

## STARTSECTION -- marks the start of a section within a topic

- Section boundaries are defined with `%STARTSECTION{%}` and `%ENDSECTION{%}`.
- Sections may be given a name to help identify them, and/or a type, which changes how they are used.
  - ◆ `type="section"` - the default, used for a generic section, such as a named section used by INCLUDE.
  - ◆ `type="include"` - like `%STARTINCLUDE% ... %STOPINCLUDE%` except that you can have as many include blocks as you want (`%STARTINCLUDE%` is restricted to only one).
  - ◆ `type="templateonly"` - start position of text to be removed when a template topic is used. Use this to embed text that you *do not* want expanded when a new topic based on the template topic is created. TWikiTemplates has more.
  - ◆ `type="expandvariables"` - start position where TWikiVariables get expanded when a new topic is created. As documented in TWikiTemplates#VariableExpansion, only certain variables get expanded when a new topic based on the template topic is created. All variables get expanded within a "expandvariables" section.
- **Syntax:** `%STARTSECTION{"name"}% ..... %ENDSECTION{"name"}%`
- **Syntax:** `%STARTSECTION{type="include"}% ..... %ENDSECTION{type="include"}%`
- **Syntax:** `%STARTSECTION{type="templateonly"}% ..... %ENDSECTION{type="templateonly"}%`
- **Syntax:** `%STARTSECTION{type="expandvariables"}% ... %ENDSECTION{type="expandvariables"}%`

• Supported parameters:

Parameter:	Description:	Default
"name"	Name of the section. Must be unique inside a topic.	Generated name
type="..."	Type of the section; type "section", "include", "templateonly", or "expandvariables"	"section"
disablefixlinks="on"	Only for named sections: Bypass fixing WikiWord links if section is included from a topic in another web. Fixing links in included text such as from SomeLink to Thisweb.SomeLink is usually desirable so that links in included text still point to the same target.	fix links

- **Note:** If a section is not given a name, it will be assigned one. Unnamed sections are assigned names starting with `_SECTION0` for the first unnamed section in the topic, `_SECTION1` for the second, etc..
- **Note:** You can define nested sections. Do not overlap sections. Use named sections to make sure that the correct START and ENDS are matched. Section markers are **not** displayed when a topic is viewed.
- Related: ENDSECTION, HIDE, INCLUDE, NOP, STARTINCLUDE, STOPINCLUDE

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