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Important: This website is now read only (except to admins) to comply with the UK Online Safety Act. Composr CMS is in the process of migrating to a new Constitutional governance model and Bazaar development model, with functionality of the old website (constructed by ocProducts Ltd, the prior copyright holder, a UK company) spread between [GitLab](#) and the [new website](#) (which has no connections to the UK).

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The first step is to transfer the installation files to your server.

Version 11 upgrade information

The official website for version 11 is <https://composr.app>. This site will also provide bleeding-edge releases of version 11. To assist users with the upgrade and transition from v10 to v11, [compo.sr](#) will also host the first stable version of v11 when it is released (so v10 sites can upgrade through the Admin Zone dashboard). However, from that point forward, v11 updates will only be available on [composr.app](#). Once you upgrade to v11, your site will begin checking for updates from [composr.app](#) instead, so you will receive v11 updates from then on.

Automatic extractor

Recommended

This package ("quick installer") will self-extract on your server and automatically set all permissions.

Works on most servers (needs PHP FTP support or suEXEC on your server).

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v10.0.52 | 17 MB

Manual extractor

Slower; requires chmodding

This is a ZIP containing all Composr files (several thousand). It is much slower, and only recommended if you cannot use the quick installer. Some [chmodding](#) is required.

Do not use this for upgrading.

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Bleeding edge

Unstable

Would you like to beta-test the new version: v11 beta7?
It **may not be as stable** as our main version (v10.0.52).

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Cloud & SaaS hosting

Scalability

Composr will work on most kinds of PHP cloud hosting such as [Cloud Foundry](#), [Rackspace Hosting](#) and [Amazon EC2](#). [Bitnami](#) provide quality cloud hosting, and Composr EC2 images.

Are you upgrading?

Instead of using this page, you should login to your Admin Zone. You'll see a link to upgrade there.

Upgrading from ocPortal? You need to use a [special omni-upgrader](#).

Hosting requirements

- ❖ PHP 5.3 or higher, with the following supported:
 - GD2
 - Memory limit 64MB+
- ❖ MySQL 5.5.3 or higher
- ❖ Apache or IIS recommended
- ❖ 100MB of disk space

For more information and recommendations, see our [webhosting tutorial](#).

Forum integration

Composr has its own forum and member system (Conversr), but can also integrate with some third party ones out-of-the-box:

- ❖ Burning Board 2.0 / 2.2/Lite
- ❖ [IPB](#) 1.1-1.3 / 2.0-2.3
- ❖ [phpBB](#) 2.0-3.1
- ❖ [SMF](#) 1.0 / 1.1 / 2.0
- ❖ [vB](#) 2.2 / 3.0-3.7

We have inbuilt support for the kind of advanced features needed for scaling Composr installations.

Other installers

Composr is also available on:



Coming soon? ...

For Developers

Git read access

Git is the revision control system we use to collaborate on Composr.

You can access the repository on [GitLab](#).

We often commit fixes to Git before patch releases come out.

Be aware that the Git repository also has many non-bundled addons in it. We develop them in there, to keep them up-to-date. There is a script called `delete_alien_files.php` which will erase them. You need to first delete the `sources_custom/hooks/systems/addon_registry/*.php` files of any addons you don't want, then run the script, then run the commands the script says (after reviewing), then install.

Git write access

We [accept and encourage external contributions](#).

We will provide write-access to Git as appropriate (essentially when someone shows a serious commitment to the project in the form of high-quality code).

WowBB 1.7

Other integration

Conversr can integrate with an [LDAP](#) server, facilitating tie in with [Active Directory](#) and [OpenLDAP](#) logins.

Conversr can also integrate with [HTTP authentication systems](#), facilitating integration with any login system that uses this mechanism.

A powerful framework and a number of programming tools are provided, to accelerate integration with other scripts and web-apps.