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Phorum fork?

Etrix / September 27, 2017 09:36AM

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I was just wondering if I can do a fork of the 5.1.25 version? I saw in the license that I would have to get a written permission from you guys for me to do this.

Oliver Riesen-Mallmann / September 27, 2017 10:51AM

[Re: Phorum fork?](#)

Hi Etrix,

I had to look first in the [license](#)...

In my opinion a "fork" isn't a "products derived from this software" (see number 5 in the license), so you don't need a written permission.

But this is just my personal opinion...

Regards

Oliver

Using Phorum since 7/2000: forum.langzeittest.de (actual version 5.2.23)

Modules "Made in Germany" for version 5.2: [Author as Sender](#), [CarCost](#), [Close Topic](#), [Conceal Message Timestamp](#), [Format Email](#), [Index Structure](#), [Mailing List](#), [Pervasive Forum](#), [Spritmonitor](#), [Terms of Service](#) and [German Language Files Package](#).

Etrix / September 28, 2017 09:04AM

[Re: Phorum fork?](#)

I see, thanks for letting me know. I must have read that wrong.

Thomas Seifert / September 29, 2017 07:55PM

[Re: Phorum fork?](#)

The point is simply: you can do a fork but you are not allowed to call it phorum.

Thomas Seifert

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