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BLOG

Magento Extension by PIXLOGIX

USER GUIDE

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1. Installation Process

To install the extension, you need to follow below steps

- Enable all cache from admin (System > Cache Management) before upload extension.
- Extract extension zip package and copy all folders (app, lib, skin).
- Upload all folders (app, lib, skin) to your site by FTP.
- After uploading all files clear all cache from admin (System > Cache Management).
- Logout to complete installation process and login again otherwise you will get 404 Error.
- Check "Blog" extension tab available or not into admin navigation.

2. Blog Configuration

2.1 General

- **Enable Blog:** To enable or disable blog extension.
- **Enable jQuery:** To enable or disable jQuery. If already used jQuery library in current theme then disable it. "i.e. Magento 'rwd' default theme provides 'jquery-1.10.2.min.js' file then no need to enable it."

- **Blog URL:** To change blog url dynamically by admin
- **Enable Top Link:** To enable or disable Blog link on frontend Top link menu.
- **Enable Footer Link:** To enable or disable Blog link on frontend Footer link menu.
- **Enable Breadcrumbs:** To enable or disable Breadcrumbs on blog pages.
- **Blog Page Layout:** To change only Blog page layout.
- **Blog Title:** To change Blog page title.
- **Meta Keywords:** Blog meta keywords.
- **Meta Description:** Blog meta description. Maximum 255 chars
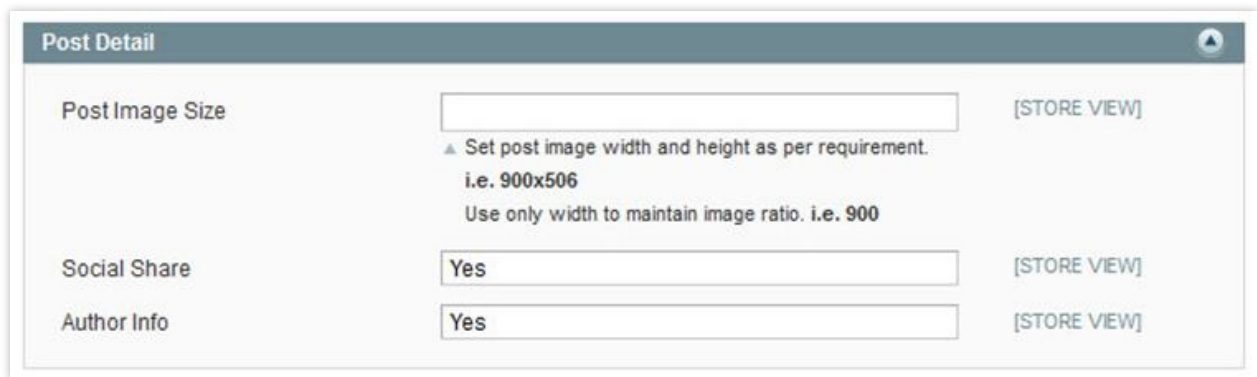- **Enable Canonical URL:** To enable or disable Canonical URL.

2.2   Post List

- **Image Size:** Set post image width and height as per requirement. **i.e. 900x506** Use only width to maintain image ratio. **i.e. 900**
- **Description Character Limit:** If post short description is empty then it will take from description field on listing page and you can specify character limit from here. Default **250** character limit.
- **Posts Per Page on List Allowed Values:** Comma-separated.

2.3   Post Detail

- **Post Image Size:** Set post image width and height as per requirement. i.e. 900x506
  Use only width to maintain image ratio. i.e. 900
- **Social Share:** To enable or disable social share on post detail page.
- **Author Info:** To enable or disable author info on post detail page.

2.4   Latest Post Widget on Homepage

- **Latest Post Image Size:** Set post image size as per your requirement.

2.5 Featured Post Widget on Homepage

- **Featured Post Image Size:** Set post image size as per your requirement.

2.6 Sidebar

Blog Configuration ✔ Save Config

Sidebar ⊙

Search	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Search Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]
Categories	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Categories Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]
Number of Categories		[STORE VIEW]
	▲ Insert value to display number of categories.	
Archives	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Archives Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]
Number of Archives		[STORE VIEW]
	▲ Insert value to display number of archives.	
Recent Posts	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Recent Posts Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]
Number of Recent Posts		[STORE VIEW]
	▲ Insert value to display number of recent posts.	
Recent Comments	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Recent Comments Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]
Number of Recent Comments		[STORE VIEW]
	▲ Insert value to display number of recent comments. Leave empty to display recent "5" comments.	
Tag Cloud	Yes	[STORE VIEW]
Tag Cloud Position	Both	[STORE VIEW]

- **Search:** To enable or disable blog search widget.
- **Search Position:** To display search widget on left, right or both sidebar.
- **Categories:** To enable or disable categories widget.
- **Categories Position:** To display categories widget on left, right or both sidebar.
- **Categories Latest:** Insert value to display latest number of categories. Leave empty to display all categories.
- **Archives:** To enable or disable archives widget.
- **Archives Position:** To display archives widget on left, right or both sidebar.

- **Archives Latest:** Insert value to display latest number of archives. Leave empty to display all archives.
- **Recent Posts:** To enable or disable recent posts widget.
- **Recent Posts Position:** To display recent posts widget on left, right or both sidebar.
- **Recent Posts Number:** Insert value to display latest number of Recent Posts. Leave empty to display Recent "5" Posts.
- **Recent Comments:** To enable or disable recent comments widget.
- **Recent Comments Position:** To display recent comments widget on left, right or both sidebar.
- **Recent Comments Number:** Insert value to display latest number of Recent Comments. Leave empty to display Recent "5" Comments.

2.7   Comments

- **Enable Comments:** "Yes - Default Comments" - To enable or disable default post comments.
- **Enable Comments to Logged in Users?:** To allow comments for logged in users or not.
- **Enable Auto Approve Comments:** To allow auto approve comments. By default, all comments status will be Pending.

- **Enable Email Notification:** To enable or disable comment submission notification to admin.
- **Admin Email Name:** Admin email name for his notification.
- **Admin To Email Address:** Admin will get email to this email address.
- **Admin Email Subject:** Admin email subject name for comment email notification.
- **Admin Email Template:** Admin can change admin comment email template from here.

Comments (Disqus Comments)

- **Enable Comments:** "Yes - Disqus Comments" - To enable or disable disqus comments.
- **Shortname:** By adding registered website shortname on disqus

3 Manage Posts (Admin Post Listing)

- **Id:** Post Id
- **Image:** Post Image
- **Title:** Post Title
- **Post Url Key:** Post Url Key to display frontend post identifier key.
- **Author:** Post assigned author name.
- **Comments:** To display enable or disable post comment status.
- **Creation Time:** Post Creation time.
- **Update Time:** Post Update time.
- **Status:** Post Status.
- **Action:** Post edit link

3.1 Post Information (Add/Edit Post)

- **Title:** Post Title
- **Post Url Key:** Post url key to view post on frontend.
- **Status:** To enable or disable this post.
- **Duplicate Post:** To create duplicate post of current post.

3.2 Content

- **Description:** To display post description on frontend.
- **Short Description:** To display post short description as a excerpt on frontend post list page.

3.3 Association

- **Post Categories:** To assign post categories. Hold CTRL to select multiple.
- **Tags:** Add multiple Tags separated by comma. Here you can see auto suggest tags.
- **Comments:** To enable/ disable post specific comments.

3.4 General

- **Image:** To upload post image as featured image. This image will display on post list and detail page.
- **Is Featured :** To set post as featured post.
- **Publish Date:** Admin can select date to publish post. Leave empty to use current datetime.
- **Author:** To assign post author.

3.5 Website

- **Store View:** To assign store specific post. Hold CTRL to select multiple

3.6 Design

- **Page Layout:** To change post specific frontend page layout.
- **Custom Layout Update:** To update post specific frontend Custom Layout Update.

3.7 Meta Data

- **Meta Title:** To set post meta title.
- **Meta Keywords:** To set post Meta Keywords.
- **Meta Description:** To set post Meta Description. Maximum 255 chars

4 Manage Categories (Admin Category Listing)

- **Id:** Category Id
- **Title:** Category Title
- **Category Url Key:** Category Url Key to display frontend category identifier key.
- **Creation Time:** Category Creation time.
- **Update Time:** Category Update time.
- **Status:** Category Status.
- **Action:** Category edit link.

4.1   Category Information (Add/Edit category)

- **Title:** Category Title
- **Category Url Key:** Category url key to view Category on frontend.
- **Status:** To enable or disable this Category.

4.2 Category

- **Description:** To display category description on frontend.

4.3   Design

- **Page Layout:** To change category specific frontend page layout.
- **Custom Layout Update:** To update category specific frontend Custom Layout Update.

4.4   Meta Data

- **Meta Title:** To set category meta title.
- **Meta Keywords:** To set category Meta Keywords.
- **Meta Description:** To set category Meta Description. Maximum 255 chars

5 Manage Tags

- **Id:** Tag title
- **Title:** Tag title
- **Tag Url Key:** Tag Url Key to display frontend tag identifier key.
- **Action:** Tag edit link.

5.1. Tag Information

- **Tag Title:** Tag title
- **Url Key:** Tag Url Key to display frontend tag identifier key.

6 Manage Author

- **Id:** Author Id
- **Author Avatar:** Author Avatar/photo
- **Author:** Author Title
- **Author Url Key:** Author Url Key to display frontend author identifier key.
- **No. of Post:** To display number of post of this author.
- **Creation Time:** Author Creation time.
- **Update Time:** Author Update time.
- **Action:** Author edit link.

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6.1   Author Information

- **Author Name:** Author title
- **Url Key:** Author Url Key to display frontend author identifier key.
- **Author Avatar:** To upload author photo
- **Author Bio:** To set author bio description.

7 Manage Comments

	ID ↓	Post	Name	Email	Website	Comment	Status	Action
Any								
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☐	27	ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS!!!	Merry	etestworld@gmail.com	http://www.example.com	in ijwio iwefijnwe niwefjun ibwd fwebn	Enabled	Edit
☐	26	ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS!!!	John	etestworld@gmail.com	http://www.example.com	testing email for comment	Enabled	Edit
☐	18	ABSOLUTELY GORGEOUS!!!	shatrufd	shta@yahoo.com	http://www.example.com	level 7 comment	Enabled	Edit

Manage Comments

Page ◁ 1 ▷ of 1 pages | View 20 per page | Total 3 records found   Export to: CSV   Export

Reset Filter   Search

Select All | Unselect All | Select Visible | Unselect Visible | 0 items selected   Actions [ ]   Submit

- **Id:** Comment Id
- **Post:** Associated post link to this comment.
- **Name:** Comment sender name.
- **Email:** Comment sender email name.
- **Website:** Comment sender website.
- **Comment:** Customer comment description.
- **Comment IP:** Customer sender user IP.
- **Creation Time:** Comment Creation time.
- **Update Time:** Comment Update time.
- **Status:** Comment status.
- **Action:** Comment edit link.

7.1 Comment Information

- **Name:** Comment sender name.
- **Email:** Comment sender email name.
- **Website:** Comment sender website.
- **Comment:** Customer comment description.
- **Status:** Comment status. By default, comment status will be disabled.

8 Import - Export

8.1   Import Data

- **Select File to Import:** You can import blog data by uploading .csv file. See sample.csv file before import data. (See above snap)

8.2 Export Data

- **Date From:** Select "From" date if your want to export between two date range data.
- **Date To:** Select "To" date if your want to export between two date range data.
- **Post Categories:** Select one or more categories if you want to export specific category wise data.
- **Tags:** Add comma separated tags if you want to export specific tag wise data.
- **Author:** Select author if you want to export specific author wise data.
- **Status:** Select status if you want to export specific status wise data.

9 Latest Post Widget

- **Widget Type:** Select "Blog: Latest Post" for latest post widget.
- **Blog Category ID(s):** Add comma separated categories if you want to show specific category wise posts. Leave empty for default latest posts.
- **Blog Layout:** Select latest post listing layout either grid or list
- **No. of Grid Column:** Select number of grid columns
- **Maximum Latest Post:** Add number to display latest number of posts. Leave empty for default latest 5 posts.

10 Featured Post Widget

- **Widget Type:** Select "Blog: Featured Post" for latest post widget.
- **Blog Category ID(s):** Add comma separated categories if you want to show specific category wise posts. Leave empty for default latest posts.
- **Blog Layout:** Select latest post listing layout either grid or list
- **No. of Grid Column:** Select number of grid columns
- **Maximum Latest Post:** Add number to display latest number of posts. Leave empty for default latest 5 posts.

11 Post Listing (List / Grid View - Frontend)

List View

Grid View

- **Post Listing at Frontend:** You can see "Blog" menu link at Top navigation and Footer Links Navigation to be view all posts

12 Post Listing Responsive (List / Grid View - Frontend)

List View

Grid View

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13 Post View (Frontend)

- **Frontend View (without Responsive):** You can see post front-end view (See above snap)

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14 Post View Responsive (Frontend)

- **Frontend View (With Responsive):** You can see post front-end view for responsive design. (See above snap)

15 Disqus Comment (Frontend)
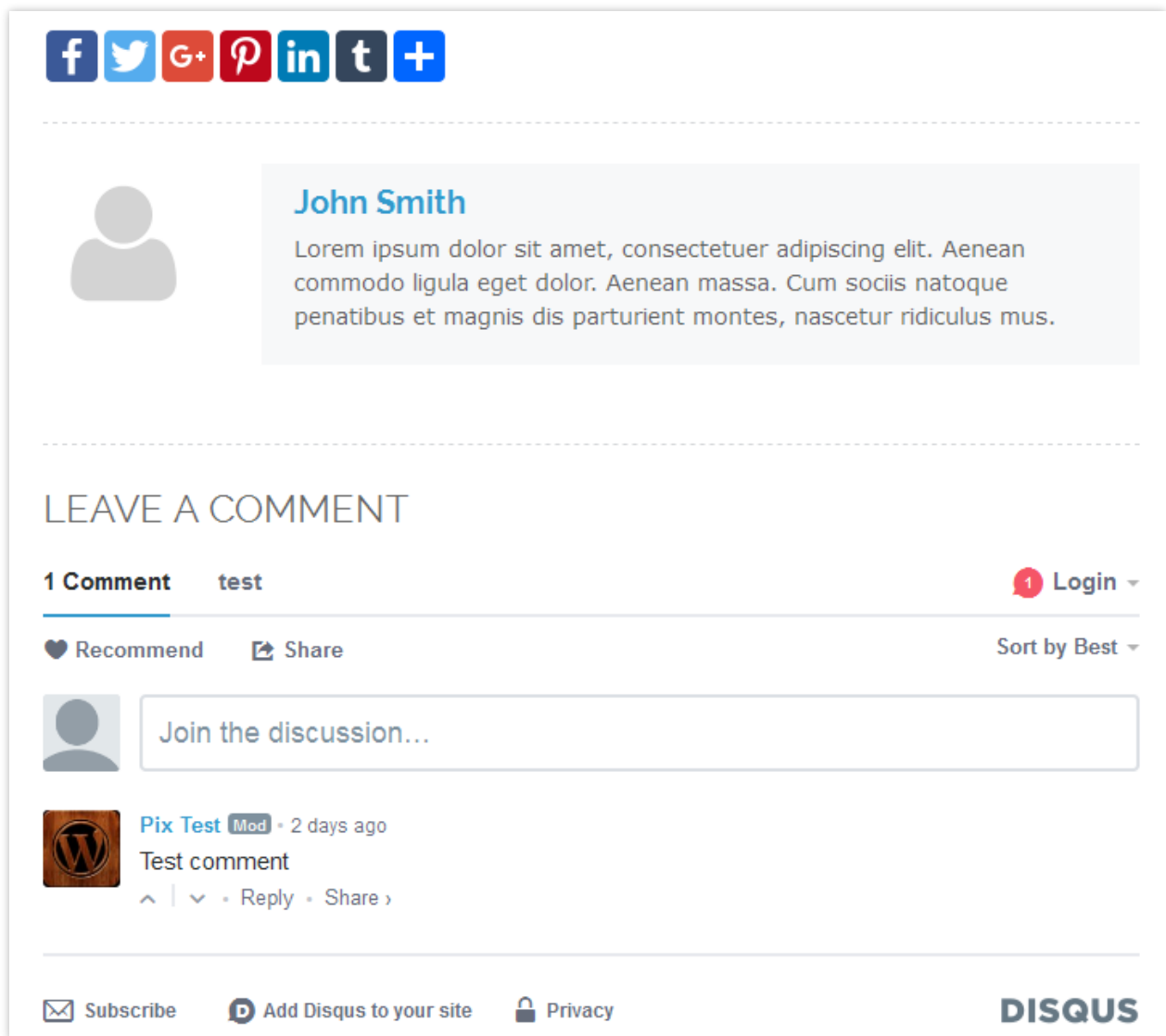
- **Frontend Disqus Comment:** You can integrate disqus comment with blog post

16 Featured & Latest Post Widget (List/Grid View for Frontend)

List View

Grid View

- **Frontend Featured & Latest Post List:** You can see/set Featured & Latest post to frontend using widget

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17 License

What is allowed with single regular license

- You can use it on one website for yourself or for your client.
- You will need to purchase another regular license for another domain or clients.
- You can setup extension on your staging server for testing/development purposes (that setup shouldn't be available to the public).
- You can customize extension, you can modify it with other works as per your need.
- Extension updates will be available free for single website.

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- It is not allowed to copy our extension code to misuse or for other extension creation or for selling purpose.

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18 Help & Support

Please read "User Guide" carefully, it will help you to resolve most of potential problems with incorrect configuration of the extension in Magento. If you don't find the answer to your questions, please watch our video from below url.

Video - Extension Installation & Configuration guideline

Coming soon..! (Under Creation)

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