

FreeNAS - Bug #25408

For the love of God stop with the coloring book color scheme in the new UI !

08/02/2017 07:25 AM - Ron Hubbard

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| Status: | Resolved | |
| Priority: | No priority | |
| Assignee: | James Nixon | |
| Category: | GUI (new) | |
| Target version: | Master - FreeNAS Nightlies | |
| Seen in: | Master - FreeNAS Nightlies | Needs Merging: Yes |
| Severity: | New | Needs Automation: No |
| Reason for Closing: | | Support Suite Ticket: n/a |
| Reason for Blocked: | | Hardware Configuration: |
| Needs QA: | Yes | ChangeLog Required: No |
| Needs Doc: | Yes | |

Description

Black and white is perfectly fine with color left for the graphics themselves.

People don't want something that looks like it came out of a coloring book or windows 8.

They want a modern Ui that gets rid of the duplicated menus and lack of intuitiveness in the old UI.

Corral was less than perfect but the the UI made sense and with a dashboard that could be customized with plugins/widgets to show the info they needed and wanted.

It looked professional was highly intuitive and people had no problems picking things up right away.

Clearly the software under the new UI is different from corral but taking the same basic ideas is easily done.

At this moment it looks like your trying to stay as far away from anything corral at the cost of common sense.

The wheel doesn't need to be reinvented here just take what works from corral and build on that.

You can use the same basic concepts but at the same time tweak things enough that it doesn't look like a corral clone so there no confusion.

Or if nothing else stop with the bloody colors they look like something on my kids toy tablets for the love of god.

History

#1 - 08/02/2017 07:33 AM - Dru Lavigne

- Assignee changed from Release Council to James Nixon

- Target version set to 11.1

#2 - 08/03/2017 03:33 AM - James Nixon

- Status changed from Unscreened to Screened

I agree with just about every point, thanks for the feedback. We intend to pull some concepts from Corral, my personal favorite is the task queue. I've linked some Material Design resources below

Making Material Design

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rrT6v5sOwJg>

Discover the expanded Material Design motion guidelines - Google I/O 2016

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6p3i6H2oGa0>

Material Design Principles

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=isYZXwaP3Q4>

Google's Material Design: An In-Depth Look | Mashable

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w2JUhdD0CAA>

Google I/O 2014 - Material design: Structure and components

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dZqzz5lZFvo>

Further Reading

- <https://material.io/guidelines/material-design/introduction.html>
- <https://material.io/components/web/docs/getting-started/>

Angular/Material2 Website

<https://material.angular.io/>

#3 - 10/20/2017 07:55 AM - Kris Moore

- Status changed from Screened to Ready For Release

- Target version changed from 11.1 to 11.1-BETA1

#4 - 10/20/2017 09:21 AM - Dru Lavigne

- Status changed from Ready For Release to Resolved

- Target version changed from 11.1-BETA1 to Master - FreeNAS Nightlies