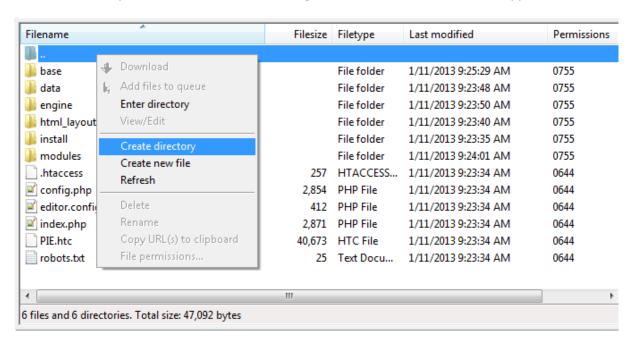
Note: we strongly recommend that you do a complete backup of your current CloneForest marketplace BEFORE proceeding to update to the latest version.

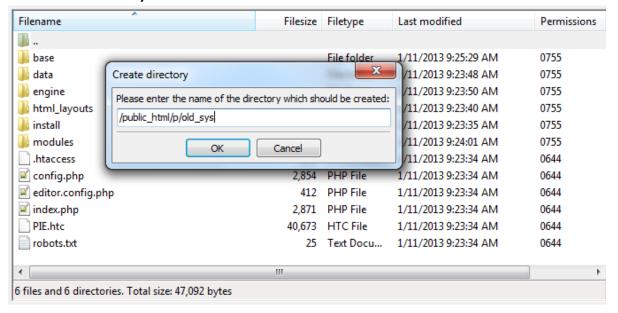
Note: we recommend that you bring your installation up to version 1.12 standard before proceeding with update to CloneForest v2.0.

Warning: automatic updates will NOT copy any custom work done to your new installation!

Step 1 is to create a new folder on your server named **old_sys**. Open your FTP client, connect to the server and open the folder where you've installed CloneForest. Right-click and a context menu will appear.



Select **Create directory.**



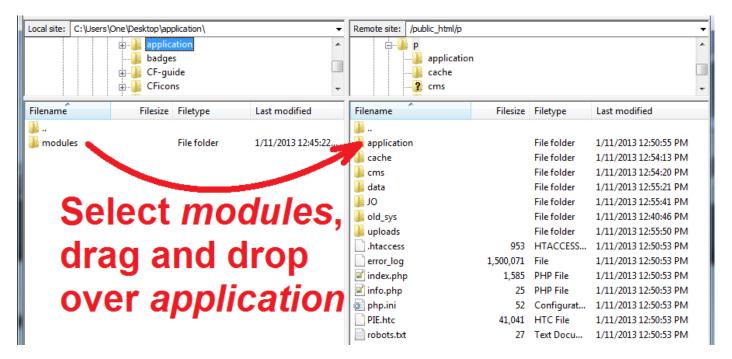
In the box that pops up replace the highlighted **New directory** with **old_sys**, then click **OK**. The new folder will appear.

Select all other files and folders and move them over to the **old_sys** folder. We recommend that you also copy the entire folder over to your computer.

Step 2 is installing CloneForest v2.0 on your domain as discussed in the installation and administration guide, **using a new database** (different from the old install).

Once installation is done, please make sure that the new version has been correctly installed by typing in your domain name.

Step 3 begins by downloading the updating package from the **Downloads** section of your CloneForest.com account. After you download the file, extract the contents of the archive to your computer. Open the **application** folder (see the left pane below), select the modules folder with the mouse, then drag it over the **application** folder on the server (in the right pane of your FileZilla – see below).

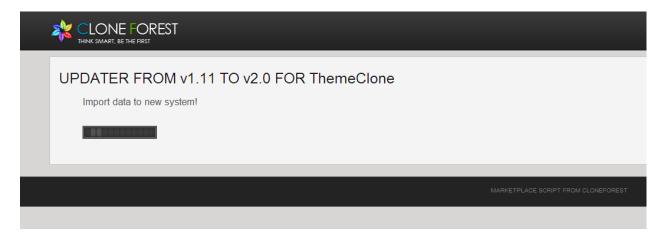


Then, please type the address of your marketplace, followed by /update. This page will appear:

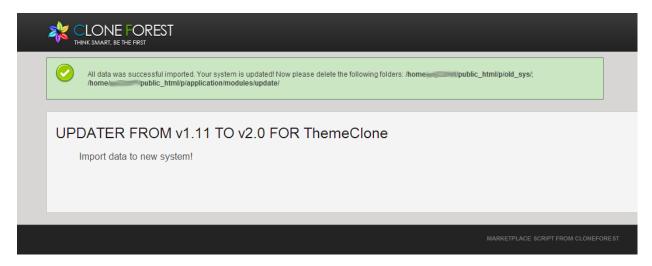


Click the **Update** button at the bottom of the page.

A new page with a progress bar will appear and will refresh several times, informing you about the stage of the update.



Warning: depending on the number of items and users the time required for this stage of the update may vary. Please be patient and wait for the confirmation screen to appear.



After the update is complete you can access your store using your domain name, and make sure all the information has been properly copied to the new version you've installed.

We strongly encourage you to check the user group permissions – please refer to the installation and administration guide for more details on how to do that.