Where are PublishPress Authors Settings Stored in the Database?

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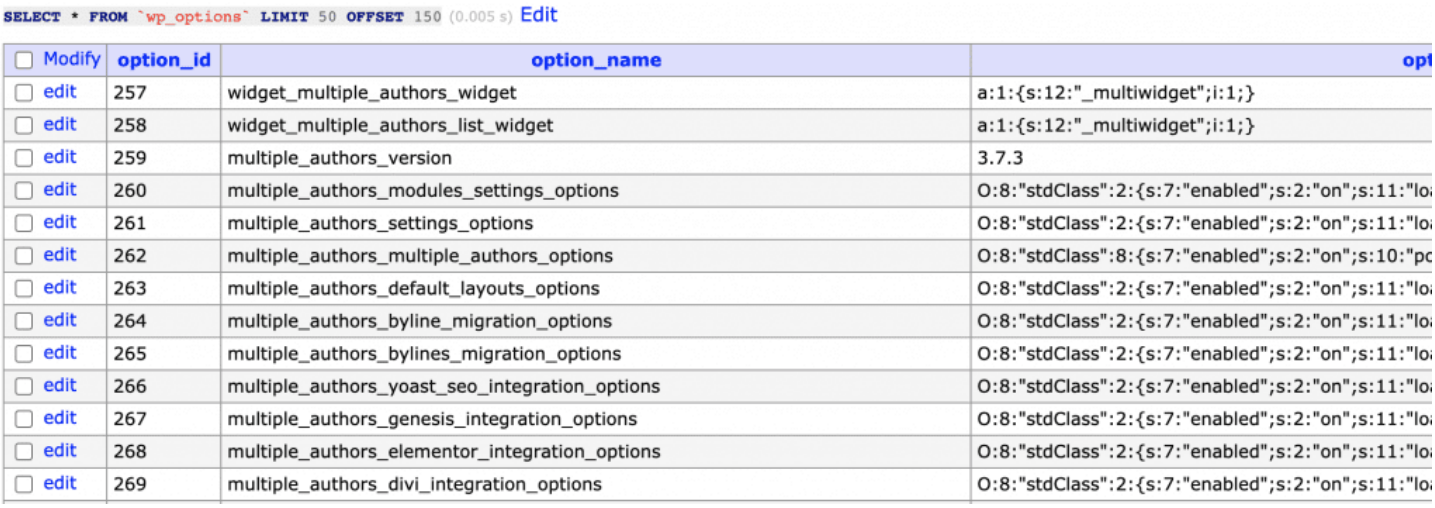
This guide will introduce to the data is created and stored when you're using the PublishPress Authors plugin.

PublishPress Authors stores the settings as options in the `wp_options` table.



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Publishpress Authors Database

Data for PublishPress Authors Settings

These options store data from key settings in the Authors plugin:

- **multiple_authors_modules_settings_options**: Some internal data for the plugin's modules.
- **multiple_authors_settings_options**: Some internal data for the settings module.
- **multiple_authors_multiple_authors_options**: Some internal data for the multiple authors module.
- **multiple_authors_default_layouts_options**: Some internal data for the module Default Layouts.

Data for Migrations

These settings contain data if you have emigrated to the Authors plugin from another plugin:

- **publishpress_multiple_authors_settings_migrated_3_0_0**: This helps with backward compatibility. This option records if data was migrated to the 3.0.0 release of the plugin.
- **multiple_authors_byline_migration_options**: Data for migration from the Byline plugin.
- **multiple_authors_bylines_migration_options**: Data for migration from the Bylines plugin.

Data for the PublishPress Authors Widgets

These settings are for the two widgets that install with the plugin:

- **widget_multiple_authors_widget**: Settings for the Authors widget.
- **widget_multiple_authors_list_widget**: Settings for the Authors List widget.

Date for Integration with Other Plugins

These settings relate to integrations with other plugins and page-builders:

- **multiple_authors_yoast_seo_integration_options**: Data for integration with Yoast SEO.
- **multiple_authors_genesis_integration_options**: Data for integration with the Genesis Framework.
- **multiple_authors_elementor_integration_options**: Data for integration with Elementor.
- **multiple_authors_divi_integration_options**: Data for integration with Divi.

Data for the Pro version of PublishPress Authors

These options will show if you're using the Pro version:

- **multiple_authors_author_custom_fields_options**: Data for the Custom Fields feature.
- **multiple_authors_author_custom_layouts_options**: Data for the Custom Layouts feature.

- **multiple_authors_prosettings_options**: Settings for the Pro plugin.

Data for Plugin Versions

For backwards compatibility, we do store the version twice:

- **multiple_authors_version**: the current plugin version.
- **pp_authors_version**: the current plugin version.