

IMPORT/EXPORT CATEGORIES FOR MAGENTO 2



User Guide

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Extension Overview

This module allows you to import and export your categories and sub categories and related category data like meta descriptions / meta title / meta keywords as well as if the category isActive or isAnchor, category description and category image and thumbnail. It can also import/export products for categories and product position(s) in the categories. See Screenshot of example categories.csv file to view an example.

FEATURES:

- Import/Export all category and related data
- Import/Export category images and thumbnail images
- Import/Export category images and thumbnail images BY HTTP URL
- Import/Export category product positions
- Import/Export categories and set categoryIDs
- Comes with a User Manual / Install Instructions

Extension Installation

1. Log out from Magento Admin panel if you are logged in
2. Unpack the contents of the zip file purchased and VIA ftp and upload the app folder to your magento install root.
3. SSH into your magento server and Clear cache using command

```
php -f bin/magento cache:flush
```

4. After uncompressing the categories import/export package, you should have one folder: app

Upload everything in the app/* folder to your app/* folder.

5. SSH into your magento server and run command via ssh in root of magento install to install module

```
php -f bin/magento setup:upgrade
```

and

```
php -d memory_limit=1024M -f bin/magento setup:di:compile
```

Extension Usage

1. **DO NOT** – Edit the CSV in excel it strips format and breaks import. I recommend using openoffice.org calc and saving in utf-8 format.
2. Overall the extension is very straight forward. You can find in magento admin under

system -> import/export categories

and you can run the export to get a sample csv of categories already in your site and then you just upload via ftp to var/import and run the import profile and it will import it back in.

3. On import you can control the ability to import images either by setting "import_images_by_url" to "Yes".and you supply [HTTP://www.site.com/image.jpg](http://www.site.com/image.jpg) in the "category_image" column or set to false and supply "image.jpg" in same column
4. NOTE THE following fields and value settings for them

Display Mode = column called "display_mode" and values can be "PRODUCTS", "PAGE", "PRODUCTS_AND_PAGE"

CMS Block = column called "cms_block" and values must be numbers. I use firebug in firefox to find these values from the dropdown itself in the admin

Custom Design = column called "custom_design" and values must be "base/default" or "default/default". This field is option you can remove it from csv import if you dont need it.

Page Layout = column called "page_layout" and values must be

"empty", "one_column", "two_columns_left", "two_columns_right",
"three_columns"

Category_Products = [OPTIONAL] - you can format sku's here comma delimited "sku1,sku2,sku3" to assign existing products to categories at the time of import of that correct or even update a existing category with existing products.

Support

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