GUI installation

# Install community nodes in the n8n app#

Limited to n8n instance owners

Only the n8n instance owner can install and manage community nodes. The instance owner is the person who sets up and manages user management.

## Install a community node#

To install a community node:

• Go to Settings > Community Nodes.

• Select Install.

• Find the node you want to install:  
Select Browse. n8n takes you to an npm search results page, showing all npm packages tagged with the keyword n8n-community-node-package.  
Browse the list of results. You can filter the results or add more keywords.  
Once you find the package you want, make a note of the package name. If you want to install a specific version, make a note of the version number as well.  
Return to n8n.

• Select Browse. n8n takes you to an npm search results page, showing all npm packages tagged with the keyword n8n-community-node-package.

n8n-community-node-package

• Browse the list of results. You can filter the results or add more keywords.

• Once you find the package you want, make a note of the package name. If you want to install a specific version, make a note of the version number as well.

• Return to n8n.

• Enter the npm package name, and version number if required. For example, consider a community node designed to access a weather API called "Storms." The package name is n8n-node-storms, and it has three major versions.  
To install the latest version of a package called n8n-node-weather: enter n8n-nodes-storms in Enter npm package name.  
To install version 2.3: enter n8n-node-storms@2.3 in Enter npm package name.

• To install the latest version of a package called n8n-node-weather: enter n8n-nodes-storms in Enter npm package name.

n8n-nodes-storms

• To install version 2.3: enter n8n-node-storms@2.3 in Enter npm package name.

n8n-node-storms@2.3

• Agree to the risks of using community nodes: select I understand the risks of installing unverified code from a public source.

• Select Install. n8n installs the node, and returns to the Community Nodes list in Settings.

Nodes on the blocklist

n8n maintains a blocklist of community nodes that it prevents you from installing. Refer to n8n community node blocklist for more information.

## Uninstall a community node#

To uninstall a community node:

• Go to Settings > Community nodes.

• On the node you want to install, select Options .

• Select Uninstall package.

• Select Uninstall Package in the confirmation modal.

## Upgrade a community node#

Breaking changes in versions

Node developers may introduce breaking changes in new versions of their nodes. A breaking change is an update that breaks previous functionality. Depending on the node versioning approach that a node developer chooses, upgrading to a version with a breaking change could cause all workflows using the node to break. Be careful when upgrading your nodes. If you find that an upgrade causes issues, you can downgrade.

### Upgrade to the latest version#

You can upgrade community nodes to the latest version from the node list in Settings > community nodes.

When a new version of a community node is available, n8n displays an Update button on the node. Click the button to upgrade to the latest version.

### Upgrade to a specific version#

To upgrade to a specific version (a version other than the latest), uninstall the node, then reinstall it, making sure to specify the target version. Follow the Installation instructions for more guidance.

## Downgrade a community node#

If there is a problem with a particular version of a community node, you may want to roll back to a previous version.

To do this, uninstall the community node, then reinstall it, targeting a specific node version. Follow the Installation instructions for more guidance.