Admin-Guide

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1. Comments Overview

If you select Discuss in the menu, you can see the comments that users wrote to the problems, sorted by date and starting with the most recent ones. As an admin, you have an additional button that toggles unresolved/all comments. Unresolved comments are comments, that need a reaction by an admin. An appropriate reaction could be just answering the comment, changing the file, deleting the comment or marking the comment as "No answer necessary" or "Can't resolve this".

In the window below, all unresolved comments are listed and a number shows that there are 78 at this moment.

1. This button toggles the view for unresolved/all comments.
2. To reply to a comment, go to the page of the problem.
3. If the admin has not solved the problem, he can neither see the comment nor download the file. This ensures that level and rank of the admins are still valid.

2. Problem Page

On the problem page, you can check the user's statement and do modifications, if necessary.

1. If description, hint or xp of the problem needs an adjustment, you can do it there.

"b" gets replaced by "Black" or "White" by the webserver.

2. If you want to modify the problem, download the file over "Admin-Download SGF".
3. After you modified the file, you can upload it by selecting "Admin-Upload SGF"
4. You can reply to the user by selecting "Answer". A dropdown with various options will show up.

3. Answer Options

The expanded answer window has a text field and other options that might be useful.

1. You can give the user an individual answer by writing into the message box.
2. As there are many recurring situations, you can select predefined text blocks from this dropdown list.

3. Examples for selecting "No Answer Necessary" are users who reply to each other or complimenting on a good tsumego.

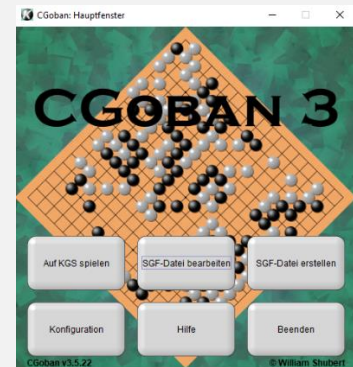   "Can't Resolve This" needs to be selected when the webmaster needs to check the issue.

    Spams, trolls etc. can be deleted.

4. Editing Files

Please use CGoban for editing the files. The language doesn't matter. Other editors might work too.

You can download CGoban here:
https://www.gokgs.com/download.jsp

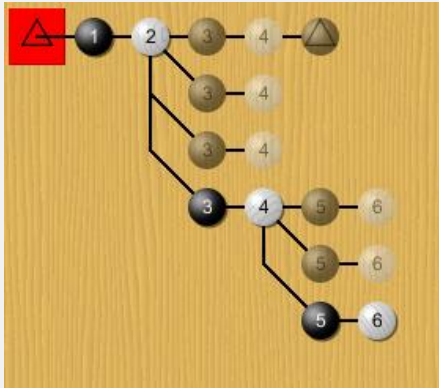Open the file and edit the paths or the initial position.

1. In the upper left corner, you find various tools that you might need.
2. This is the sequence tree. It follows these conditions:

    - Black is always the user.

    - Incorrect sequences end with white.

    - Correct sequences end with black and a + as comment.

    - No other comments allowed.

3. In this field you enter the + for the correct sequences
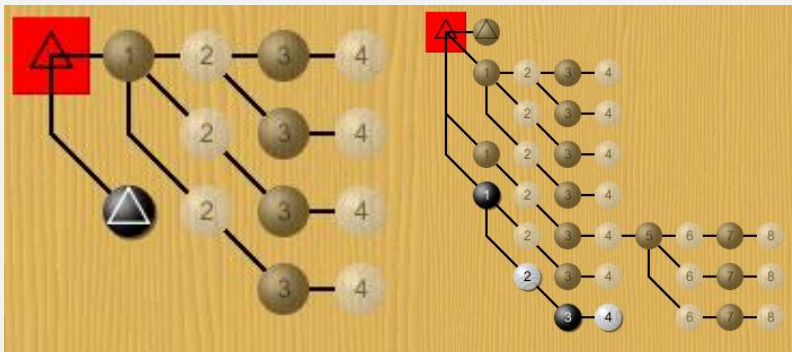
5. Tree Complexity

Multiple black choices

When black has multiple choices, the webserver follows the path that is picked by the user. If the user picks a not existing move, the output is "Incorrect". Black can have as many broad and deep choices as you want. Example:
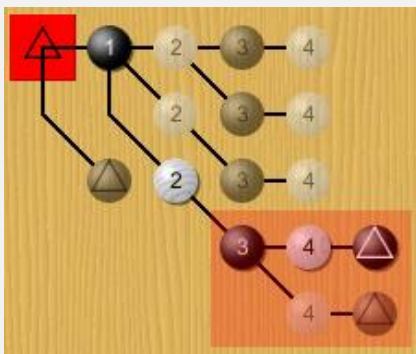

Multiple white choices

White is always the A.I. White can have any amount of broad choices. The webserver will randomly pick one. The two trees below are both valid.

The webserver can only pick a random path once per sequence. So this tree would cause an error, as white has to choose a branch after it had already chosen between branches.

6. File-Errors

Errors in the file can happen for various reasons e.g. bad tree structure, comments, sequences end with black but are not marked, incompatible editors etc. Any file errors result in the board not showing up and all JavaScript routines not being executed. So, it looks like this:

If this happens, please revert changes in the file and try to upload again. If you are not able to recover the file, please contact the webmaster.

7. Adding problems

The sandbox contains all new problems that need to be checked for improvement. Every Sunday, a few of the sandbox problems are published. Users are invited to participate in adding problems and bringing in own ideas for new collections.

1. To add a new problem, select the plus button. The numbers for new problems increment by one. If this doesn't fit the structure of the collection, adjustments can be made and individual problems can be deleted.

2. You can also create problems by filling out the Add Problem form and select the submit button. This gives you the opportunity to specify the properties of the problem on creation.

8. Deleting problems

Endgame Tesujis 188/188

White to play the best Endgame. (Edit)

b to play the best Endga

hint

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delete

Submit

To delete a problem, go to the page of the problem, select Edit at the problem description and type "delete" into the given field.

9. Monitoring Admin-Activities

A page with all admin-activities can be shared among the admins. This could be helpful to avoid mistakes like uploading the wrong file or misreads. It can also help avoiding two admins answering comments at the same time.

Left side: Admin-comments, edit description, edit hint, mark as "No Answer Necessary", mark as "Can't Resolve This", deleted comments.

Right side: File-uploads. If the number on the left doesn't match the number on the right, the admin uploaded the wrong file.