

AGwiki – the Mediawiki Server from Carstens Medizinelektronik GmbH at

<http://wiki.ag500.net>

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I. 12 clicks to become an AGwiki member

A. Login and authenticate your e-mail address

1. request your account

With the link <http://wiki.ag500.net> you get to the only public AGwiki page.

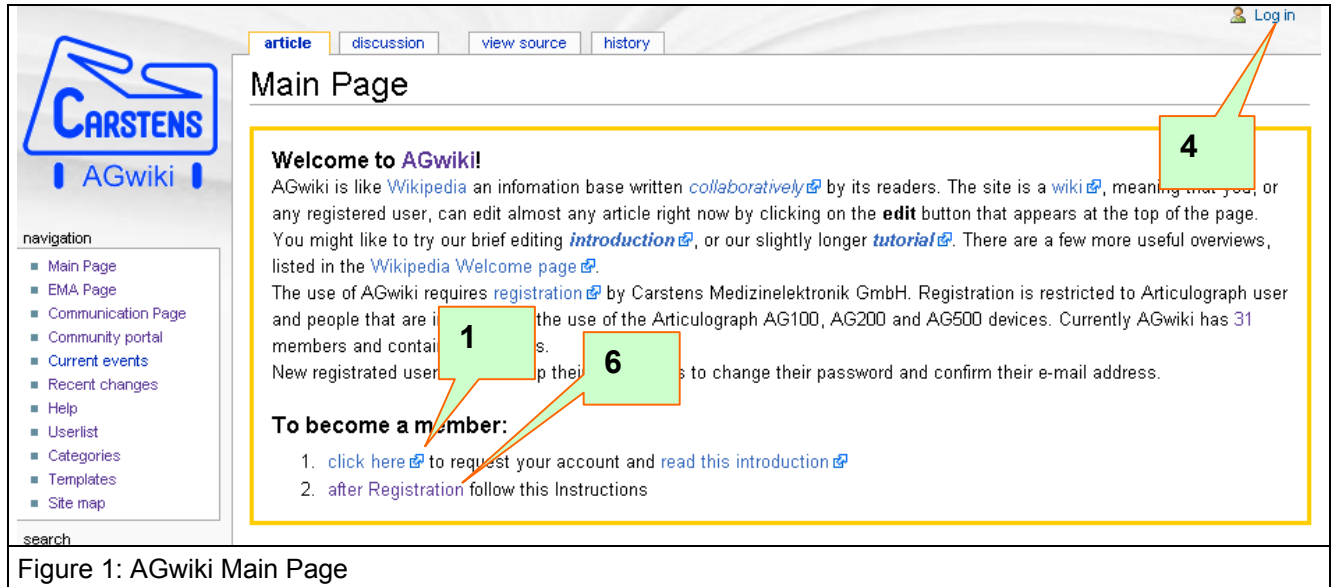


Figure 1: AGwiki Main Page

2. fill out the form and click "Send"

All references to you will appear in AGwiki as reference to your Login name. Therefore we would recommend to use your full name or a meaningful abbreviation.

The image shows a registration form with a teal background. The title is 'Please enter the details for your user account'. Below the title, there is a paragraph of text: 'The AGwiki is not open to anonymous access. To get a user account for it, You have to fill in the values below and submit the form. You will receive a confirmation email when your account has been set up. Your email & other information will not be made accessible to third parties.' The form contains several input fields: 'Name:', 'Given name:', 'E-Mail:', 'Login name (the user login you'd like to use):', and 'University/Lab/Institute:'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Send' and 'Clear'.

Figure 2: The form to request your account

3. wait for a mail from AGwiki

This may take a while (up to one work day) because we have to set up the account by hand.

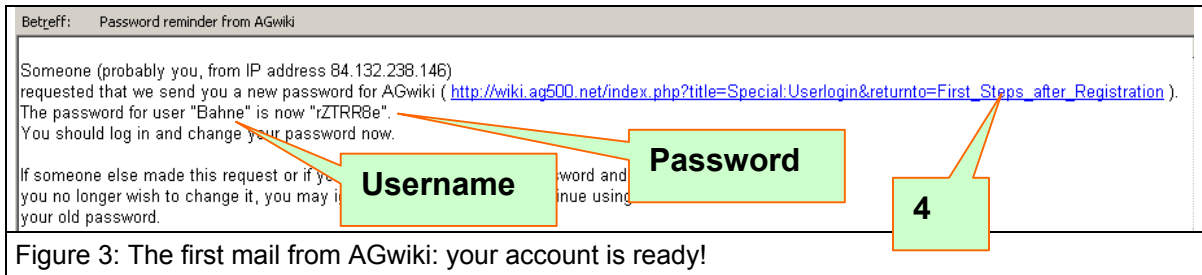


Figure 3: The first mail from AGwiki: your account is ready!

4. click "Log in" in AGwiki or click the link in your mail

Please find details in chapter IV.A. To log in it is necessary to have cookies enabled on your computer. For more details please go to chapter IV.B .

5. Type Username (Log in name) and the Password and click "Log in"

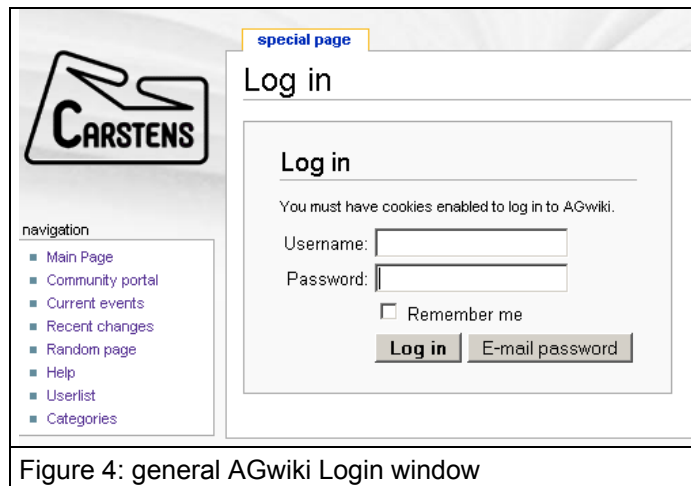


Figure 4: general AGwiki Login window

6. follow the link "after registration..." – see Figure 1 [6]

Here it is recommended to open a second browser and go to <http://wiki.ag500.net>. So you can follow the instructions in one browser and do the instructions in the other.

The Link:

http://wiki.ag500.net/First_Steps_after_Registration#Authenticate_your_e-mail_address

7. open your preferences and scroll down to the "E-mail" box

After Log in the "preferences" link appears at the top right line of the main page.

The screenshot shows the 'First Steps after Registration' page. At the top right, there is a navigation bar with links: 'LuLi', 'my talk', 'preferences', 'my watchlist', 'my contributions', and 'log out'. Below this, the page title is 'First Steps after Registration'. A green box with the number '7' points to the 'preferences' link in the top right. The main content area is titled 'Set up your preferences' and includes instructions: 'Please click the word "preferences" in the topright line of this window.', 'inside the e-mail box, click the link "Confirm your e-mail address"', and 'Click the "Mail a confirmation code" button in the new upcoming window'. There is a 'Change password' section with input fields for 'Old password', 'New password', and 'Retype new password', and a checkbox for 'Remember across sessions'. Below that is the 'E-mail' section, which states 'Your e-mail address is **not yet authenticated**. No e-mail will be sent for any of the following features.' It includes a link 'Confirm your e-mail address' and three checkboxes: 'E-mail me when a page I'm watching is changed' (unchecked), 'E-mail me when my user talk page is changed' (checked), and 'E-mail me also for minor edits of pages' (unchecked). A green box with the number '8' points to the 'Confirm your e-mail address' link. At the bottom, there are 'Save' and 'Reset' buttons.

Figure 5: Your preferences window before e-mail confirmation

8. click "confirm your e-mail address"

9. click "Mail a confirmation code" and wait a minute for a mail from AGwiki

The screenshot shows the 'Confirm E-mail address' page. At the top right, there is a navigation bar with links: 'LuLi', 'my talk', 'preferences', 'my watchlist', 'my contributions', and 'log out'. Below this, the page title is 'Confirm E-mail address'. The main content area explains: 'This wiki requires that you validate your e-mail address before using e-mail features. Activate the button below to send a confirmation mail to your address. The mail will include a link containing a code; load the link in your browser to confirm that your e-mail address is valid.' A green box with the number '9' points to the 'Mail a confirmation code' button.

Figure 6: Request a confirmation code by clicking the "Mail a confirmation code" button

10. click the link in your mail to confirm your e-mail address

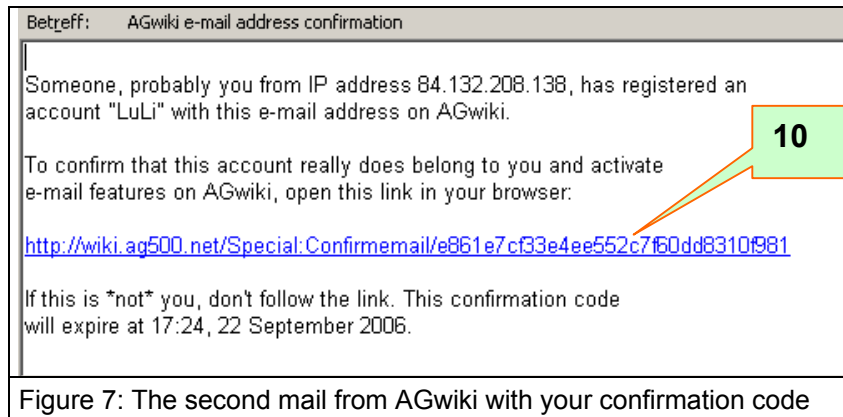


Figure 7: The second mail from AGwiki with your confirmation code

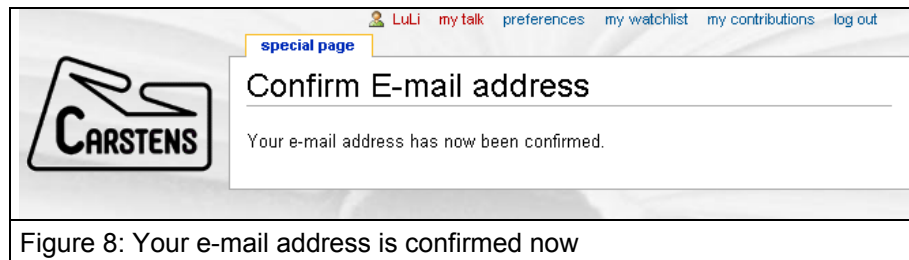


Figure 8: Your e-mail address is confirmed now

11. change your password and click "Save"

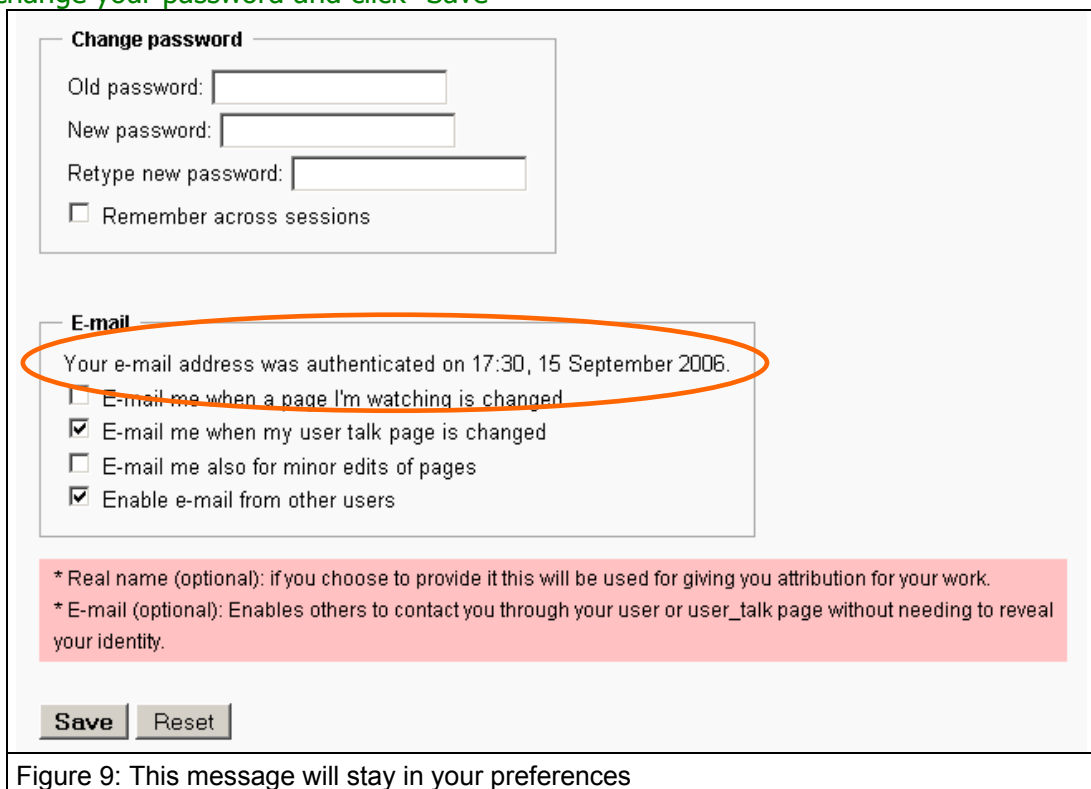


Figure 9: This message will stay in your preferences

12. follow the "short instructions for AGwiki user"

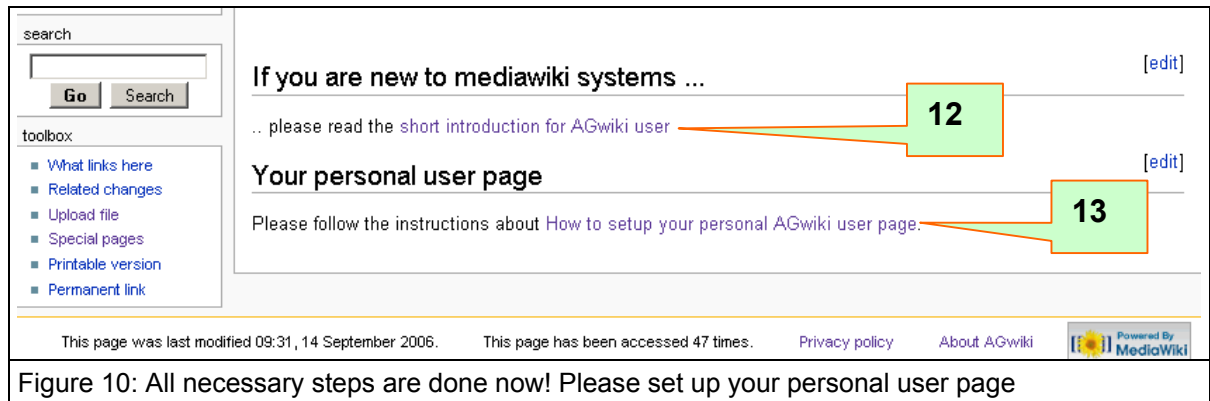


Figure 10: All necessary steps are done now! Please set up your personal user page

B. Set up your personal user page

On the AGwiki Mainpage please follow the link:

How to setup your personal AGwiki user page (http://wiki.ag500.net/Setup_personal_user_page)

The instructions let you insert a template with the "`{{subst:new user}}`" command.

Please find the % signs. They mark places where you can enter your information.

At the bottom there are several lines that will assign your page to different categories. Please delete the complete line if the category does not match – otherwise delete "%delete".

C. Set up your preferences

Click "preferences" in the upper right line.

1. User profile

In the "E-mail" box, check the options when you want to receive an e-mail from AGwiki.

2. Date and time

In the "Time zone" box, click the 'Fill in from browser' button to set the time offset to the server

3. Search

Here you can select in what type of pages a search will performed.

D. Browse to the "news" page and click "watch"

This will inform you (see I.C.1) if there are any changes on this page.

II. General hints to use AGwiki

A. Navigation

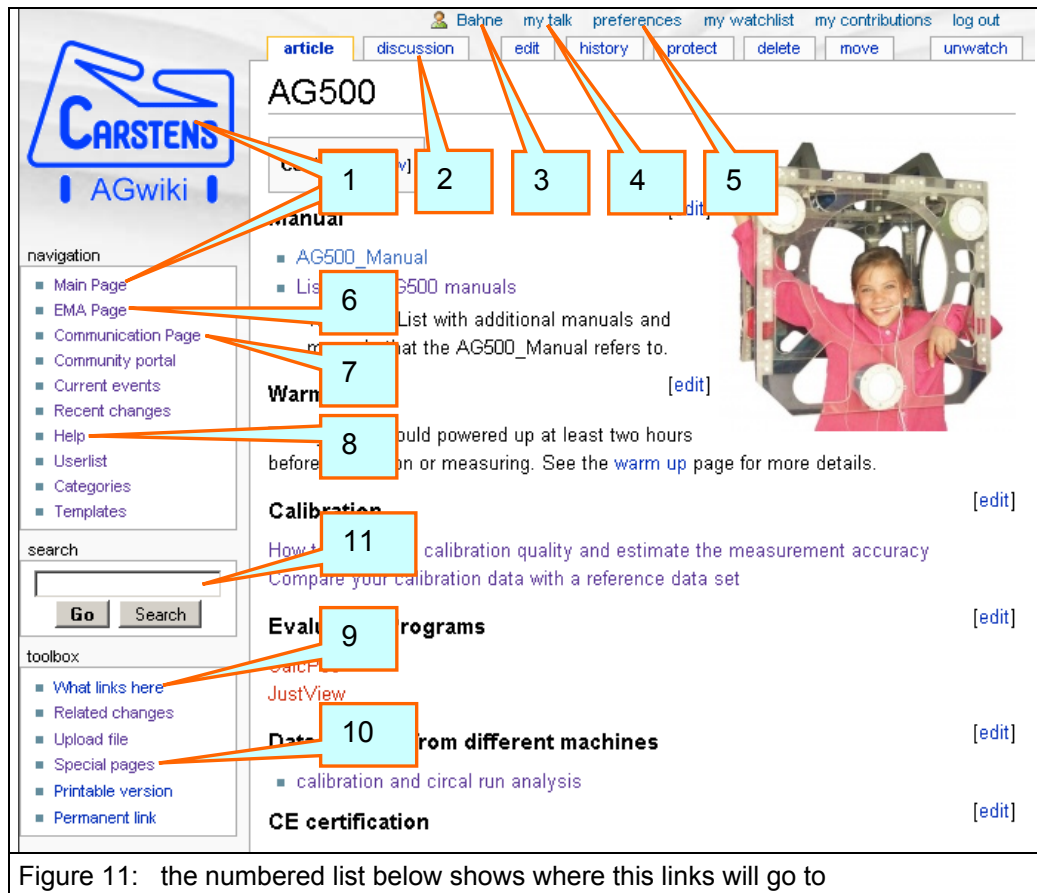


Figure 11: the numbered list below shows where this links will go to

B. The following links will go to ...

1. ... the AGwiki main page
2. ... the associated "talk" page – here "Talk:AG500"
3. ... your personal user page – here "User:Bahne"
4. ... your personal talk page – here "User talk:Bahne"
5. ... configuration tabs to adjust your preferences like "e-mail me.."
6. ... top page "EMA"
7. ... top page "communication"
8. ... Help:Contents
9. ... a list with all articles that contain a link to here
10. ... a list with links to special pages like "all pages", "File list" or "Statistics"
11. type an article name and click "Go" or a word and click "Search"

C. Where to go first?

Click Help (see [8]) and see the section "For new member". Follow the listed links and afterwards browse the Help page to find more interesting information

III. Write your article

A. exercise

If you are not certain how to create a well designed page, you have some option for exercising without disturbing anyone.

You can use your personal Talk page (click my talk on top) to set up your article. Once you like it, you can copy and paste it to the new article's page.

B. Wikipedia sandbox

Use the Wikipedia Sandbox for exercise at:

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Sandbox>

C. writing the perfect article

1. upload files

http://meta.wikimedia.org/wiki/Help:Images_and_other_uploaded_files]

2. the perfect article

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:The_perfect_article

3. talk page guidelines

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Talk_page_guidelines

IV. Addendum

A. Log in

Follow the three steps to log in. It is necessary to have cookies enabled on your computer (see IV.B) Control Panel

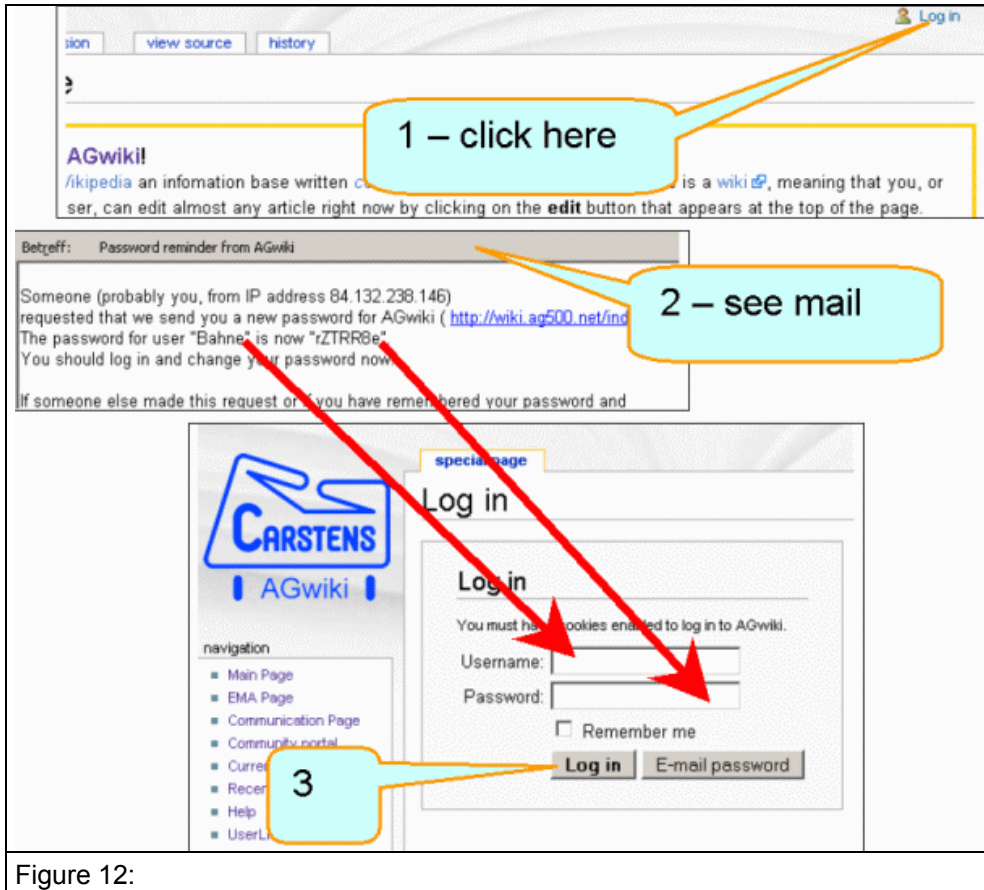


Figure 12:

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B. Enable cookies on your computer

If you do not want to enable cookies for all web sites, it is possible to select the option 'Allow per session cookies (not stored)'.

Another option is to allow the cookies for ' wiki.ag500.net '.

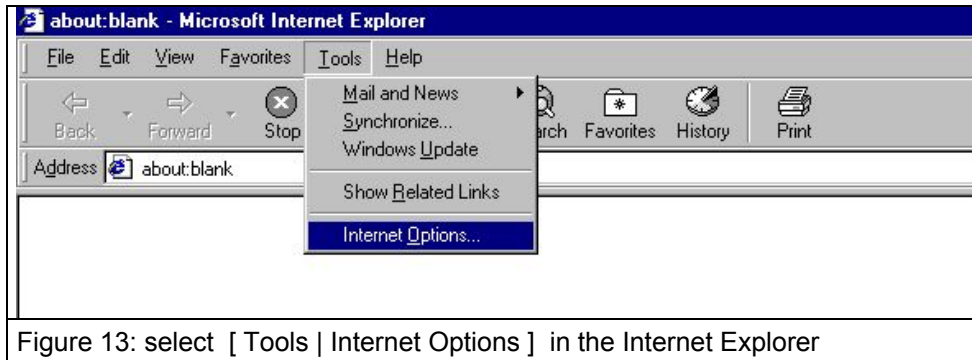


Figure 13: select [Tools | Internet Options] in the Internet Explorer

You can use the Internet Explorer or [Settings | Control Panel | Internet Options] to get to the cookie settings.

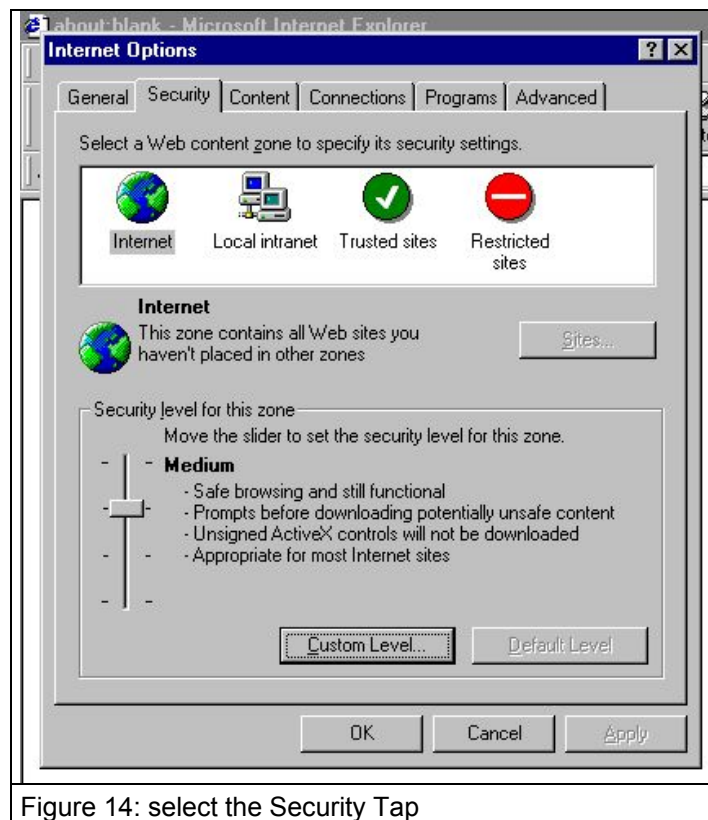


Figure 14: select the Security Tap

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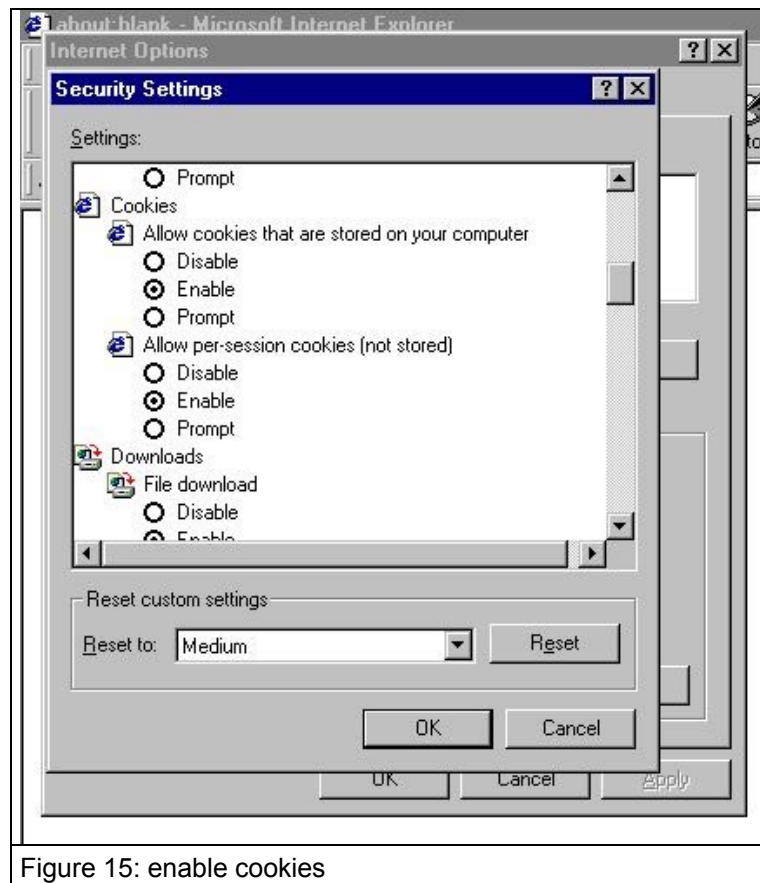


Figure 15: enable cookies