

## I'm having trouble with knowledgebase articles only appearing in edit mode

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### Question:

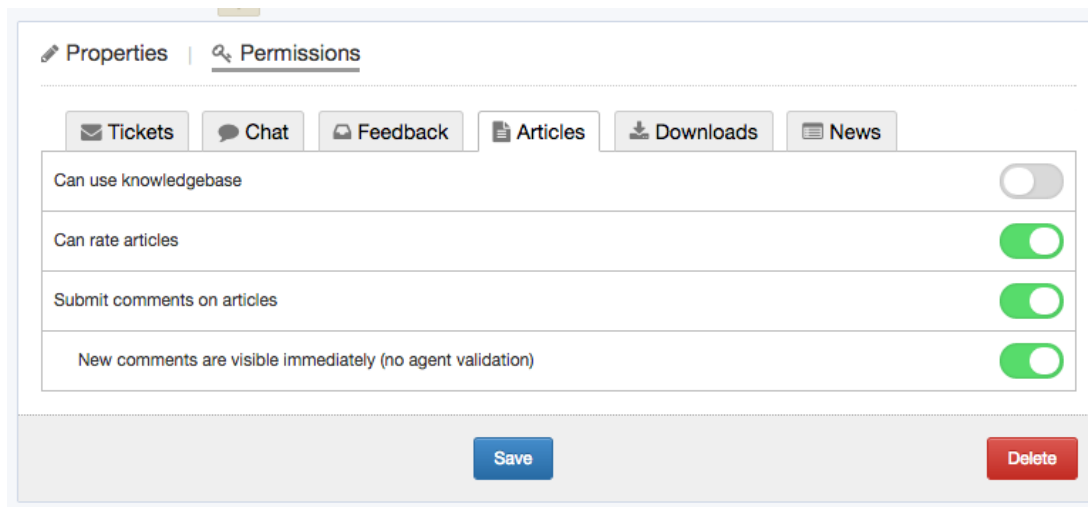
I've disabled the portal while I write my initial Knowledgebase articles. When I make a new article, I can only see the content when editing. When I click on Save or Cancel, the content disappears and the article appears blank.

### Answer:

There is a known issue in versions of Deskpro before build #386 where viewing article content in the agent interface doesn't work correctly if the portal is disabled.

This is fixed by upgrading to the latest build of Deskpro.

If you can't upgrade, a workaround is to remove the **Can use Knowledgebase** permission from all your user groups in **Admin > CRM > User Groups**.



The screenshot shows the 'Permissions' tab for the 'Articles' section in Deskpro Legacy. The 'Can use knowledgebase' toggle is turned off, while 'Can rate articles', 'Submit comments on articles', and 'New comments are visible immediately (no agent validation)' are all turned on. The 'Save' button is blue and the 'Delete' button is red.

Permission	Status
Can use knowledgebase	Off
Can rate articles	On
Submit comments on articles	On
New comments are visible immediately (no agent validation)	On

This will mean that the portal is visible but the Knowledgebase will not be shown to users, and articles will still work correctly from the agent interface.