

## Change Internet Explorer to open in tabs / Force IE Open Links in new tab

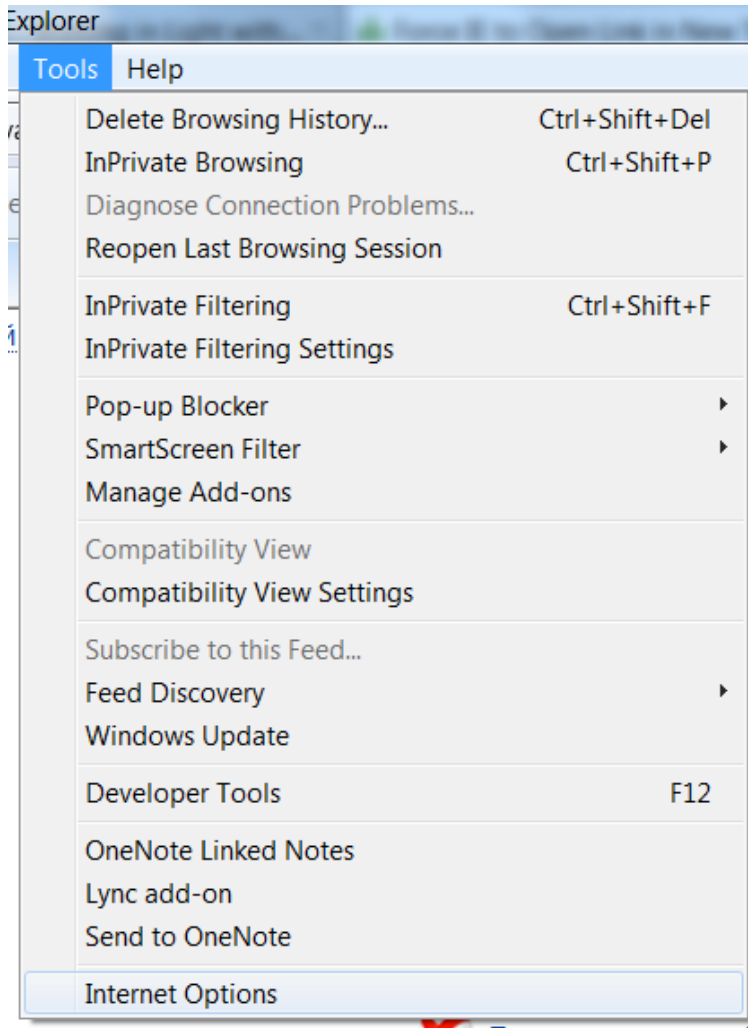
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If you have to work on MS *Windows 7 / 8* with **Internet Explorer** for the reason websites you're forced to work are only properly working under IE. This is common in big companies like my employer Hewlett Packard or IBM for instance. You certainly have been **annoyed by default Internet Explorer 7 / Internet Explorer 8 or IE 9 behaviour to open each new link in separate Windows**. By default normal browsers like Opera, Firefox and Google Chrome does not behave in such irritating ways but open each new link in separate tab. If you're like me used to work most of your life with Firefox, this IE behavior can quickly drive you "crazy" so you will look for fastly to change that abnormal browser actions. What makes things with default IE behavior even more messy is the fact that there are sites which automatically open in Separate tab (for they were javascripted) to do so and ones that open in new Window making the whole browsing experience a "*pure windows hell*".

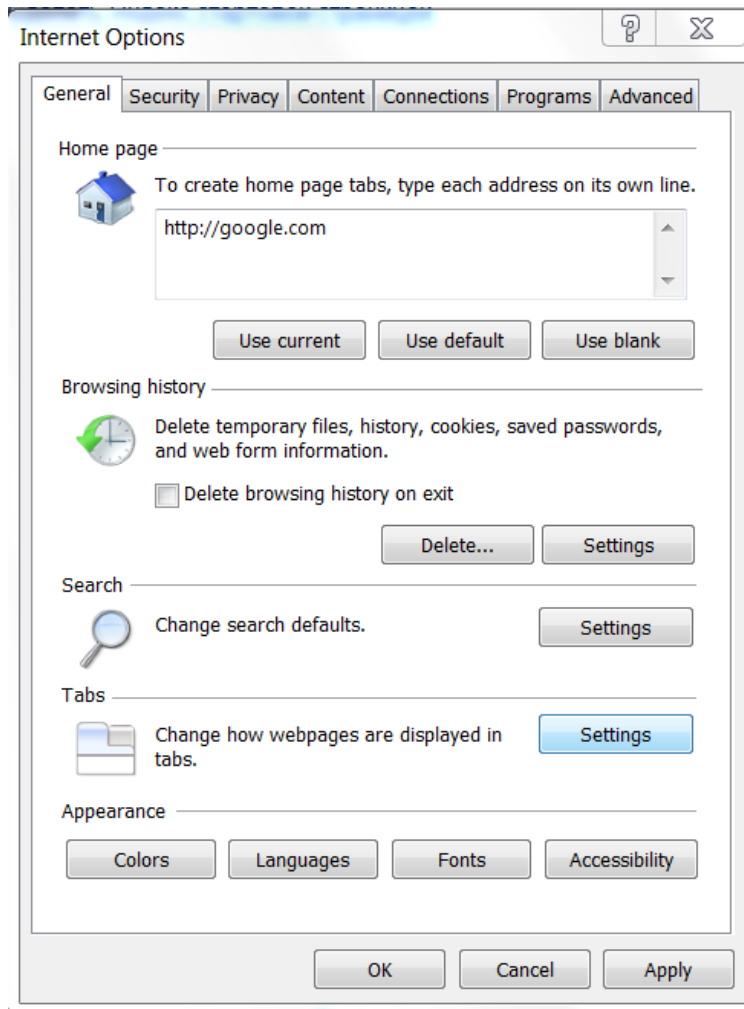
**Thanks God IE new window page popups can be easily changed**

**1.** Open *Internet Explorer* and Click on  
**Tools -> Internet Options**

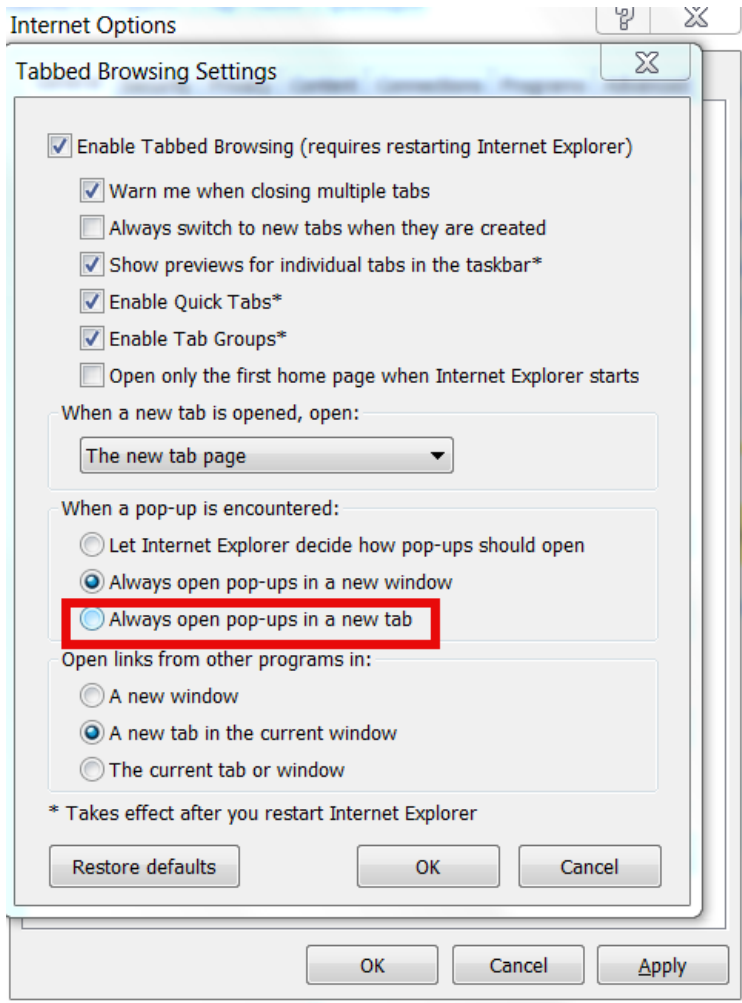


(Note: if your version of Internet Explorer is hiding menus press Alt key to make it visualize menus)

**2. In General (tab) select on (*Change how webpage is displayed in Tabs*) Settings**



3. Under field **When a popup is encountered:** Choose radio button of ( **Always Open Pop-ups in new tab** )



After **Apply** and **OK** press finally Pages will start opening in a "human readable" way :) in new Tabs. Hope this hint helps someone. Enjoy :)