

Gwibber

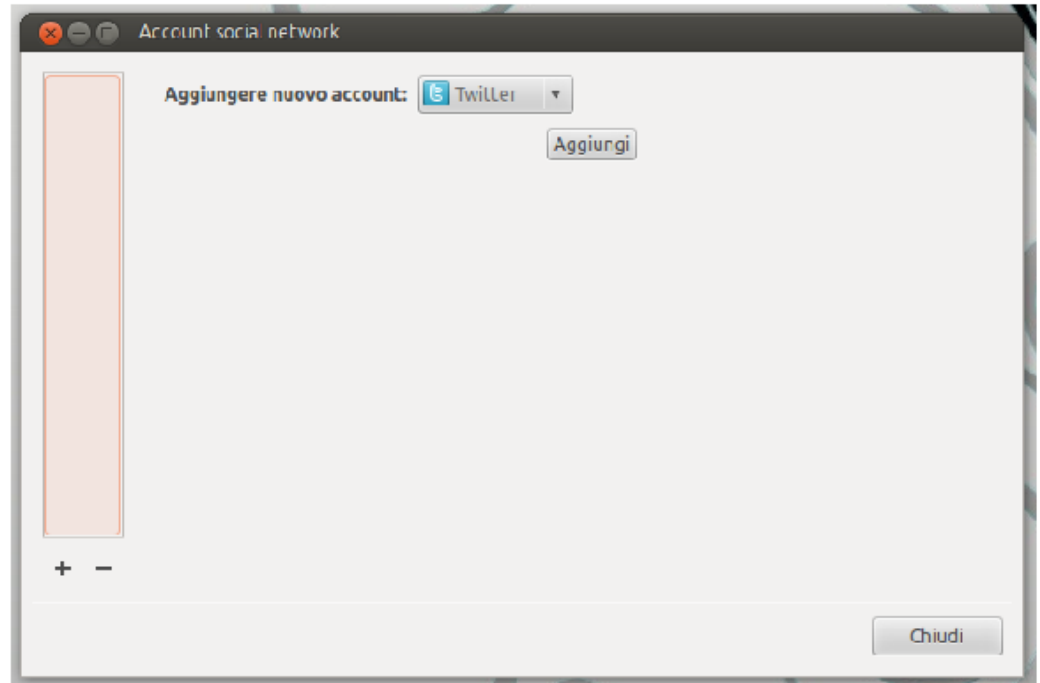
A new layout for the account creation window

Gwibber | Current account window

Current account window layout

The account window is the first thing a new user sees: it should be polished, relaxing, clear, friendly and sexy.

This window misses all the aforementioned goals: it feels unpolished, it doesn't make the user feel comfortable (why so much empty space?), it is not clear (why is the left column white?) and it sure as hell isn't sexy.



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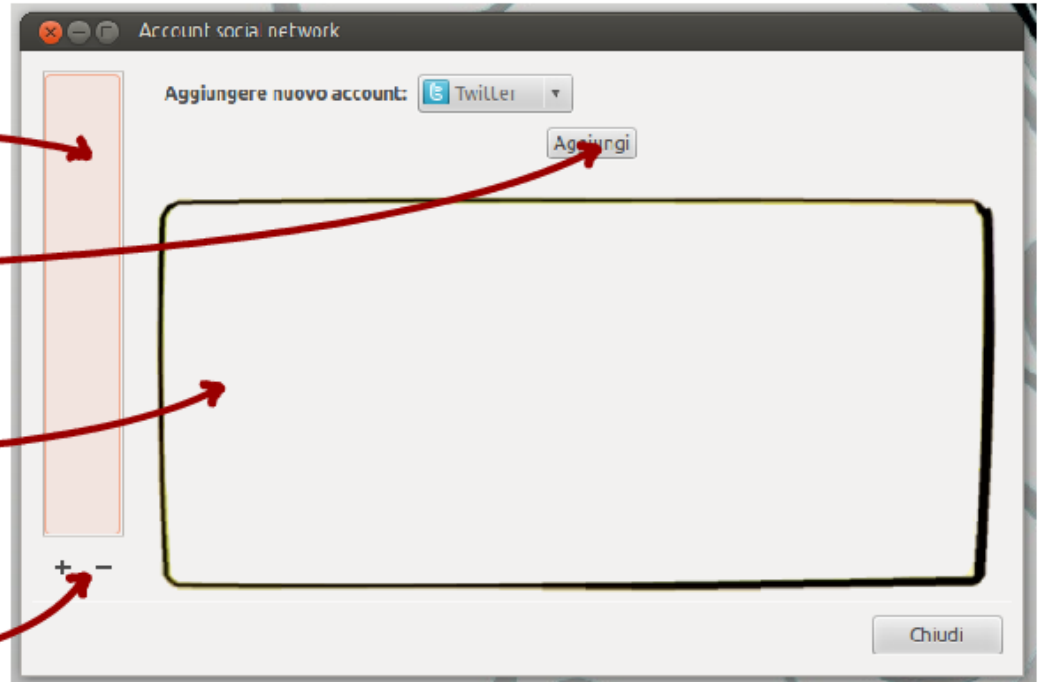
What's wrong?

What is this? Why is it empty?
Did i do something wrong, or it is just supposed to be empty?

Why is this button here? it definitely makes the UI look unprofessional.

There's enough room to play soccer here!
How come?

What are these buttons for? The column is empty...



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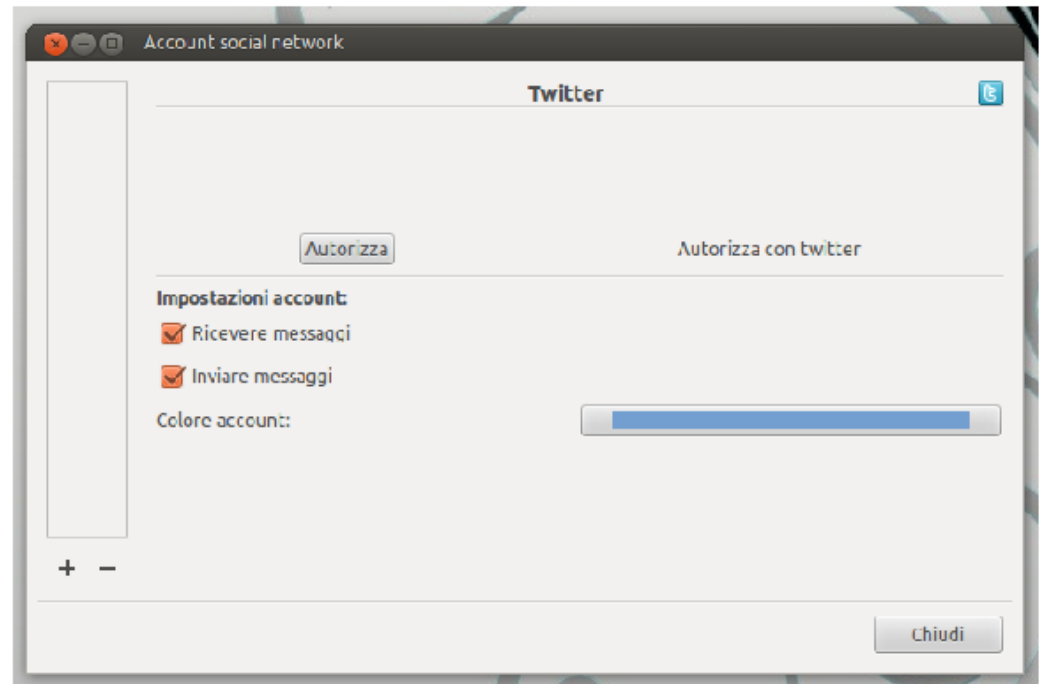
Current account settings layout

Still awful!

There's a lot of space being wasted.

The buttons are placed randomly.

There is still no clue what the white space to the left is for...



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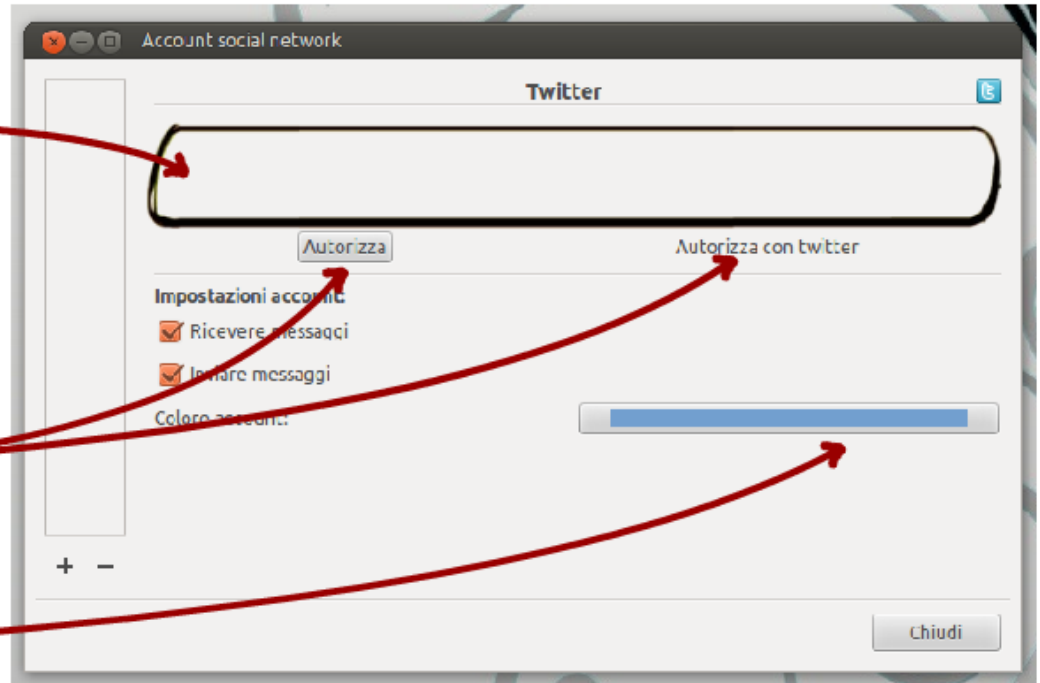
What's wrong?

Why is this space empty? It feels like some part of the UI is missing...

The action button is placed **before** its own label...

BTW. the label is useless, the button is enough.

Why is this color picker so huge?



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A new user experience

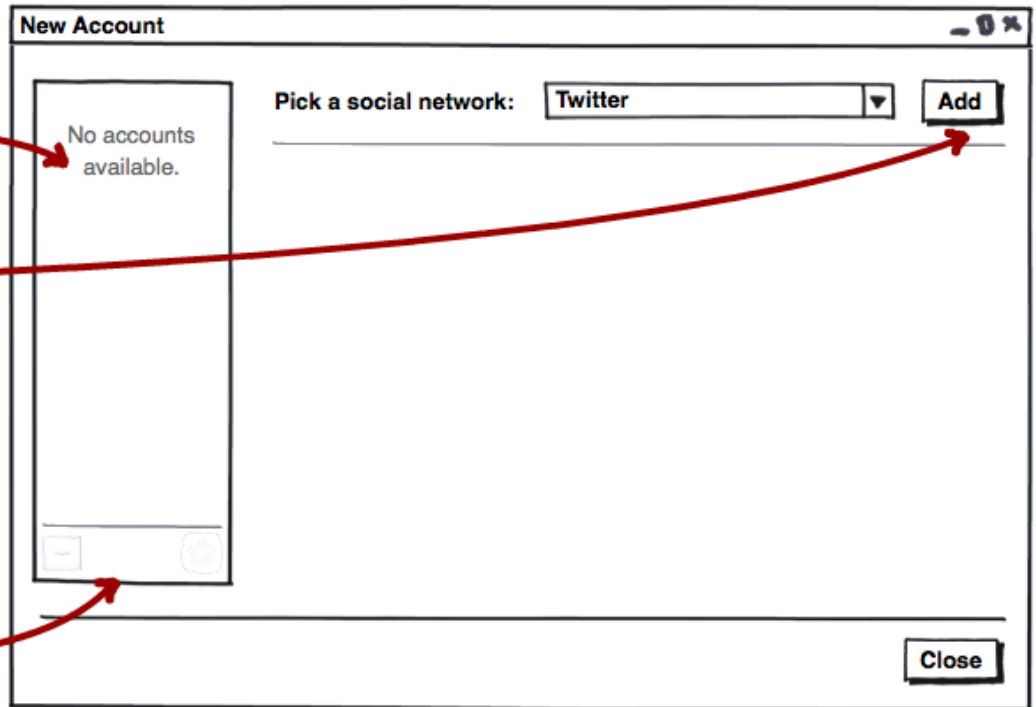
Now it is clear this space is for available profiles

No accounts available.

The button is now aligned to the drop down.

The buttons are barely visible, since they are useless until the first account is added.

The plus button is removed, insted there is a new "cog" button which brings up the settigs for the selected account.



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A new user experience

Settings do not need much space now.

New Account

No accounts available.

New Twitter account

Settings:

- Recieve messages
- Send messages

Account colour: ■

Connect

Close

The "Connect" button is now placed at the bottom, which is a much more logical placement.

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A new user experience

The account is listed in the white space.

The buttons are now visible. The minus button removes the selected account, the cog button brings up the settings.

The plus button is removed, because once the account creation is completed, the window goes back to the default stauts as pictured.

