website. Done to block a type of hacking attack. If so, Copy and Paste are done with the keyboard: Copy is Ctrl-C and Paste is Ctrl-V. Selecting is still done with the mouse.

Dave

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This works for me in Windows with the PC

[JasonB](#)

Moderator

@jasonb

Open the topic, right click somewhere in the text of the first post, select print from the drop down box. You can then print to paper or PDF. this is a preview of what you get which should be good enough for a record of a topic than can be easily read and no need for edditing. It does the whole page of replies, joint the pages together if you feel the need.

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Yes, its works, but ..... there can be a lot of cut and mucking about - a "Download Topic" button would be nice.

[Speedy Builder5](#)

Participant

@speedybuilder5

23 December 2024 at 13:12

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There are a lot of things that would be nice but I doubt we will get any better than what we have now unless the new mag format can generate a considerably higher gross profit as the money is just not there to spend on add-ons or someone to implement them.

[JasonB](#)

Moderator

@jasonb

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