

# Contact Form 7 Storage plugin for WordPress

**Contact Form 7 Storage plugin stores copies of all Contact Form 7 submissions (including attachments) in your WordPress database.** All form entries and leads will be stored safely even if your e-mail goes down or e-mail messages go missing or get deleted.

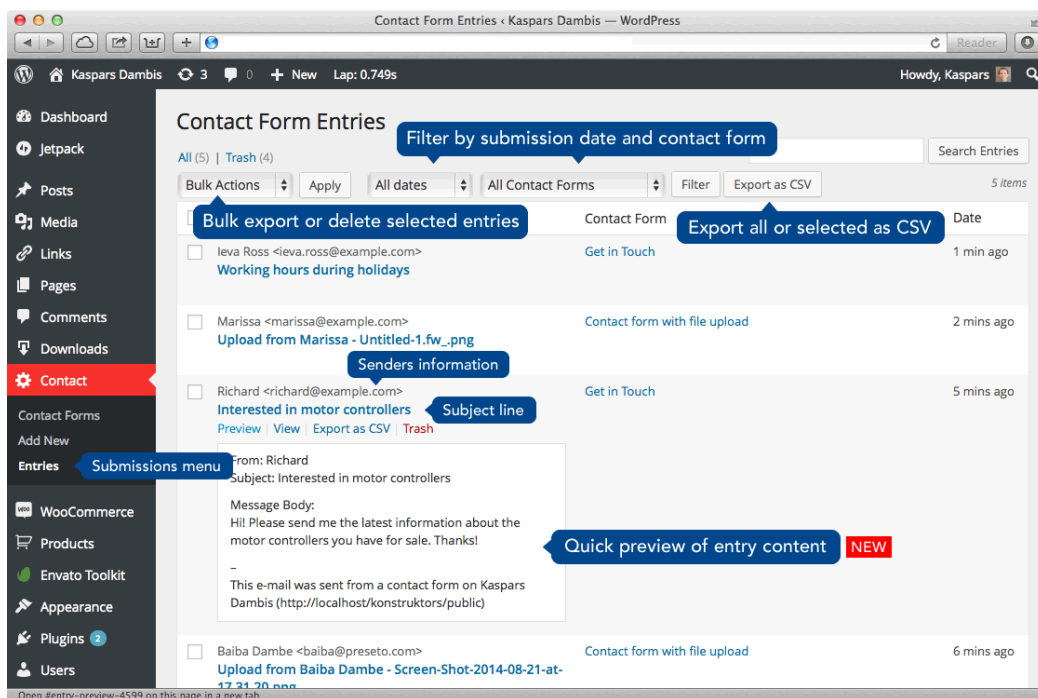
**New in 1.4.3:** Add form field names as column headers in the CSV export.

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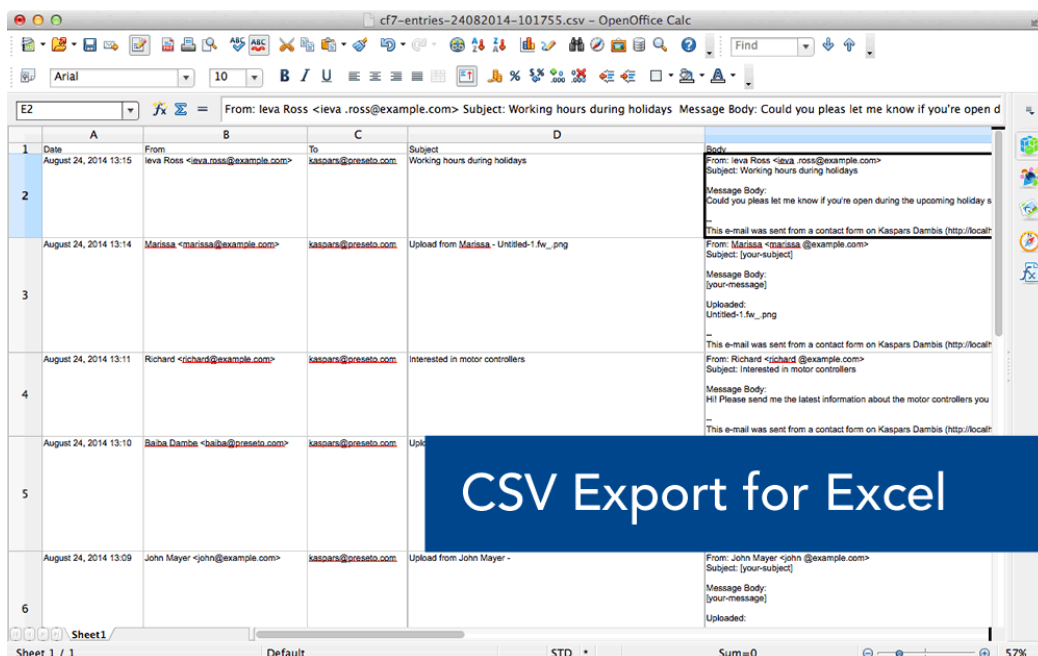
## Features

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**All form submissions are stored in the WordPress backend in addition to being sent via e-mail.** E-mail delivery is never 100% reliable and having a backup of all contact entries will ensure you never miss a lead or inquiry.



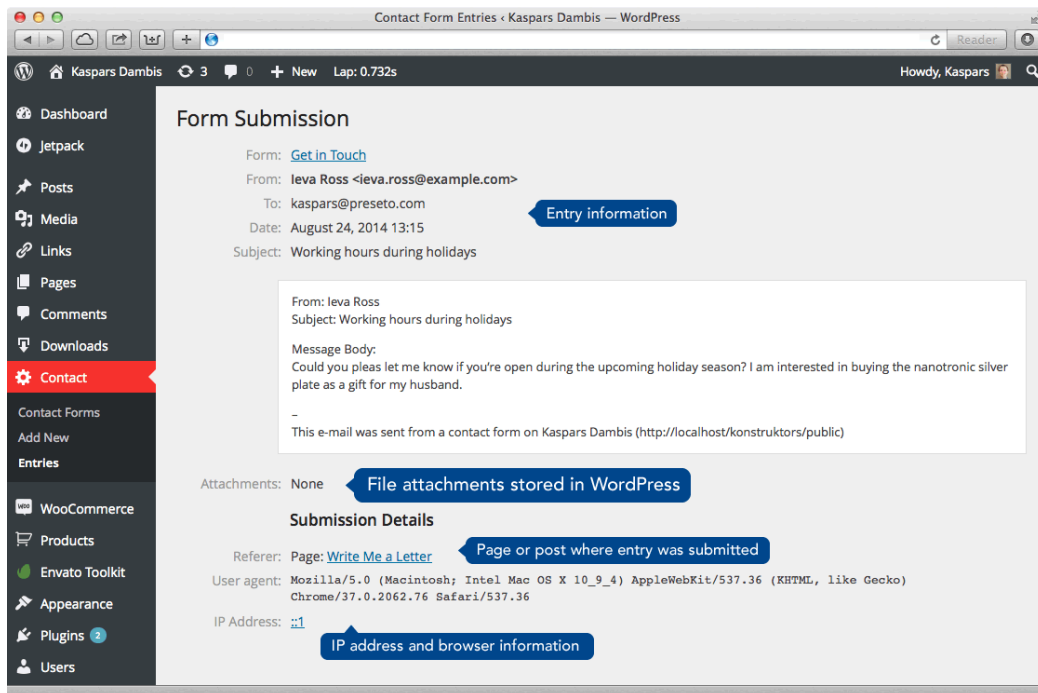
**Export form submissions as CSV.** Export all submissions or use the date and form filters to select which entries you want to export. Export also includes links to entry attachments.



**Each entry also stores the following details about the submission:**

- Time and date of the entry.

- E-mail address of the contact form recipient.
- Subject line of the e-mail that was sent to the contact form recipient.
- All attachments uploaded to the contact form.
- Post or page URL where the contact form was submitted (referrer).
- IP address, browser and device information (user-agent) of the submission.
- Link to the setup page of the contact form that was used for submission.



## Installation

1. Select *"Plugins > Add New"* from the main menu in your WordPress dashboard.
2. Select the *"Upload"* tab at the top of the page.
3. Select the *cf7-storage.zip* file for the upload and click *"Upload"*.
4. Be sure to activate the plugin once it has been uploaded.

## Usage

This plugin adds a new section called **"Entries"** under the **"Contact"** menu in the WordPress dashboard which lists all of the contact form submissions in a reverse chronological order. Quick preview of each entry to

avoid extra clicks.

**Dropdown selectors at the top of the list provide filtering and sorting of the contact form entries** by the contact form used for submission and the date of submission.

**Export entries as CSV** by using the "Export as CSV" button at the top of the submission list. Use the dropdown filters or the bulk action dropdown selector to select which submissions to export.

**Free form text search is also available** for finding a specific entry.

**Reference entry ID and entry URL in the e-mails** that get sent to the admin:

- `[storage_entry_id]` is replaced with a unique entry ID such as 3212, and
- `[storage_entry_url]` generates a link to the entry in the backend accessible only to registered users.

Please note that Contact Form 7 doesn't support wrapping variables in square brackets `[]` such as `[[storage_entry_id]]`. Please use another set of characters (for example `{}` or `()`).

## Automatic Updates

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Install the [Envato WordPress Toolkit plugin](#) to enable automatic updates of this plugin right from your WordPress dashboard. Don't forget to specify your API key and CodeCanyon username in the "Envato Toolkit" settings page.

## Requirements

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- Requires at least: WordPress 3.2
- Tested up to: WordPress 4.0

## Screenshots

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1. List of all form submissions.
2. Detailed view of each submission.

3. CSV export of form submissions.

## Support

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Please use the [dedicated support section on CodeCanyon](#).

## Changelog

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### 1.4.3

- Add form input field names as column headers in the CSV export.

### 1.4.2

- Add support for fields with multiple values (checkboxes, radio) to CSV export too.

### 1.4.1

- Add support for fields with multiple values (checkboxes, radio) in the entry view.

### 1.4

- Enable `[storage_entry_id]` and `[storage_entry_url]` mail tags.
- Fix issue with upload filename backslashes being removed on Windows servers.

### 1.3.8

- Don't store the mail 2 which is usually sent as a receipt to the user.

### 1.3.7

- Include automatic update library which was missing in 1.3.6.

### **1.3.6**

- Show uploaded files in the backend even if they were not mailed.

### **1.3.4**

- More reliable automatic updates.

### **1.3.3**

- Bugfix: Include all available contact forms in the drop-down filter.

### **1.3.2**

- Style table columns in the admin index view.

### **1.3.1**

- Include entry subject in the admin index view.
- Enable quick preview of entry content from the admin index view.

## **1.3**

- Enable automatic updates via the [Envato WordPress Toolkit plugin](#).

## **1.2**

- Support for Contact Form 7 version 3.9.

### **1.1.0**

- Add entry export functionality.

### **1.0.3**

- Add support for localization.
- Add Latvian translation.

### 1.0.1

- Simplify the readme file.

### 1.0

- Initial release.

## Extras for Contact Form 7

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[Extras for Contact Form 7](#) is a free plugin that will add simple controls for the advanced functionality of the Contact Form 7 plugin, such as disabling AJAX form submissions, default CSS, automatic paragraph formatting, adding Google Analytics tracking and redirection on form submissions. Simply search for **Extras for Contact Form 7** in your WordPress dashboard.