Some common problems...

if you get smarty errors on the install-tiki.php try chmod 777 templates  $\,c\,$ 

or better

chmod -R 777 \*

which will change perms for all folders... this was an old install bug but should be gone now in the latest release of Tikiwiki

You may also get something like below:

Tiki installer v1.7 -Eta Carinae- reload We have problems! The following directories must be writeable by Tiki, please check the permissions on those directories and then re-run the install script. db/ img/wiki img/wiki\_up modules/cache templates\_c backups dump temp try again! you can try

chmod -R 777 \*

There have been problems reported with passwords on installation but again the latest release of Tiki fixes many install problems.