



Wordpress **Chop Slider 3** *by iDangerous*

Chop Slider 3 Official Wordpress Plugin Usage Documentation

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Thank you for purchasing Chop Slider 3. If you have any questions that are beyond the scope of this help file, please feel free to contact us via our support ticket form [here](#).

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1. Installation

To install the Chop Slider 3 Wordpress plugin you need:

- 1) to login to your Wordpress admin area, for example on <http://www.mywebsite.com/wp-admin/>.
- 2) then you need to go to the "Plugins" page and click on "Add New" link.

The screenshot shows the WordPress Admin Dashboard. On the left, there's a sidebar with links like Dashboard, Posts, Media, Links, Pages, Comments, Appearance, Plugins (which is currently selected), Users, Tools, and Settings. Below the sidebar, there's a 'Collapse menu' button. The main content area is titled 'Chop Slider for Wordpress'. It shows a list of installed plugins: Akismet and Hello Dolly. At the top of this list, there's a 'Bulk Actions' dropdown and an 'Apply' button. Below the list, there's another 'Bulk Actions' dropdown and an 'Apply' button. The 'Add New' button is highlighted with a circular cursor.

<input type="checkbox"/> Plugin	Description
<input type="checkbox"/> Akismet Activate Edit Delete	Used by millions, Akismet is quite possibly the best way in the world to protect your comments even while you sleep. To get started: 1) Click the "Activate" link to the left of this description, and save your API key. Version 2.5.3 By Automattic Visit plugin site
<input type="checkbox"/> Hello Dolly Activate Edit Delete	This is not just a plugin, it symbolizes the hope and enthusiasm of an entire generation. When activated you will randomly see a lyric from Hello, Dolly in the upper right of your site. Version 1.6 By Matt Mullenweg Visit plugin site
<input type="checkbox"/> Plugin	Description

- 3) Click the "Upload" link

The screenshot shows the 'Install Plugins' page. The sidebar on the left is identical to the previous one. The main content area is titled 'Chop Slider for Wordpress'. It has a heading 'Install Plugins' with a 'Search' and 'Upload' link. Below this, there's a brief description: 'Plugins extend and expand the functionality of WordPress. You may automatically install plugins from the WordPress.org Plugin Directory.' There are sections for 'Search' (with a search term input and 'Search Plugins' button) and 'Popular tags' (with a list of tags: admin, AJAX, buddypress, category, comment, comments, content, email, Facebook, featured, media, page, pages, photo, photos, plugin, Post, posts, rss, seo, shortcode, wordpress).

- 4) Click on the "Browse" button, in the opened window choose the "Wordpress_ChopSlider_3_x.zip" file from the downloaded archive
- 5) After that - "Install Now" button

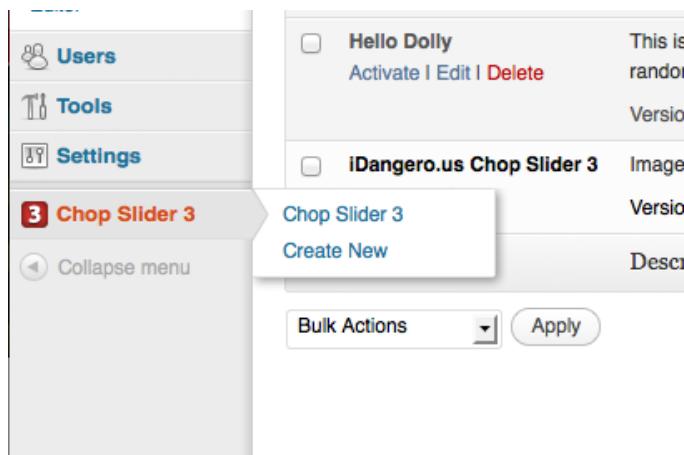
The screenshot shows the WordPress Admin Dashboard with the 'Plugins' menu item selected. On the right, there's a 'Install Plugins' page. A file named 'Slider2_Wordpress.zip' is selected in the 'Upload' field, and the 'Install Now' button is highlighted with a cursor icon.

The plugin will be uploaded and installed. Now you need to activate it by clicking on the "Activate" button on the Plugins page:

The screenshot shows the WordPress Admin Dashboard with the 'Plugins' menu item selected. On the right, there's a list of 'Installed Plugins'. The 'iDangerous Chop Slider 3' plugin is listed, and its 'Activate' button is highlighted with a cursor icon.

Plugin	Description
Akismet	Used by millions, Akismet is quite possibly the most popular spam filter for WordPress. get started: 1) Click the "Activate" link
Hello Dolly	This is not just a plugin, it symbolizes the spirit of giving. Every time you activate it, you randomly see a lyric from Hello, Dolly!
iDangerous Chop Slider 3	Image slider with totally amazing and unique features. It's the best slider for your website.
Plugin	Description

After the plugin activated you will see new menu section "Chop Slider 3"



2. Chop Slider 3 Admin Pages

2.1. Chop Slider 3 Management/Dashboard Page

Chop Slider 3 Dashboard page is the home page of Chop Slider 3. To get this page you need to click on the "Chop Slider 3" submenu.

If you have not created any Chop Slider 3 the page will look like this one:

Chop Slider 3

Created Sliders

Seems to be you have not created Chop Sliders. Click the button bellow to create your first Chop Slider:

[Create New Chop Slider](#)

Chop Slider Dashboard

Plugin Settings

Chop Slider Settings

Remove ChopSlider database on plugin delete:

[Remove](#)

Set to "Do not remove" if you are going to remove Chop Slider before update to the new version

Permissions:

Switch to "Administrator" if you are using Multiple Sites and want to allow for the sites administrators to manage sliders.

[Super Admin](#)

[Save Changes](#)

Tutorial Videos

How To Create Chop Slider 3

This small tutorial will show how to create awesome Wordpress slider with Chop Slider 3 Wordpress plugin and integrate it to post with template tag.

[Watch this video](#)

Chop Slider 3 Widget

This small tutorial will show how to create and integrate slider with Chop Slider 3 widget.

[Watch this video](#)

On this page you can see message that you need to create your first Slider and three additional content boxes with useful information:

Plugin Settings

There is a new tab on the Chop Slider's dashboard page with some useful settings:

Remove ChopSlider database on plugin delete

Earlier if you delete Chop Slider plugin it removes all its own database entries with information about created sliders. Now if you want to re-install Chop Slider or to update to new version you can switch this option to "Do not remove" and after you delete and then install Chop Slider all created sliders will be in safe.

Permission

If you are using Multi Site and want to allow for the sites administrators to manage Sliders you need to switch permission from Super Admin to Administrator

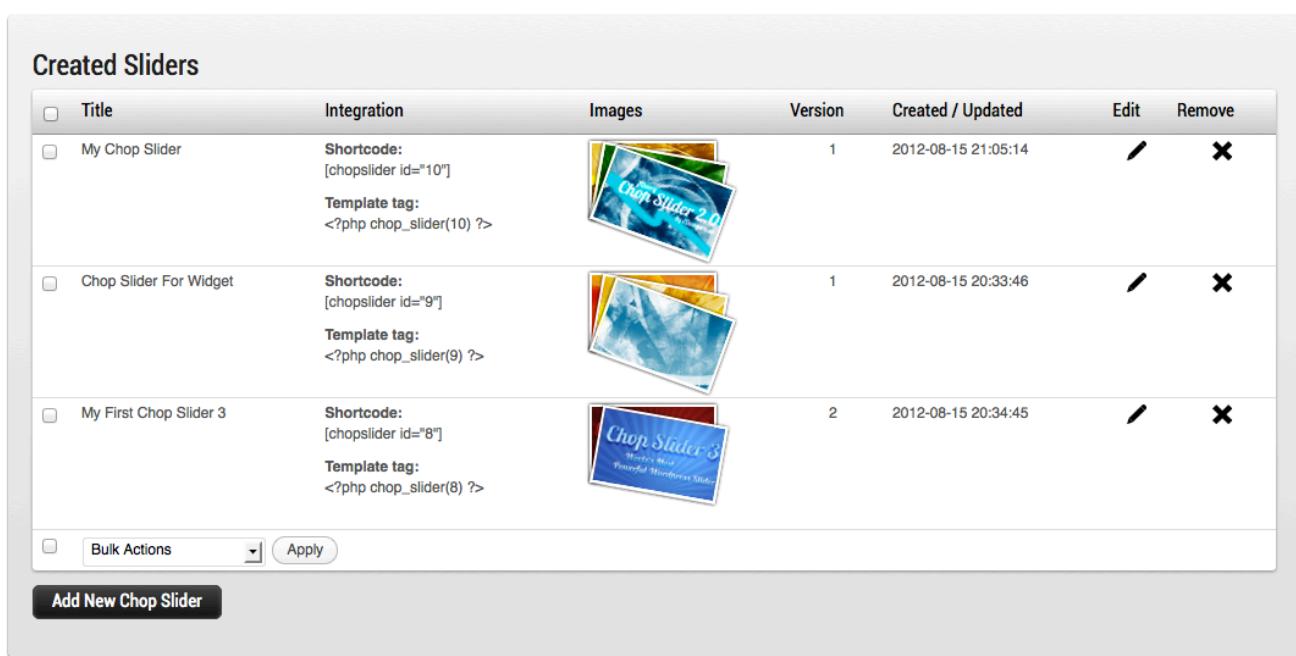
Tutorial Videos

In this box you will find link to useful tutorial videos.

iDangerous on Twitter

Content box with latest tweets from iDangerous.us. Here you will find information about Chop Slider news, updates, bugs, etc.

If you already create at least one Chop Slider, the top part of dashboard page will look like on this screenshot:



The screenshot shows the 'Created Sliders' section of the Chop Slider 3 plugin's dashboard. At the top, there's a red logo for 'Chop Slider 3' with 'by iDangerous' underneath. Below the logo is a table with the following data:

Title	Integration	Images	Version	Created / Updated	Edit	Remove
My Chop Slider	Shortcode: [chopslider id="10"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(10) ?>		1	2012-08-15 21:05:14		
Chop Slider For Widget	Shortcode: [chopslider id="9"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(9) ?>		1	2012-08-15 20:33:46		
My First Chop Slider 3	Shortcode: [chopslider id="8"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(8) ?>		2	2012-08-15 20:34:45		

At the bottom left of the table area, there are buttons for 'Bulk Actions' (with dropdown options) and 'Apply'. Below the table is a black button labeled 'Add New Chop Slider'.

As you can see it is a table with short information about created Chop Sliders. Table has the following columns:

- **Bulk Actions.** Here you can choose multiple Sliders that you can simply copy (duplicate) or remove.
- **Title.** Title of the created Chop Slider. It is useful if you will integrate Chop Slider with Chop Slider 3 widget (or with additional HTML editor button to integrate slider with Shortcode) where you need to select the title of Chop Slider you want to use in widget.
- **Integration.** If you want to integrate the slider with a shortcode you need to copy (or remember) required shortcode and insert it in the text editor's window. Actually it is a name of PHP function that you need to insert in the template's file (for example in the header.php file), where you want to insert required Chop Slider.
- **Images.** Small thumbs of the images (slides) used in current slider.
- **Version.** Version of the created/updated Chop Slider. It is used to refresh caching of the scripts.
- **Created/Updated.** Here is the last modified date.
- **Edit.** Click this button to get the page where you can edit created slider.
- **Remove.** If you want to remove some of created sliders you need to click on this button.

2.2. Add New/Edit Page

If you click on the "Create New" Chop Slider's submenu you will get to the page which is intended for the Slider creation. On this page you can see a large form with a lot of parameters and options:

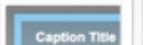
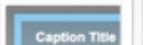
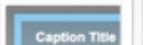
Create New Chop Slider[Return to Chop Slider 3 dashboard](#)**Upload Slides/Images****Add Slide**

* Use Drag & Drop for re-ordering

Slider Preview

Upload at least one image

Slider Settings

Title Visual Appearance Effects Autoplay Navigation / Pagination Captions Ambient Light Touch Callbacks	<h3>Visual Appearance / Skins</h3> <p>Dimension: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Detect automatically <input type="text" value="900"/> x <input type="text" value="300"/> px</p> <p>Responsive: <input type="button" value="Not responsive"/></p> <p>Set to "Responsive" if you are going to use slider in responsive layout. Will not make effect in preview area</p> <p>Preloader: <input type="button" value="Enabled"/></p> <p>Visual skin:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">  Default Skin </td> <td style="width: 20%;">  Caption Title Caption Text Black Frame For 2D, Flat and Canvas effects </td> <td style="width: 20%;">  Caption Title Caption Text White Frame For 2D, Flat and Canvas effects </td> <td style="width: 20%;">  Woodback Looks good with Canvas effects and "flat" 3D effects </td> <td style="width: 20%;">  Device Good for use with Ambient Light </td> <td style="width: 20%;">  3D Skin Good for use with volume 3D effects </td> </tr> </table>	 Default Skin	 Caption Title Caption Text Black Frame For 2D, Flat and Canvas effects	 Caption Title Caption Text White Frame For 2D, Flat and Canvas effects	 Woodback Looks good with Canvas effects and "flat" 3D effects	 Device Good for use with Ambient Light	 3D Skin Good for use with volume 3D effects
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You can find more information about this page and how to create new Chop Slider in the next chapter.

3. Creating New Chop Slider

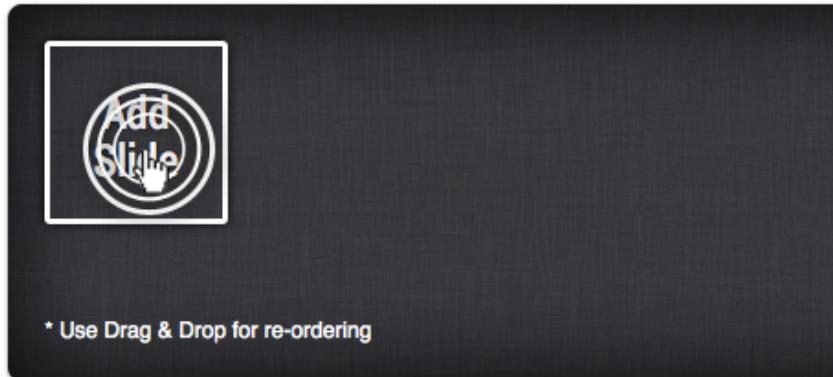
So to create new Chop Slider you need to click on the "Create New" Chop Slider's submenu link.

3.1. Upload and Configure Slides/Images

3.1.1 Self-hosted Slides

First of all you need to upload slides. Just click big "Add Slide" button:

Upload Slides/Images



After that you will see Media Library window, where you can upload new pictures or to choose one from already uploaded. To choose the image from the Library first of all you need to click on the "Show" link near with desired picture:

The screenshot shows the WordPress Media Library. At the top, there are filters for 'All Types' (selected), 'Images' (15), and a search bar. Below are buttons for 'Show all dates' and 'Filter ». On the right, there are navigation buttons for page 1, 2, and more. A list of images is shown, with the first image, 'widget-2', selected. The 'Show' link next to it is highlighted with a red circle and a mouse cursor icon.

Then you need to click on the "Insert to post" button:

All Types | **Images** (15)

[Search Media](#)

Show all dates ▾ [Filter »](#)

1 2 »

widget-2

[Hide](#)



File name: widget-2.jpg

File type: image/jpeg

Upload date: September 18, 2011

Dimensions: 200 x 300

[Edit Image](#)

Title *

Alternate Text

Alt text for the image, e.g. "The Mona Lisa"

Caption

Description

Link URL

None File URL Post URL

Enter a link URL or click above for presets.

Alignment None Left Center Right

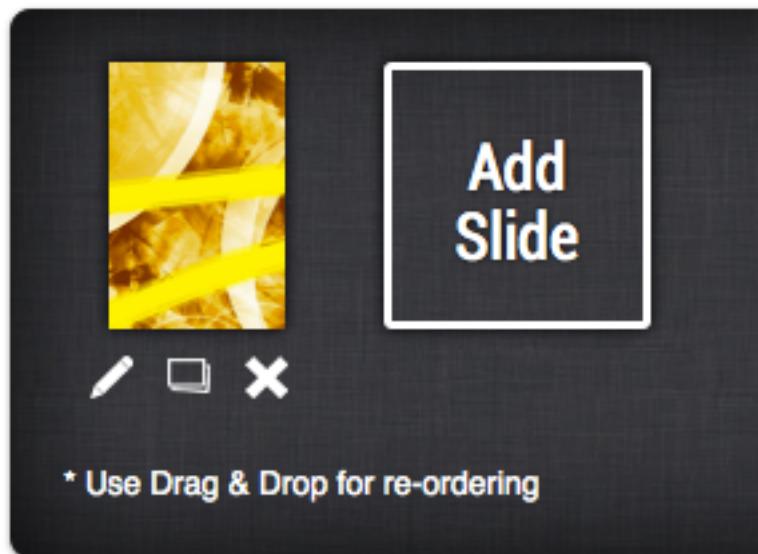
Size Thumbnail (150 x 150) Medium Large Full Size (200 x 300)

2

[Insert into Post](#) [Delete](#)

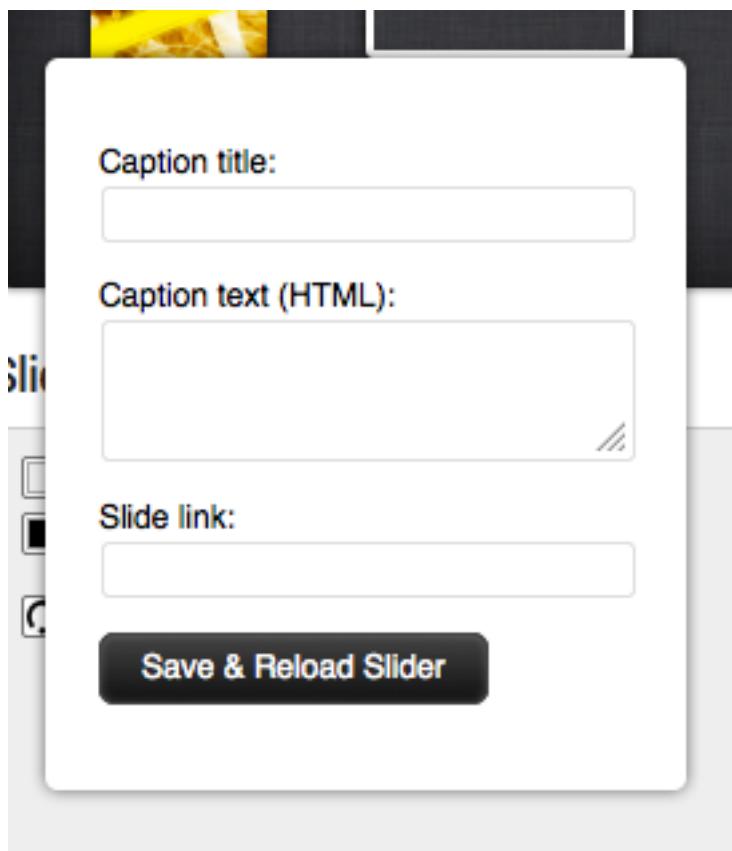
After that you will see slide's thumb in slides area:

Upload Slides/Images



Under the thumb you will see three small icons, from left to right: "Edit Slide", "Change Image", "Remove Slide".

Let's click on "Edit" icon to edit slide's captions and link and we will see the following popup window:



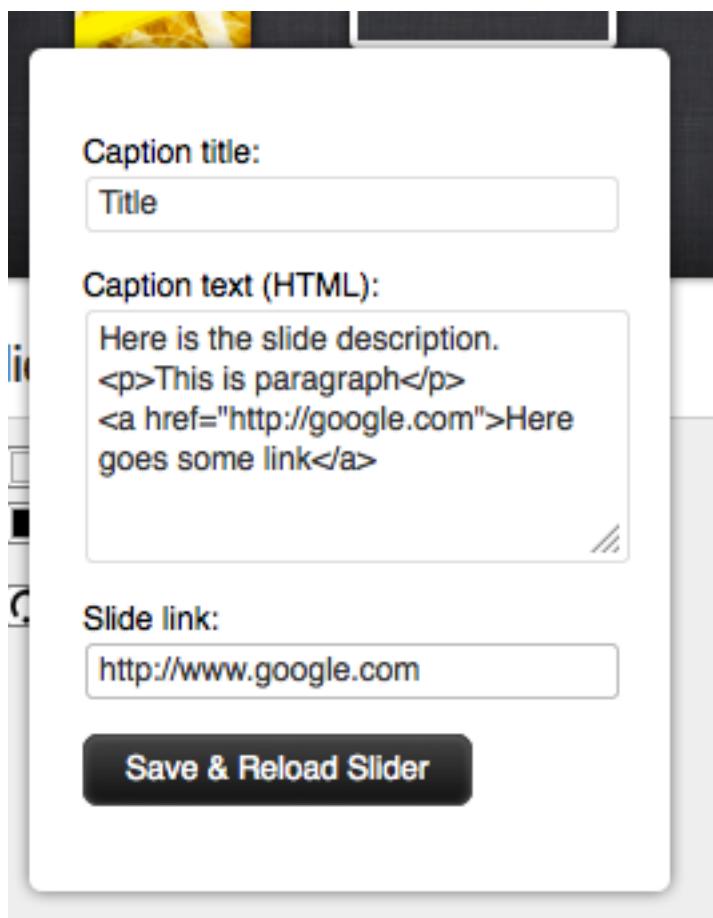
We can see the following fields:

- **Caption title.** This is a slide's title

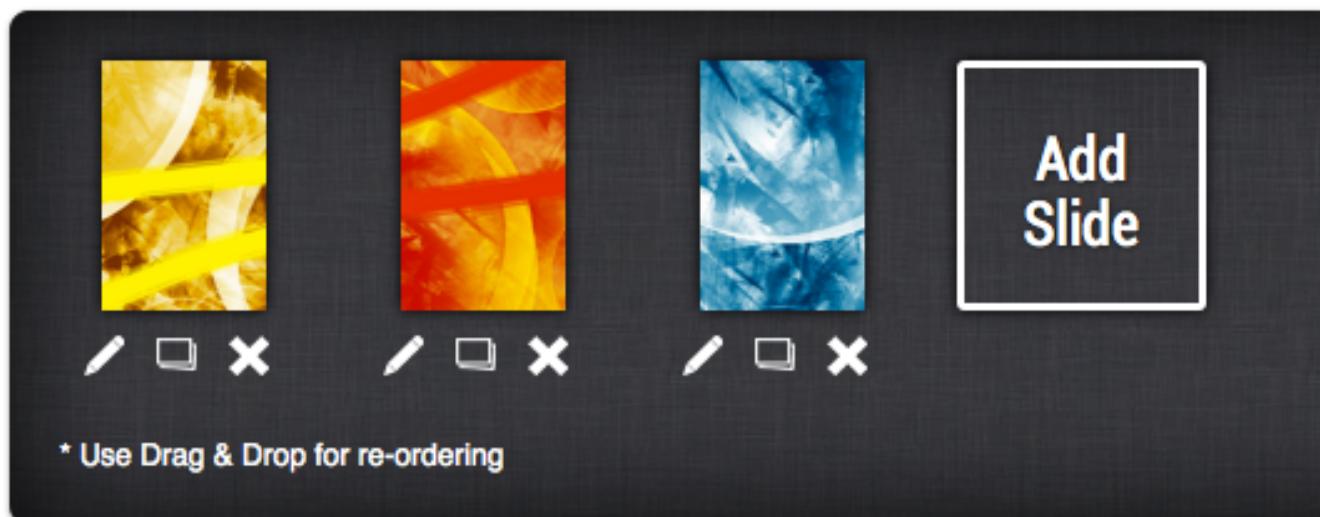
- **Caption text (HTML)**. Slide's description
- **Slide link**. If you want to use slide as hyperlink, then you need to specify here link's URL

Note, that **Caption title**, **Caption text** and **Slide link** fields are optional and not required.

Also note, that you can use any HTML inside **Caption text** area, for example:



Now you can add additional slides:



If you need to re-order slides, then just drag required slide to the required place:



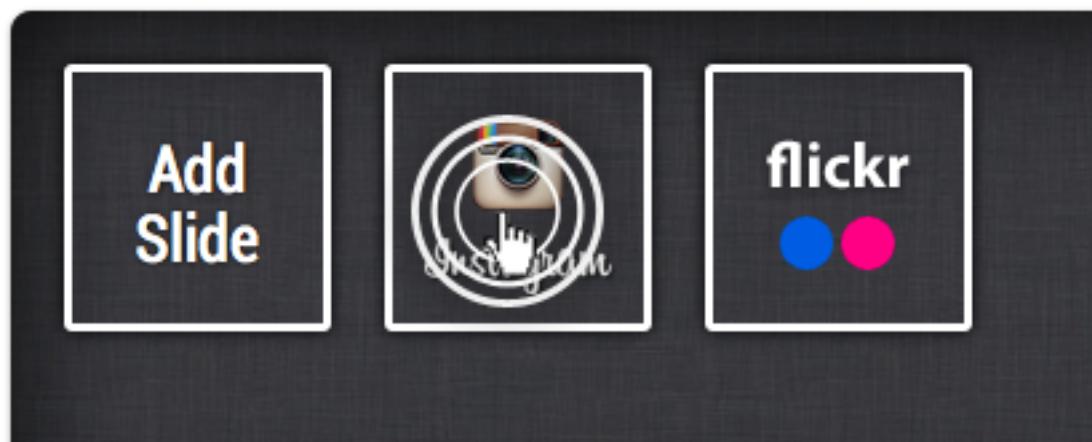
That is all about slides, now let's look at slider configuration and customization.

Important notes.

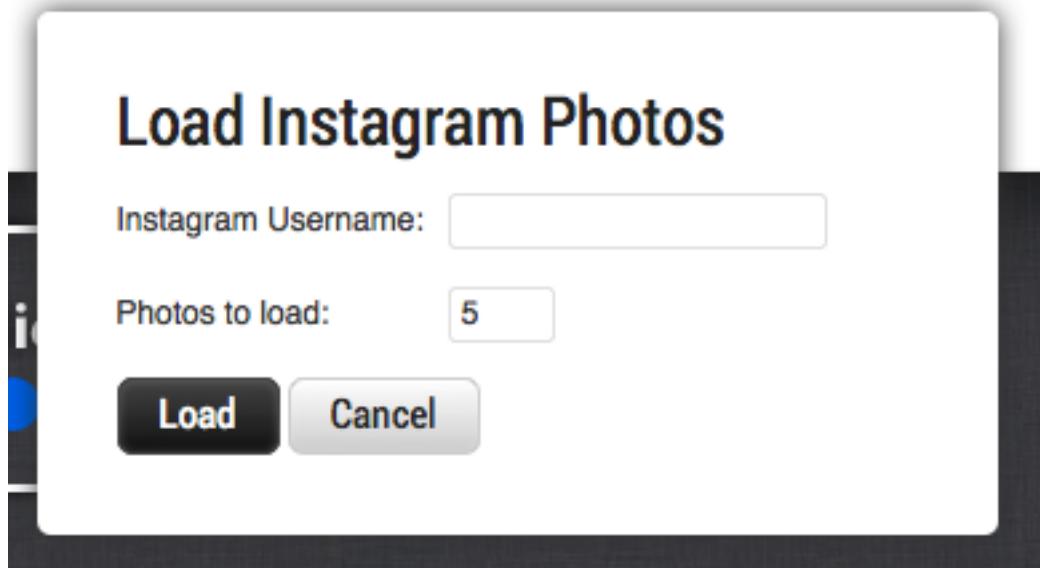
- You need to upload at least 2 images. Slider will not work with only one slide!
- Upload images for each slide of the same size!

3.1.2 Instagram Slides

To load slide photos from your Instagram profile just click the Instagram logo icon:



After that you will see small popup where you need to enter your Instagram username and point number of latest photos you want to load:



Type your Instagram username and click the "Load" button. That is all, now you will see new slides:

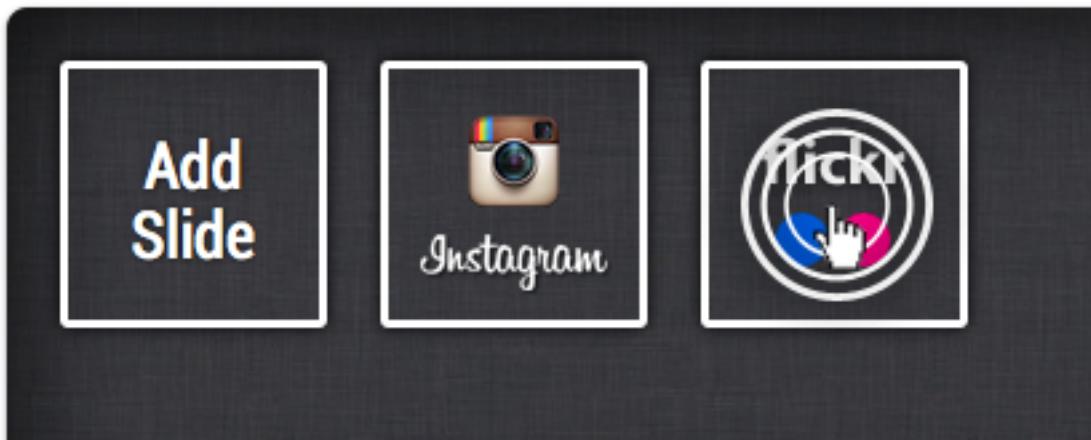


Slides captions will be also added automatically.

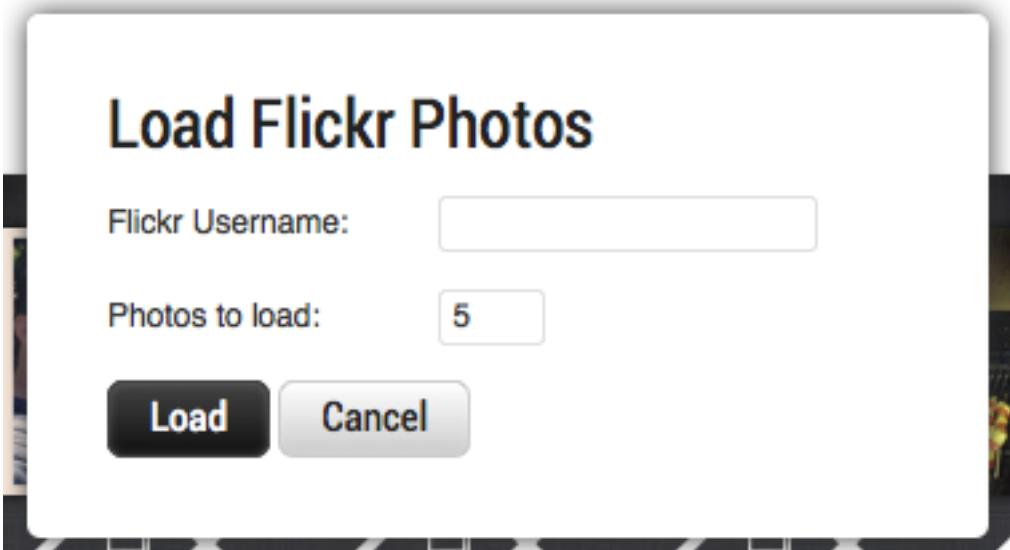
- Make sure that if you add Instagram photos, all slider's images should be the same size!
- Due to the browser's security policy Ambient Light don't work with external hosted images, including Instagram slides

3.1.3 Flickr Slides

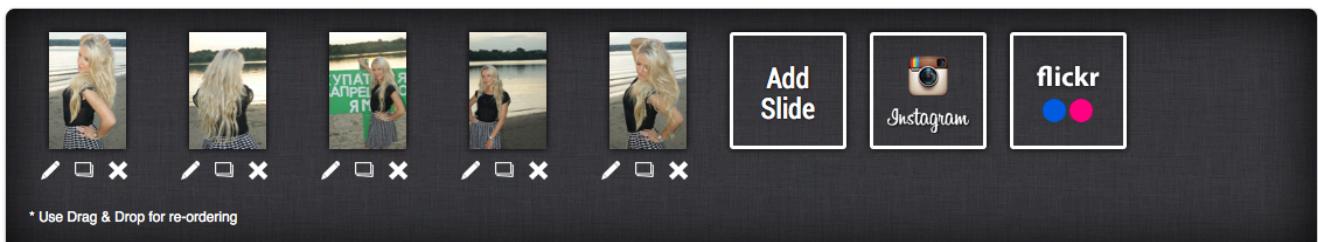
To load slide photos from your Flickr profile just click the Flickr logo icon:



After that you will see small popup where you need to enter your Flickr User ID and point number of recent photos you want to load:



Type your Flickr User ID and click the "Load" button. That is all, now you will see new slides from your Flickr stream:

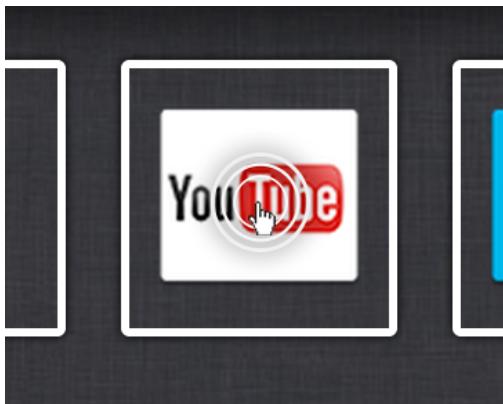


Slides captions and titles will be also added automatically.

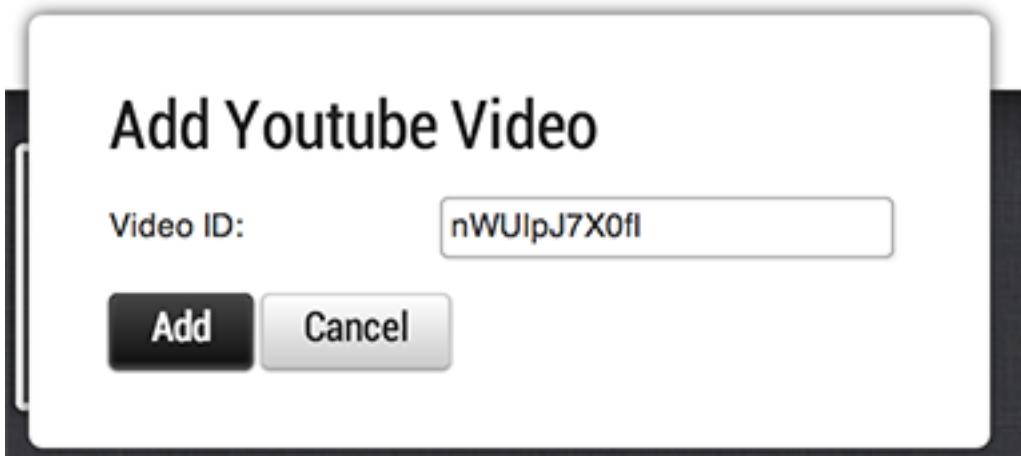
- Make sure that if you add Flickr photos, all slider's images should be the same size!
- If you don't know your Flickr User ID you can find it at <http://idgettr.com/>
- Due to the browser's security policy Ambient Light don't work with external hosted images, including Flickr slides

3.1.4 Youtube Video Slides

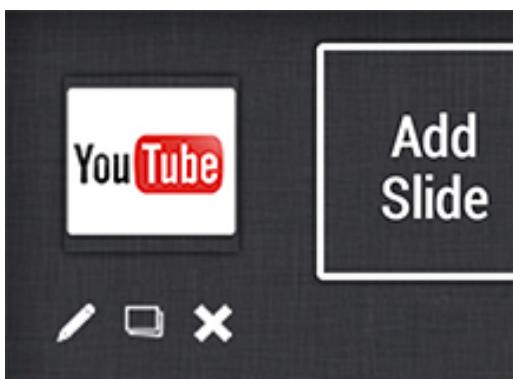
To add slide with Youtube video click on the Youtube icon:



After that you will see small popup where you need to enter Youtube video ID:

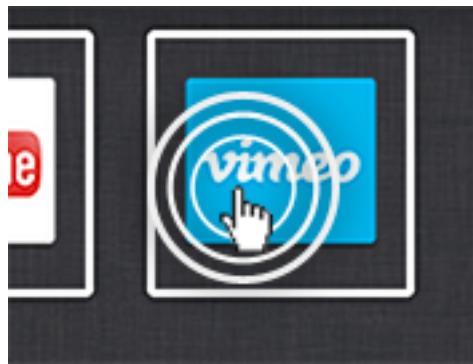


Type Youtube video ID and press «Add» button. After that video slide will appear in slides area:



3.1.5 Vimeo Video Slides

To add Vimeo video slides you need to do the same actions like with youtube video slide but for Vimeo video:



3.2. Title

Now we need to specify Slider's title:

Slider Settings

Title	Slider Title
Visual Appearance	
Effects	

Title: My Chop Slider

As mentioned above you will need the Title if you want to integrate the slider with Chop Slider 3 Widget or with Shortcode

3.3. Visual Appearance

Here is how this tab is looks like:

The screenshot shows the 'Visual Appearance / Skins' section of the plugin's settings. On the left is a sidebar with tabs: Title, Visual Appearance (which is selected), Effects, Autoplay, Navigation / Pagination, Captions, Ambient Light, Touch, and Callbacks. The main area has several configuration options:

- Dimension:** A checkbox labeled "Detect automatically" is checked. Below it are input fields for width ("200") and height ("300") followed by "px".
- Responsive:** A dropdown menu is set to "Not responsive". A note below says: "Set to 'Responsive' if you are going to use slider in responsive layout. Will not make effect in preview area."
- Preloader:** A dropdown menu is set to "Enabled".
- Visual skin:** A heading with a list of ten visual skins shown as thumbnails. The first one, "Default Skin", is highlighted with a green background.

Dimension

Size of slider. It is not recommended to change it and keep "Detect automatically" checkbox checked. In this case script will determine slider's size depending on size of slide's image.

Responsive

If you want to use slider in responsive layouts, then set it to "Responsive". Don't enable it if you don't use slider in responsive layouts!

Preloader

If enabled, than slider will be shown only after all its images will be loaded. During loading time visitors will see special animated loader image. It is recommended to keep this option enabled!

Visual Skins

Here you will see 10 well crafted responsive visual skins for any occasions.

Note that

- some of skins have no some navigation elements, like "Blackframe"
- some of skins have fixed visual styles for captions, like "Pink" and "Magazine"
- some of skins have recommended minimal width, like 3D skin

3.4. Effects

Chop Slider 3 comes with a lot of unique and beautiful effects. All effects are divided by groups:

Flat Effects

Simple effects which are made for compatibility with older browsers. These effects work in all browsers (desktop and mobile), even in Internet Explorer 6.

2D Effects

2D effects work in browsers with support of CSS3 transforms and transitions. Supported by all major browsers like Opera, Firefox, Chrome, Safari, IE10+, Mobile Safari (iOS), Android browsers.

3D Effects

The most eye-catching effects. Supported by Chrome, Safari, Firefox 11+, IE10+, Mobile Safari (iOS), latest Android browsers.

Canvas Effects

Brand new and amazingly impressive effects. They work in browsers with support of Canvas like Opera, Firefox, Chrome, Safari, IE9, Mobile Safari (iOS), Android browsers.

Now we need to select desired effects from this big list:

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That is all, now Chop Slider's core will run transition with randomly picked effect from selected effects.

As you can see it was ultra simple.

But what with browser support? Chop Slider 3 will take care about it. If some of effects are not supported by the browser, it will detect it and just will not use them.

If **non of specified effects are supported** (for example you have specified only 3d effects and visitor's browser do not support 3d effects) then Chop Slider 3 will show randomly picked "Flat" effect which works in all browsers.

Lock effects on browser support

Below the list of effects you will see the following options:

Effects Support-Lock

You can lock effects groups depending on browser support.

Lock effects for browsers with **3D support**: 3D Canvas
 2D Flat

Lock effects for browsers with **2D support and without 3D support**: Canvas
 2D Flat

Lock effects for browsers with **Canvas support and without CSS3 (2D and 3D) support**: Flat Canvas

Chop Slider 3 allows to lock effects depending on browser support. How does it works?

For example, what if i want the following:

- i do not want to show 2d, flat and canvas effects to visitors with browser with 3d support. Let them see only beautiful 3d effects
- i do not want to show simple flat effects for visitors with support of CSS3 transforms but without support of 3D. Let them see only 2D and Canvas effects
- and i don't want to show Flat effects for browsers with support of canvas and without support of CSS3 transitions (like Internet Explorer 9)

In this case the options above should be configured like here:

Effects Support-Lock

You can lock effects groups depending on browser support.

Lock effects for browsers with **3D support**: 3D Canvas
 2D Flat

Lock effects for browsers with **2D support and without 3D support**: Canvas
 2D Flat

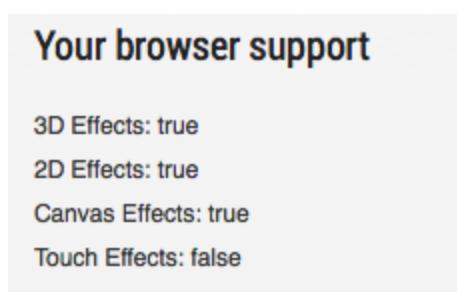
Lock effects for browsers with **Canvas support and without CSS3 (2D and 3D) support**: Flat Canvas

All these options mean:

- **Lock effects for browsers with 3D support.** You can specify here effects groups that will be shown in browsers with support of 3D effects. Example of such kind of browsers: FireFox 11+, Chrome, Safari, iOS, latest Android browsers
- **Lock effects for browsers with 2D support.** You can specify here effects groups that will be shown in browsers with support of 2D effects and without support of 3D. Example of browsers: Opera, Android 2-3 browsers
- **Lock effects for browsers with Canvas support.** You can specify here effects groups that will be shown in browsers with support of Canvas effects and without support of 3D and 2D effects. Example of browsers: Internet Explorer 9.

Your browser support

This is a simple test to show you which effects groups support your browser:



3.5. Navigation / Pagination

Slider Settings

Title	Slider Controls - Navigation / Pagination	
Visual Appearance	Navigation arrows: <input type="button" value="Enabled ▾"/>	
Effects	Pagination: <input type="button" value="Enabled ▾"/>	
Autoplay	Hide controls on transition start: <input type="button" value="Do not hide ▾"/>	
Navigation / Pagination	Show controls only on hover: <input type="button" value="Disabled ▾"/>	
Captions		
Ambient Light		
Touch		



Navigation arrows

Enable / disable navigation arrows

Pagination

Enable / disable navigation pagination switches

Hide controls on transition start

If want to hide navigation arrows and pagination on transition start, set this option to "Hide"

Show controls only on hover

If you want the navigation arrows and pagination was hidden by default and show only on mouse hover set this option to "Enable"

3.6. Captions

Chop Slider 3 comes with brand new Captions which are ready to use with any HTML content inside. And now they work and look much more interesting and similar to mOOver's "Fader" effect.

Captions

Captions: Enabled

Duration of caption animation: 300 ms

Type: Horizontal

Direction of captions' animation - vertical or horizontal

Multi Captions: Enabled

Delay between multi captions: 100 ms

Caption visual type:

Use "Single-area" type only with disabled Multi captions

Divided title and description
 Single-area for title and description

Caption style:

White text on black
 Black text on white

Caption position:

Left-top for divided visual type (or left-side for single visual type)
 Left-bottom for divided visual type (or right-side for single visual type)

Captions

Enable / disable captions

Duration of caption animation

You can set here value of animation duration in ms

Type

Direction of Captions animation - "vertical" or "horizontal"

Multi Captions

If enabled than Caption title and description will be animated separately

Delay between multi captions

Delay between animation of caption title and text in ms for Multi captions

Caption visual type

Divided - caption title and text are divided from each other.

Single-area - caption title and text are the part of one left (or right) side slider's area. Use this type only with disabled Multi captions.

Caption style

Everything is simple - black or white

Caption position

Position of caption

Important note! If you want to change default fonts for caption title and text use the following rules in your CSS file:

```
.cs3-caption-title {  
    font-family: MyFontFamily...  
}  
.cs3-caption-text {  
    font-family: MyFontFamily...  
}
```

3.7. Ambient Light

Ambient Light is the one of the biggest advantages of Chop Slider 3 and very exclusive features. It is very easy to use it.

The screenshot shows a configuration interface for 'Chop Slider Ambient Light'. On the left is a vertical sidebar with tabs: Title, Visual Appearance, Effects, Autoplay, Navigation / Pagination, Captions, **Ambient Light**, Touch, and Callbacks. The 'Ambient Light' tab is currently selected. The main panel has a title 'Chop Slider Ambient Light'. It contains several settings with sliders and input fields:

- Ambient Light:** A dropdown menu set to 'Disabled'.
- Ambient Light size:** A slider set to 50 px, with a note: 'Size of ambient light in px. Recommended value is from 40 to 100 pixels'.
- Color Index:** A slider set to 1.5, with a note: 'The larger this number the brighter the Ambient Light.'
- Fade Index:** A slider set to 1.3, with a note: 'The larger this number the stronger the Ambient Light fade.'

- **Ambient Light.** Enable / disable Ambient Light
- **Ambient Light Size.** Size of ambient light in px. **Recommended value is from 40 to 150 pixels**
- **Color Index.** The larger this number the brighter the Ambient Light.
- **Fade Index.** The larger this number the stronger the Ambient Light fade. 1.3

Here is example of slider with AL equal to 50:



And here is with AL equal to 150:



3.8. Touch

Chop Slider Touch is one of the main features of Chop Slider 3.

We've combined our best mobile/touch experience and mix all the best from Swiper (for simple "Slide" effect) and S6 Slider (for "Cube" effect) with three more exclusive Flips and Multi-Slide effects in one small plugin - Chop Slider Touch which is already integrated in main core script.

Chop Slider Touch (if enabled) will automatically intercept desktop effects and enable touch mode with special touch effects if browser support touch. These effects work on all modern mobile/touch devices including iOS (all effects), Android 2.1+ (slide effects) and Android 3+ (all effects).

This section allows you configure Touch plugin - enable or disable it and to choose touch effect:

Slider Settings

Title	Chop Slider Touch	
Visual Appearance	Chop Slider Touch: Set to "Enabled" if you want to enable special effects for touch devices	
Effects	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled ▾	
Autoplay	Touch Effect: Special effect only for touch devices	
Navigation / Pagination	<input type="checkbox"/> Slide ▾	
Captions		
Ambient Light		
Touch		

Chop Slider Touch

Enable / disable Chop Slider Touch plugin

Touch effect

One of 5 available touch effect:

- "Cube". 3D effect, works in mobile browsers with support of 3D
- "Flip". Single Flip. 3D effect, works in mobile browsers with support of 3D
- "Multi Flip". Multi Flip. 3D effect, works in mobile browsers with support of 3D
- "Slide". Single Slide. 2D effect, works almost in all mobile browsers
- "Multi Slide". Multi Slide. 2D effect, works almost in all mobile browser

At the moment you can specify only one touch effect.

If you will specify 3D effect and mobile browser of visitor will not support 3D, than CS Touch will automatically switch selected 3D effect to 2D effect. Here is how degradation work

- "Cube" degrades to "Slide"
- "Flip" degrades to "Slide"
- "Multi Flip" degrades to "Multi Slide"

Also note that if CS Touch is enabled, than effects specified in Effects section will be ignored for mobile browsers.

3.9. Callbacks

Chop Slider 3 Wordpress Plugin provides you with 3 callback functions. They are very useful if you want to use custom navigation, pagination or some interaction with environment.

Title	Callbacks
Visual Appearance	<p>On slider init: This JS code will be executed right after slider will be loaded.</p>
Effects	
Autoplay	<p>On transition start callback JS code: This JS code will be executed in the beginning of transition.</p>
Navigation / Pagination	
Captions	<p>On transition end callback JS code: This JS code will be executed right after transition.</p>
Ambient Light	
Touch	
Callbacks	

If you need to use callback functions, just add JS code in the appropriate fields, for example:

Title			
Visual Appearance			
Effects			
Autoplay			
Navigation / Pagination			
Captions			
Ambient Light			
Touch			
Callbacks	<p>Callbacks</p> <p>On slider init: This JS code will be executed right after slider will be loaded.</p> <pre>alert('slider is ready')</pre> <hr/> <p>On transition start callback JS code: This JS code will be executed in the beginning of transition.</p> <pre>alert('transition start')</pre> <hr/> <p>On transition end callback JS code: This JS code will be executed right after transition.</p> <pre>alert('transition end')</pre>		

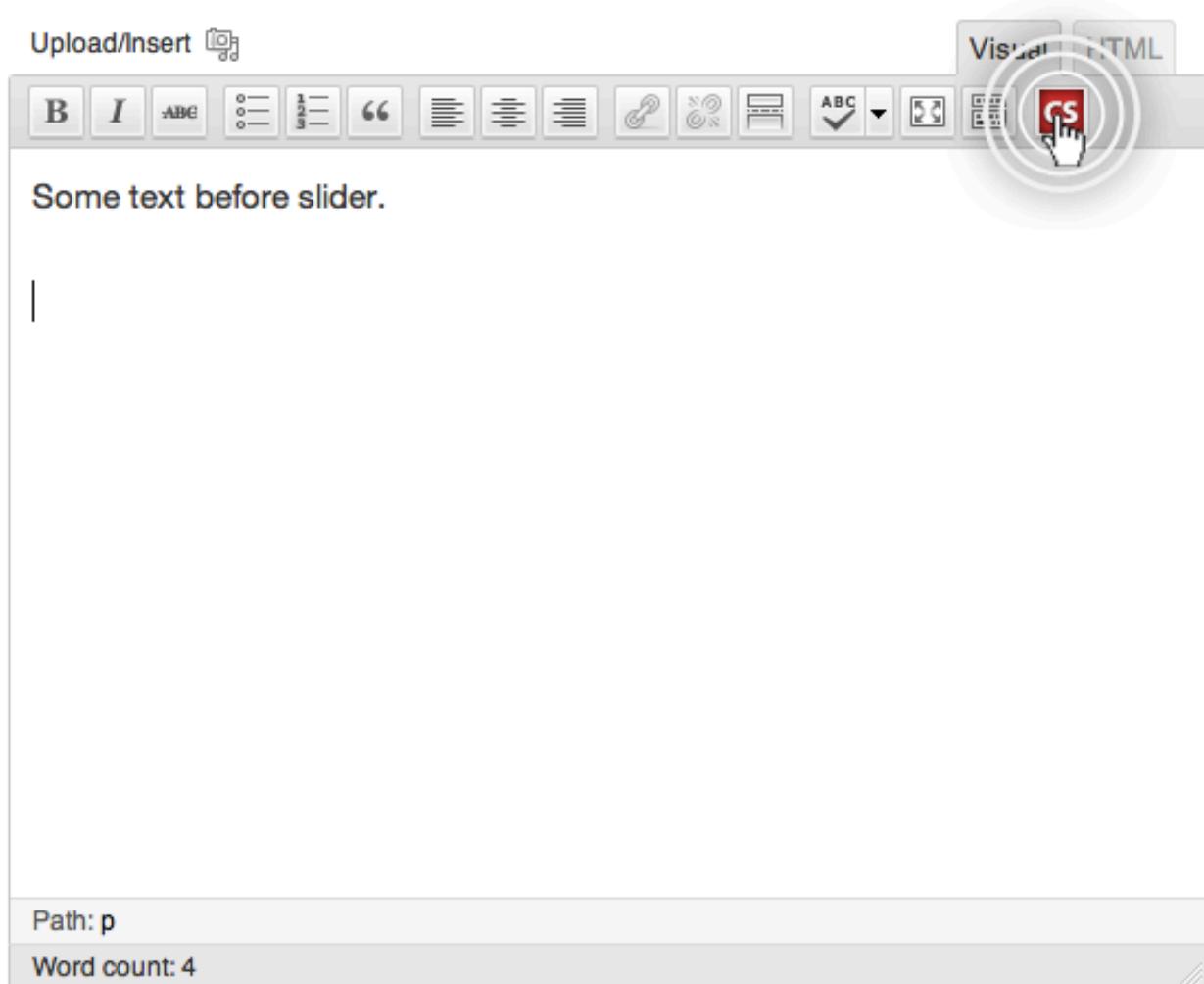
4. Integration

Integration of the Chop Slider 3 is very simple and available in three ways:

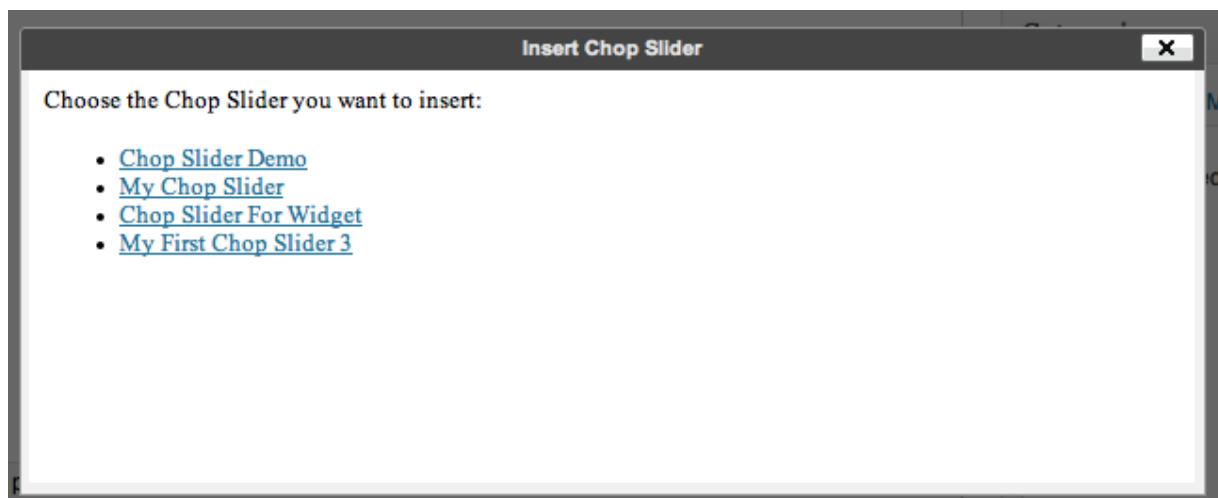
4.1 Integration with Shortcodes

<input type="checkbox"/> Title	Integration	Images	Version	Created / Updated	Edit	Remove
<input type="checkbox"/> Chop Slider Demo	Shortcode: [chopslider id="11"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(11) ?>		2	2012-08-16 18:46:39		
<input type="checkbox"/> My Chop Slider	Shortcode: [chopslider id="10"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(10) ?>		1	2012-08-15 21:05:14		
<input type="checkbox"/> Chop Slider For Widget	Shortcode: [chopslider id="9"] Template tag: <?php chop_slider(9) ?>		1	2012-08-15 20:33:46		

Ok, we have few Chop Sliders and i want to insert the Slider named "Chop Slider Demo" right into the post. First of all, go to the "Edit Post" page of the post where you want to insert "Chop Slider Demo" Slider. On this page you will see text editor and new editor's button - "CS" (only in HTML mode):



Click this button and you will see popup window with a list of created Sliders:



Just click on title of the Slider you want to insert and its shortcode will be automatically inserted to the post text:



That is all, click on the Update button to save the Post with Slider!

As you can see it is pretty simple.

If you want to integrate created Slider to into the page, you need to do the same.

4.2 Integration with "Chop Slider 3" Widget

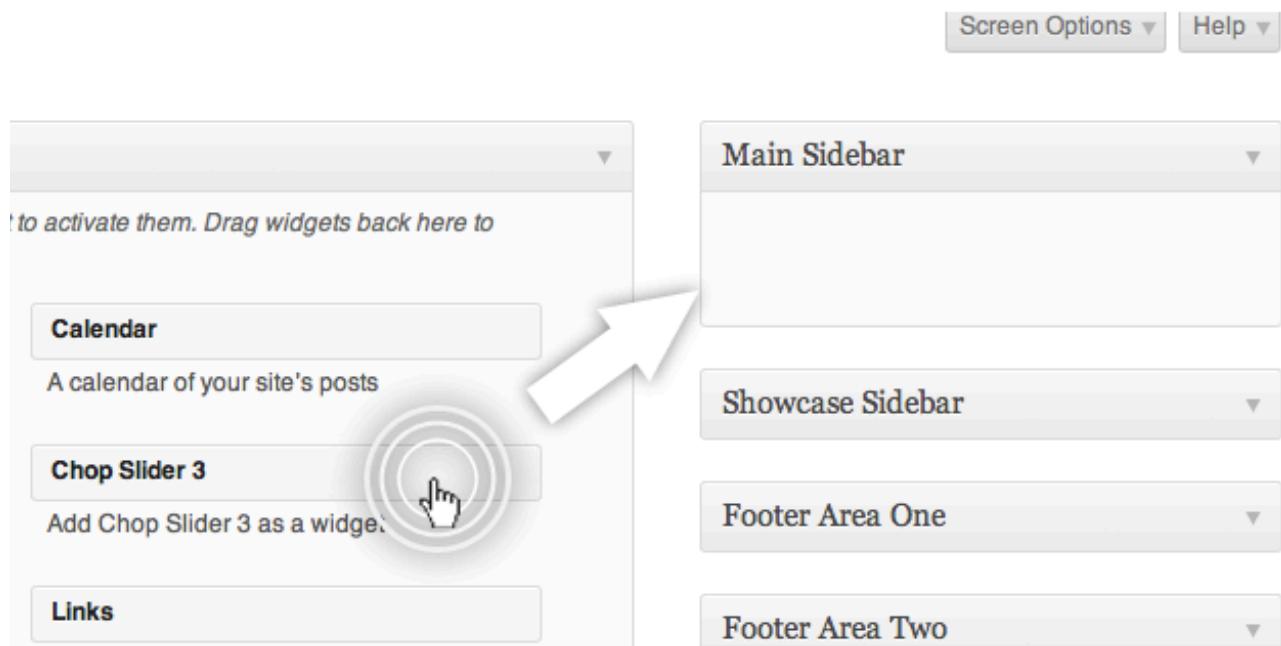
Chop Slider 3 comes with its own Widget.

Now i've just created Slider called "Chop Slider For Widget" - the small Slider that i want to insert into sidebar.

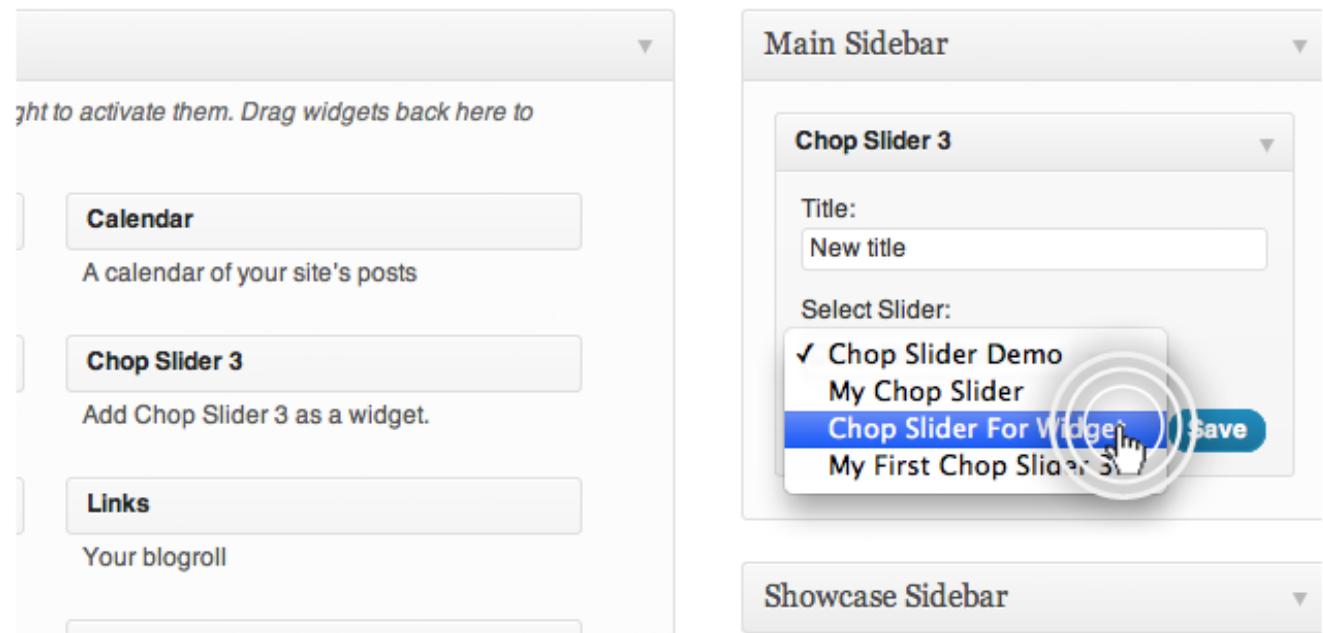
First of all you need to go to the Appearance -> Widgets page:

Available Widgets	Main Sidebar
Archives	
Categories	
Custom Menu	
Pages	
Calendar	
Chop Slider 3	
Links	
Meta	
Recent Comments	

Now you need to drag the Chop Slider 3 widget to the Main Sidebar (in different themes this position could have different name) position:



And choose Title of the Slider you want to insert:



Click on the "Save" button and that is done!

4.3 Integration with Template Tag

Template Tag - is the simple PHP function that you can insert right into the Theme's PHP files to call the required Slider.

For example you need to integrate created Slider instead of default "Twenty Eleven" Theme's showcase on the top of the page. You need the wp-content/themes/twentyeleven/header.php file.

Find the following code and remove it:

```

<hgroup>
    <h1 id="site-title"><span><a href="<?php echo esc_url( home_url( '/' ) ); ?>" title="<?php echo esc_attr( get_bloginfo( 'name', 'display' ) ); ?>" rel="home"><?php bloginfo( 'name' ); ?></a></span></h1>
        <h2 id="site-description"><?php bloginfo( 'description' ); ?></h2>
</hgroup>
The following code need to be removed:
<?php
    // Check to see if the header image has been removed
    $header_image = get_header_image();
    if ( ! empty( $header_image ) ) :
?
<a href="<?php echo esc_url( home_url( '/' ) ); ?>">
    <?php
        // The header image
        // Check if this is a post or page, if it has a thumbnail, and if it's
a big one
        if ( is_singular() &&
            has_post_thumbnail( $post->ID ) &&

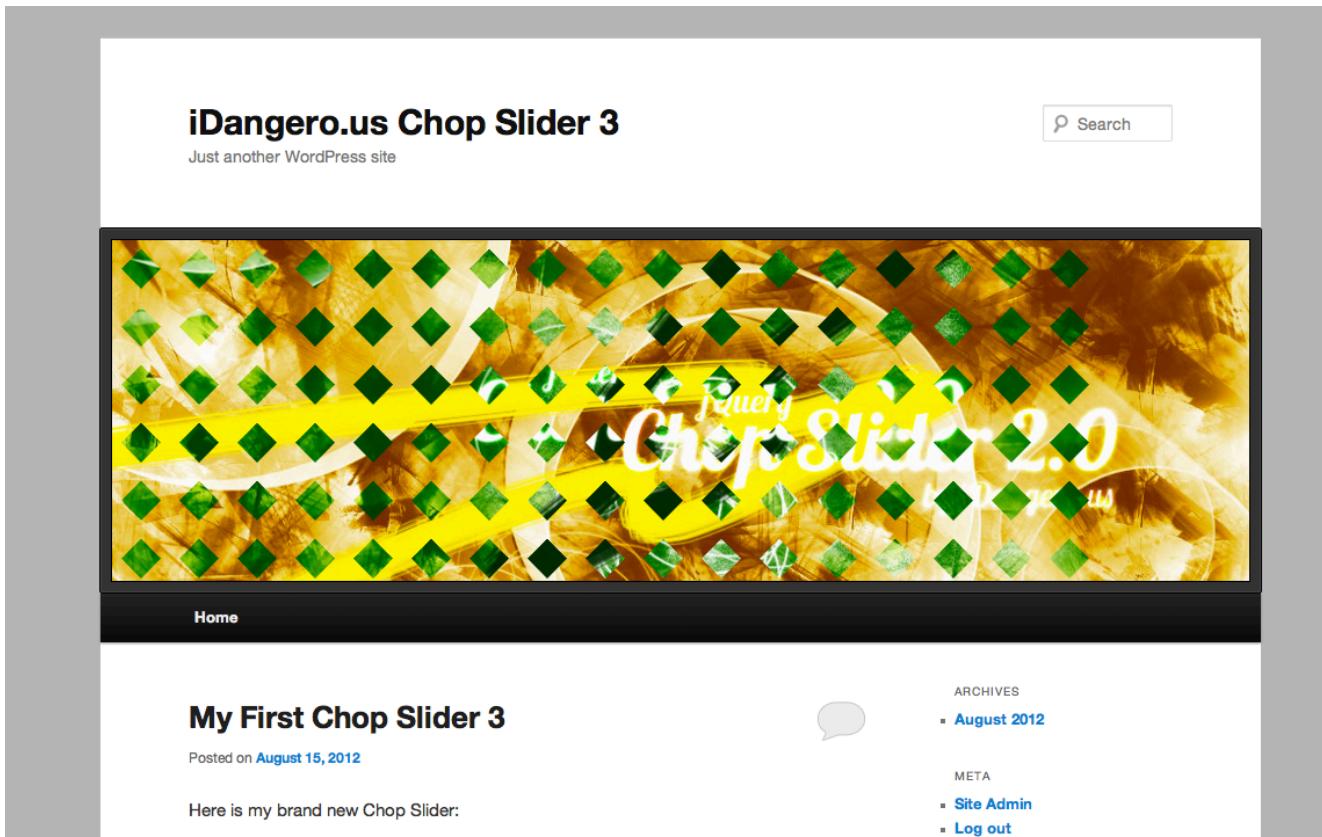
                ( /* $src, $width, $height */ $image =
wp_get_attachment_image_src( get_post_thumbnail_id( $post->ID ), array( HEADER_IMAGE_WIDTH, HEADER_IMAGE_WIDTH ) ) ) &&
                $image[1] >= HEADER_IMAGE_WIDTH ) :
            // Houston, we have a new header image!
            echo get_the_post_thumbnail( $post->ID, 'post-thumbnail' );
        else : ?>
            " height="<?php echo HEADER_IMAGE_HEIGHT; ?>" alt="" />
            <?php endif; // end check for featured image or standard header ?>
</a>
<?php endif; // end check for removed header image ?>
End of code we need to remove
....
```

For example Template Tag for the required Slider is <?php chop_slider(20) ?>. We need to insert it instead of remove code:

```

<hgroup>
    <h1 id="site-title"><span><a href="<?php echo esc_url( home_url( '/' ) ); ?>" title="<?php echo esc_attr( get_bloginfo( 'name', 'display' ) ); ?>" rel="home"><?php bloginfo( 'name' ); ?></a></span></h1>
        <h2 id="site-description"><?php bloginfo( 'description' ); ?></h2>
</hgroup>
<?php chop_slider(20) ?>
....
```

That is all! Now the default theme will be powered with amazing Chop Slider 3:



But for the best integration we need to use a little bit extended code. Before we insert Slider's Template Tag we need to check if the **chop_slider()** function exists. If we will not check this and, for example, you will remove (or deactivate) the Chop Slider 3 plugin, Theme's could be broken with PHP errors. So the full code will be:

```
<hgroup>
    <h1 id="site-title"><span><a href=<?php echo esc_url( home_url( '/' ) ); ?>" title=<?php echo esc_attr( get_bloginfo( 'name', 'display' ) ); ?>" rel="home"><?php bloginfo( 'name' ); ?></a></span></h1>
    <h2 id="site-description"><?php bloginfo( 'description' ); ?></h2>
</hgroup>
<?php
if( function_exists( "chop_slider" ) )
    chop_slider(20);
?>
```

5. Uninstallation

To uninstall the Chop Slider 3 WP Plugin, you need to go to the Plugins page, then deactivate Chop Slider 3 plugin, click on the uninstall link and follow the onscreen instructions.

6. Important Notes

Couple of important notes you need to follow for the proper work of the Chop Slider 3 WP Plugin:

- 1) You can use as many Sliders on one page as you may need. But if you'll try to insert the same Slider few times on one page, only the last inserted Slider will work properly!

7. Troubleshooting

1. After you install and activate the plugin, Chop Slider 3 menu doesn't appear.

- Just refresh the page

2. After you upload/delete/change slides, slider looks messy in preview area.

- Hit the refresh button  on slider preview area

8. Support Terms

If you have any questions that are beyond the scope of this help file, please feel free to contact us via our support ticket form [here](#).

Also be ready to provide temporary FTP and temporary wp-admin panel accesses if you have some serious troubles and need for our help.