Brave Desktop Prefs/Settings
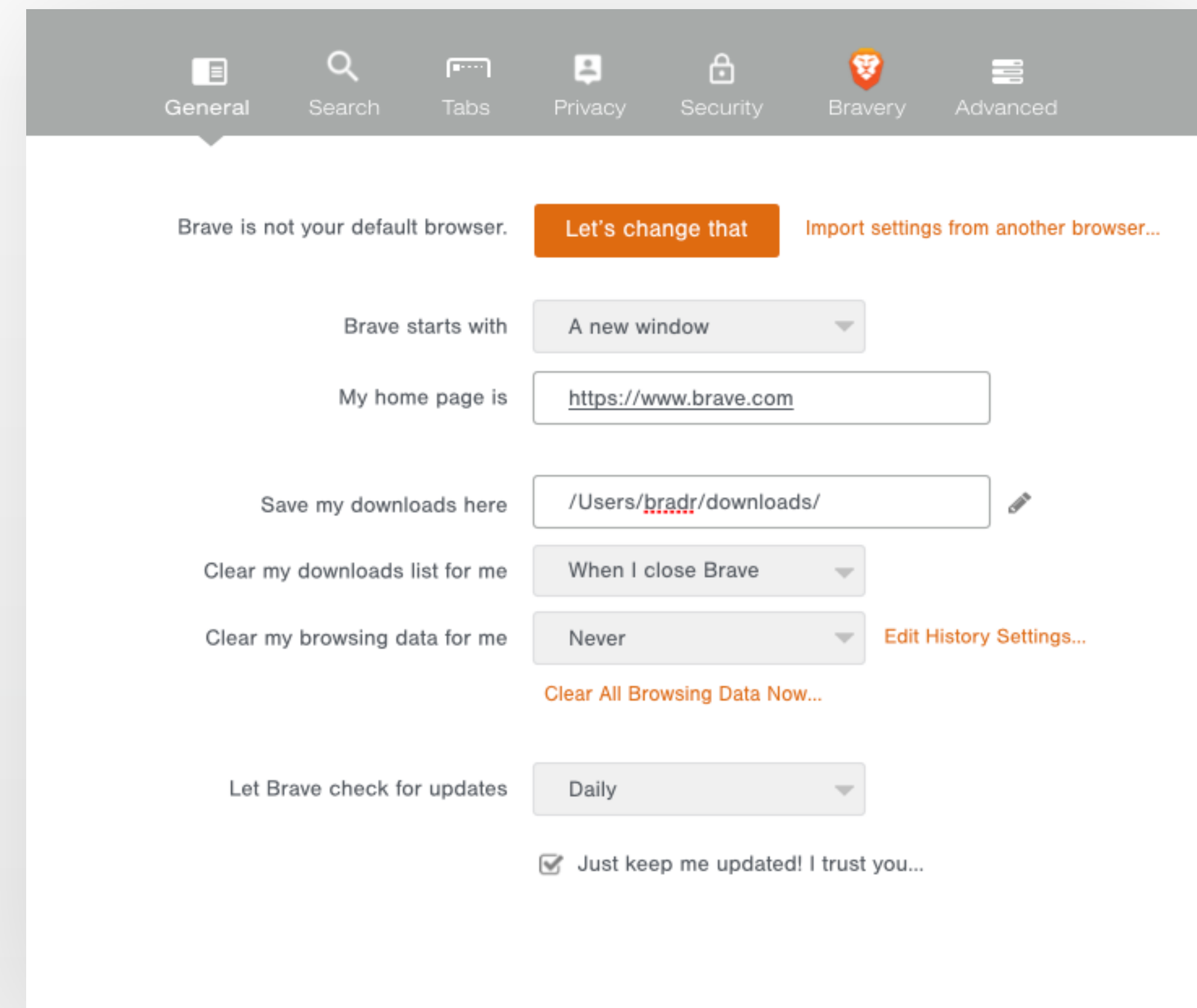
Draft for 0.8 (plus some 1.0 features)

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This design specification shows screen mocks for the Brave-Laptop prefs panels. More detail will be added as time permits, or feedback drives changes.

These panels will be accessed through the normal App menu for each OS, and will be shared between Mac, Windows and Linux.

They will be displayed in a new tab, directly to the right of the currently selected tab.

These panels will be implemented gradually as plumbing is put in place and can be connected with these settings. Some features shown here may not be available until 1.0 Stable releases.

General Settings Panel

General	Search	Tabs	Privacy	Security	Bravery	Advanced	search

Brave is not your default browser. **Let's change that**   Import settings from another browser...

Brave starts with   my windows/tabs from last time ▾

My home page is   https://www.brave.com

Save my downloads here   /Users/bradr/downloads/ ✎

Clear my downloads list for me   When I close Brave ▾

Clear my browsing data for me   Never ▾   Edit History Settings...

Clear All Browsing Data Now...

Let Brave check for updates   Daily ▾

☑ Just keep me updated! I trust you...

Send us feedback...
We'd love to hear from you.

Menu Choices

Brave starts with
| my windows/tabs from last time |
| my home page |
| a new window |

Clear my downloads list for me
| Never |
| On Friday nights |
| Any time I close Brave |

Clear my history for me
| Never |
| On Friday nights |
| Any time I close Brave |

Let Brave check for updates
| Daily |
| Weekly |
| I'll check for updates myself. |

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Search Settings Panel

Menu Choices

	Search Engines	Engine Go Key (type first)	Reorder
👁			
Default ✓	G Google	/G	☰
	Duck Duck Go	/D	☰
✓	Yahoo	/Y	☰
✓	Bing	/B	☰
✓	Twitter	/T	☰
	W Wikipedia	/W	☰
	Amazon	/A	☰
✓	YouTube	/YT	☰

General **Search** **Tabs** **Privacy** **Security** **Bravery** **Advanced**

search

Search Control

Edit Search Engine List ✏

Search Bar Options

☑ Offer Search Suggestions

☑ Show Matching Tabs

☑ Autocomplete search term as you type

☑ Allow Split-Search
Enter "/G/Y" before your search words to open 2 tabs with different engines…

Helpful hints…

Search is a powerful thing. So we added a few powerful features for you. Any time you want to search your favorite engine, just start typing in the URL bar. Your default engine will be used, and the rest will be "At the ready" with a single click.

But wait, there's much more. Now you can use slash-keys. Simply type "/G" before your search string and Brave will send it to Google regardless of your current default engine.

Still not enough? Go ahead, type TWO in a row, and we will open 2 tabs with results from two different engines.

Send us feedback…
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Tabs Settings Panel

| | General | Search | **Tabs** | Privacy | Security | Bravery | Advanced | search |

Normal Tab Options

Open new tabs	to the Right ▾	
Links that normally open a new window should	open in a new window ▾	
Number of tabs per tab-set:	6 ▾	
Show Tab Previews after	1 second ▾	
	☑ Don't preview Private Tabs	
Hide the tab bar	When I only have one tab ▾	
	☑ Show tabs in page theme color	

Helpful hints...

Tab sets provide a new way to get organized, stay organized, or just collect tabs in a more manageable way.

Use the tab set indicator to jump quickly through tabs, and see which tab is making noise.

Shortcuts

Cmd+Tab
step through open tabs

Cmd+Tab
step through open tabs

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Noisy Tab Options

☑ Allow noisy tabs to play in the background
☑ Allow only one noisy tab at a time

Pinned Tab Options

☑ All windows have the same pins
☑ Keep pinned tabs pure
(only allow same-site links to change pin address)

Menu Choices

Open New Tabs	to the RIGHT to the LEFT at the end
Links that normally open a new window should	open in a new window open in a new tab open in the current tab
Number of tabs per tab-set:	6 10 20
Show Tab Previews after	1 second 0 seconds Don't show tab previews
Hide the tab bar	When I only have one tab Never Always

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Privacy Settings Panel

Menu Choices

| General | Search | Tabs | **Privacy** | Security | Bravery | Advanced | | search |

Tracking Protection

Brave will
- ☑ Always block trackers
- ☑ Allow me to set site-specific exceptions
  (using the bravery menu and panel)

  Edit tracking exception list...

- ☐ Broadcast DNT (do not track)

History

Brave will
- ☑ Remember page history
- ☑ Remember download history
- ☑ Remember search history
- ☑ Remember form history

Clear my history for me

| Never ▾ |

Clear All Browsing Data Now...

Cookie Control

- ☐ Block 1st party cookies
  (created by the site owner, coming from their server)
- ☑ Block 3rd party cookies
  (from unknown sources, sometimes harmful)
- ☑ Allow me to set site-specific exceptions
  (using the bravery menu and panel)

  Edit exception list/cookie jar...

Ad Control

- ☐ Block 1st party Ads
  (created by the site owner from their server)
- ☑ Block 3rd party Ads
  (from unknown sources, often annoying,
   sometimes malicious)
- ☑ Allow me to set site-specific exceptions
  (using the bravery menu and panel)

  Edit exception list for ad control...

Helpful hints...

Brave protects you from trackers on the web and recommends that you keep this setting enabled at all times unless there is a problem which should be addressed on a site-specific basis.

Brave does not believe DNT is effective but we provide it in case it's needed for testing or specific use cases.

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Security Settings Panel

Menu Choices

| General | Search | Tabs | Privacy | Security | Bravery | Advanced | search |

Passwords and Autofill

Always ask to save ▾   my logins and passwords.

Manage passwords...

☑ Enable 1Password™
Manage 1Password account...

☑ Use Autofill for all form fields that are recognizable

HTTPS/SSL

☑ Use HTTPS Everywhere for all available sites
(reroutes all HTTP connections to their secure equivalent)

☑ Allow me to set site-specific exceptions
(using the bravery menu and panel)

Manage Certificates...

Other Security Options

☑ Disable access to reported attack sites and web forgeries

☑ Alert me if a site tries to install an add-on

Helpful hints...

helpful text

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Bravery Panel: consumption table with publisher payments manager

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Sync · Options · **Personalize** · Intent Map

Your Content Consumption Leaderboard

Yearly · Monthly

TBD

Bravery Panel: Intent map panel

Menu Choices

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search

Sync   Options   Personalize   **Intent Map**

Ad Categories

Year   Month   Day

Category Map ⬤ Publisher Map

TBD

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Web Content Cache

Clear content cache now

☑ Allow Brave to send crash data to the QA team
(all crash reporting data is completely anonymized)

☑ Let Brave use your computer's proxy settings

Change proxy settings now...

Default App Settings

Restore all defaults now

Web Content Overrides

Set the minimum font size to:

any ▾

Default Character Encoding

Western ▾

UI Customization

Interface Contrast

Light ▾

Helpful hints...

helpful text

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Set the minimum font size to:

any
8
9
10
12

Default Character Encoding

Western
other
other
other

Interface Contrast

Light
Night
High-Contrast

Element Sharpness

Soft (12px radii)
Medium (4px radii)
Sharp (0px radii)

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Font Awesome Icons (for prototype only)

fa-list-alt	fa-search	fa-bookmark-o	fa-refresh	fa-user	fa-lock	fa-not	fa-tasks
General	Search	Tabs	Sync	Privacy	Security	Bravery	Advanced

fa-caret-down	fa-pencil	fa-square-o / fa-check-square-o