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Wordpress Video Gallery

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User Manual

Video Gallery! Brings life to Wordpress pages by allowing you to play popular video formats such as MP4, M4V, M4A, MOV, Mp4v, and F4V in different browsers. With some salient features like HTML support to play videos in iPhones & iPads, RTMP streaming, Monetization, Native language support, and Social Bookmarking, the player promises to be ultimately unique.

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Preface

About This Document

This document provides information on how to download, install, configure, and use Video Gallery for Wordpress.

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Wordpress Video Gallery

Video Gallery Plugin:

It is the main functional unit of Wordpress Video Gallery, which typically adds video player to your Wordpress Site with the most advanced configurable options for playing or streaming videos on browsers. This Wordpress Plugin is usually displayed in the main body area of a template (depends upon on the template).

When the "Video Gallery" is installed to your wordpress site/blog, the pages "Videos" and "No title" with an appropriate plugin codes will be created automatically. The page "Videos" will be available in front end. On this page in front end, the video player will be displayed. Below this video player, the videos will be ordered as popular, featured and recent. In admin panel, the admin will have full control for this page.

- Display area: Videos page – The Gallery will become the main content of this page.

Video Gallery Widgets:

These are lightweight and flexible units of Wordpress Video Gallery, which helps visitors to search videos, list video categories and order videos as popular, featured, recent and related. These widgets can be added to any sidebar (based on template) by the default drag and drop feature of wordpress in admin panel. Each widget will have it's own settings so that you can configure widgets as per your needs.

- Display area: Not The "periphery" of a page: Sidebar, header, footer, etc.

1. Search Videos
2. Video Categories
3. Popular Videos
4. Featured Videos
5. Recent Videos
6. Related Videos

Downloading Video Gallery?

Video Gallery for Wordpress is available in two different versions namely ***Free Version*** and ***Pro Version***.

Free Version (Branded): This version comes at free of cost. It is suitable for non-commercial needs. In this free player, our demo logo serves the branding purpose.

Pro Version (No Branding): By applying the commercial license to the player, you can remove our demo logo effortlessly. It is suitable for commercial businesses since they require no branding. The commercial license can be purchased for your website by offering a onetime fee for brand removal.

Links to download Video Gallery trail/free version for Wordpress*:* The player can be downloaded by clicking the link "Free Download" below.

- Apptha : http://www.apptha.com/category/extension/Wordpress/Video-Gallery

Links to buy Video Gallery commercial license for Wordpress: The Commercial license can be purchased by clicking the button "Buy Now" in the following page.

- Apptha : http://www.apptha.com/category/extension/Wordpress/Video-Gallery

Installation Steps

Installing Video Gallery is really straightforward. You can install in two ways.
- You can install directly from wordpress.org by searching plugin in admin panel Login to your Wordpress administration area and go to **Plugins > Add New > and type "video gallery" in search box and click search button.**

Click "install now" link.

- Or, download the file(plugin) from apptha.com or wordpress.org,

- Login to your Wordpress administration area and go to **Plugins > Add New > Upload > choose the downloaded file and click install now**.

- You have completed installation successfully. Congratulations!

Video Gallery Plugin

Using Video Gallery Plugin:

      Once you installed plugin, it will automatically create two pages in the name "Videos" and "no title". "Videos" page is the main page for video gallery. The page without title "no title" page is a hidden page to access video more pages like "Popular Videos", "Recent Videos", "Featured Videos", "Category pages", and "Search Page". Please don't delete these two pages.

Now, you can visit the frontend with the menu created for Video Gallery.

| HOME | SAMPLE PAGE | **VIDEOS** |

Videos

Fast And Furious 5 (Official Trailer) HD

Popular Videos
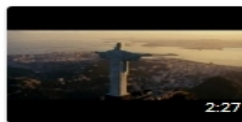
Fast And Furious 5 (Offic
29 Views   Movie Trailer
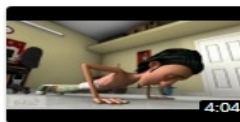
Cecelia - The Balcony Gir
9 Views   Animation

3D Animation Short - Bolt
6 Views   Animation

Feel the Punch - Dilsukh
6 Views   Animation

More videos »

Recent Videos
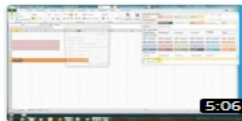
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3 Views   Movie Trailer

BrainShake 2 the Hot New
4 Views   Video Game

Grand Theft Auto 5 Traile
4 Views   Video Game

Quick Recap of Cricket Wo
3 Views   Cricket

More videos »

Featured Videos
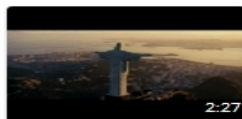
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2 Views   Movie Trailer

Mission Impossible III Tr
2 Views   Movie Trailer

Titanic - Official Traile
2 Views   Movie Trailer

More videos »

Configuring Video Gallery Plugin:

To configure Video Gallery plugin go to Admin > Video Gallery > All Videos.

All Videos – To Manage Videos:

This is the first tab and it is responsible to add videos. The Video Gallery accepts both streaming and normal videos. You can add videos through following methods: Upload, Direct URL, YouTube URL, and RTMP.

We provided few common options while adding videos,

- **Title** - This gives a title for the video added.
- **Description** - This provides an individual description for the video added.
- **Category part** - This option is provided to select the category name added. You can also add your new category in this portion.
- **Tags/Keywords** – These tags will be displayed below the video in front end. It helps user to find the page for relevant words through search engines. It also helps your site visitors to search videos through "Search videos" Widget.
- **Featured Video** – This option provides to enable or disable the featured option for videos.
- **Post – roll ads** - This option is used to add any video ads after the video and you can either enable or disable for any video.
- **Pre – roll ads** - This option is used to add any video ads before the video and you can either enable or disable for any video.
- **Download** - This option provides to either enable /disable the video for download in the player banner.
- **Publish** – This is to publish or unpublish the video.

Adding Videos through Upload Method:

Four fields are visible when Upload is selected.

1. If you would like to let users to switch videos between HD and Non-HD types, then you have to upload videos in both HD and Non-HD formats.

2. If you don't want to give the users a choice, then you can upload any one of the videos, either HD or Non-HD. Leave the second field "Upload HD Video (optional)" as blank.

3. After uploading the videos, you also have to upload thumb image and preview it for the respective video. Below this, there is a video info section where you can add Title, Description, assign category, enable feature, enable download, enable post-roll, pre-roll ads for this video.

4. When you are adding videos through youtube method, we will get duration from youtube. Whereas when you are adding videos through upload method, it is not possible to get duration from the uploaded video. For this purpose, we have FFMPEG option to generate duration for the uploaded video. For this you need to enter your FFMPEG path in Video Gallery Settings in the following path.

    Admin -> Video Gallery -> Settings -> General Settings -> FFMPEG Path.

Adding Videos through URL Method:

Upload the videos and images through FTP to any location on your web server. For instance, you can add videos to videos folder and images to images folder on your web server and provide the absolute path here.

Like this:
Video URL - http://www.yourdomain.com/videos/video.mp4
Thumb URL - http://www.yourdomain.com/images/image.jpg

Below this, there is a video info section where you can add Title, Description, assign category, enable feature, enable download, enable post-roll, pre- roll ads for this video.

Adding videos from YouTube:

To avoid bandwidth consumption from your web server, you can also add videos to the YouTube and can provide YouTube link here. You can get the YouTube URL of the video from the top of the YouTube website.

Below this, there is a video info section where you can add Title, Description, assign category, enable feature, enable download, enable post-roll, pre-roll ads for this video.

Adding videos through RTMP:

With Video Gallery we can stream RTMP videos, the RTMP video URL will be rtmp://streamer path/video file

For instance:
rtmp://edge01.fms.dutchview.nl/botr/bunnyflv

Streamer path = [protocol]/[server name]/[application]
URL= [stream name]

1)[Protocol]: You can use the following protocols: rtmp, rtmpt, rtmpe, rtmpte, rtmps.

2) [Server name]: this is the IP Address, or the domain name of your server. (i.e., localhost).

3)[Application]: use "vod" unless you have changed the name of the folder.

4)[Stream name]: use the name of your video file (including the extension).

rtmp://localhost/vod/mp4:mystream.f4v
rtmpe://localhost/vod/myvideo.flv

When adding RTMP videos we need to provide few options:
- **Streamer Path** - You need to provide the streamer path as "edge01.fms.dutchview.nl/botr."
- **Is Live** - This option is to enable/disable whether the video is live or not.
- **Video URL** - You need to provide the video URL as "bunny.flv."
- **Thumb URL** - You can provide the thumb URL as "car.jpg."
- **Preview URL** - This is just a preview option provided for Thumb image.

Sorting/ordering the videos:

Ordering or sorting the videos on Video Gallery plugin has become simpler now. It can be done easily by drag-and-drop.

		ID	Title	Path	Featured	Date	Publish	Sort Order
☐	⤢	2	Im Legend Trailer 1080p	www.youtube.com/watch?v=kAxppVB3SHo	✅	Nov 15, 2011	✅	0
	☐ ⤢	1	Fast And Furious 5 (Official Trailer) HD	www.youtube.com/watch?v=4PspF_GA-9U ✅ Nov 15, 2011 ✅ 0				
☐	Click and Drag ⤢	3	Mission Impossible III Trailer 1	www.youtube.com/watch?v=1E-9XlJzQdc&feature=related	✅	Nov 15, 2011	✅	0

Settings - To Configure Player:

This is the global settings for Video Gallery. It has ten sections: License Configuration, Logo Configuration, Display Configuration, Playlist Configuration, Facebook Configuration, Ads Configuration, General Configuration, Video Configuration, Skin Configuration, Video Page Configuration.

License Configuration:

- **License –** If you are a purchased client, paste your license key here to remove logo from the player.

Logo Configuration:

- **Logo alpha** - You can set the transparency rate for the logo on the player.
- **Logo align**- You can set your logo position on the player.
- **Logo target**- You can set your logo target. When user clicks on the logo it will redirect to the mentioned URL.
- **Hide YouTube Logo** - You can decide whether you want to show or hide YouTube logo on the player for the YouTube Videos.
- **Logo path** – Here upload your logo to appear on the player. Please note that, it will work only if you entered license key.

Display Configuration:

- **Auto play** - If it is enabled, video will start playing without users clicking the play option, else you need to select play button if option is disabled in backend.

- **Player Width** - You can specify the width of the player in pixels (px).

- **Player Height** - You can specify the width of the player in pixels (px).

- **Stage color** - Set the background color for the player in the format.**(**Ex: 0xdddddd **)**

Playlist Configuration:

- **HD Default** - You can set the HD videos to play by default. Make sure you have declared HD Video path/uploaded HD videos.

- **Playlist** - You can decide whether you want to display related videos within the player or not.

- **Playlist Auto play** – You have two options for playlist auto play (enable/disable). If you enable the Option, it will start playing all the videos from the category. If you want to disable the option you need to select with play button for each videos.

Facebook Configuration:

- **Comment Type** – You can select the type of commenting system you want. We are providing two types : Facebook and Disqus

- **API ID** – If you are using facebook comment, then you need to enter your Facebook API key here.

- **Short Name** - If you are using Disqus comment, then you need to enter your Short name key here. To use Disqus Comments, go to admin -> Plugins -> Add new and enter "disqus comments" in search box and install Disqus plugin. Now you need to create new account and register your site in Disqus site. They will give you short name for your account. Please enter that short name in video gallery settings page and save settings.

Ads Configuration:

- **Pre- roll ads** - You can enable/disable the pre-roll ads.
- **Post - roll ads** - You can enable/disable the post-roll ads.

General Configuration:

- **FFMPEG path** - Declare the FFMPEG path given by your hosting provider if you want to generate duration for upload videos. You can leave it as it is if you are not aware of FFMPEG.
- **Normal screen scale** - You have three choices to set. Aspect ratio which controls the player size proportionally, fit-to-screen which plays the video to the player size that Declared, Original size plays in original video size irrespective of the Player size declared.
- **Full screen scale** - This setting affects only on full screen mode.
- **Embed Code**- It is mainly used for embedding video onto web page. You can decide whether you want to display embed code under the player in front end or not.

Video Configuration:

- **Buffer time** - You can set the buffer time of the player to save portions of a streaming Media file to local storage for a playback.
- **Volume** - You can set the default volume level when the video plays.
- **Download** – You enable/disable download option for your videos.

Skin Configuration:

- **Skin auto hide** - You can enable or disable player controls to be displayed on the player.
- **Skin** - Choose one of the ten available skins according to your website design.
- **Full screen** - Full screen button can be disabled from here for player control.

- **Zoom** - Zoom button on the player control can be disabled/enabled here.
- **Timer** - Timer on the player controls can be enabled/disabled.
- **Share** - Share button on the player can be disabled from here.

Video Page Configuration:

- **Player in Home Page** - You can set banner or normal player in your home page.
- **Popular Videos** - You can enable/disable and set rows/columns of popular videos in Home page.
- **Recent Videos** - You can enable/disable and set rows/columns of Recent videos in Home page.
- **Featured Videos** - You can enable/disable and set rows/columns of featured videos in Home page.
- **Category Videos** - You can enable/disable and set rows/columns of category videos in Home page.
- **More Videos** - You can set rows/columns of more videos and it is for pagination.
- **Gutter Space (px) -** You can adjust the gap between the thumb images displaying in Home page and More Pages.

All Videos	Play List	Video Ads	**Settings**

Settings

[Update Options]

License Configuration

License Key [   ] [Buy now]

Logo Configuration

Logo Path   [Choose File] No file chosen   platoon.jpg

Logo Target   [   ]

Logo Align   [Top Left ▼]

Logo Alpha   [0]

Hide YouTube Logo   ☐

Display Configuration

Auto Play   ☑

Player Width   [620]

Player Height   [300]

Stagecolor   [   ]
                 Ex: 0xdddddd

Playlist Configuration

Playlist   ☐

HD Default   ☐

Playlist Autoplay ☑

Facebook Settings

Select Comment Type   [DisQus Comment ▼]

Shot Name   [   ]

Link to create Facebook App ID

Ads Settings

Preroll Ads   ◉ Enable ○ Disable

Postroll Ads   ◉ Enable ○ Disable

General Settings

FFMPEG Path   [   ]

Normal Scale   [Aspect Ratio ▼]

Full Screen Scale [Aspect Ratio ▼]

Embed Visible   ☐

Video Configuration

Download   ☑

Buffer   [100]

Volume   [50]

Skin Configuration

Skin   [skin fresh white ▼]

Timer   ☐

Zoom   ☐

Share   ☐

Full Screen   ☐

Skin Autohide   ☐

Videos Page Settings

Gutter Space (px)   [20]

Player in Home Page   ◉ Single player ○ Banner

Popular Videos   ◉ Enable ○ Disable
Rows [1]   Columns [4]

Recent Videos   ◉ Enable ○ Disable
Rows [1]   Columns [4]

Featured Videos   ◉ Enable ○ Disable
Rows [1]   Columns [4]

Category Videos
Rows [2]   Columns [2]

More Page
Rows [3]   Columns [3]

[Update Options]

Category– To Manage Categories:

You can create a category by which you can categorize the videos. You can add multiple videos to a particular category.

Video Ads – To Manage Video Ads:

Pre-/Post-Roll:

✓ Here you can upload or provide URL to the video ads which can be set as pre-roll or post-roll ads while adding videos.

✓ Also you can provide Ad Name, Ad Description, Target URL, Click Hits URL, and Impression Hits.

Add a New Video Ad

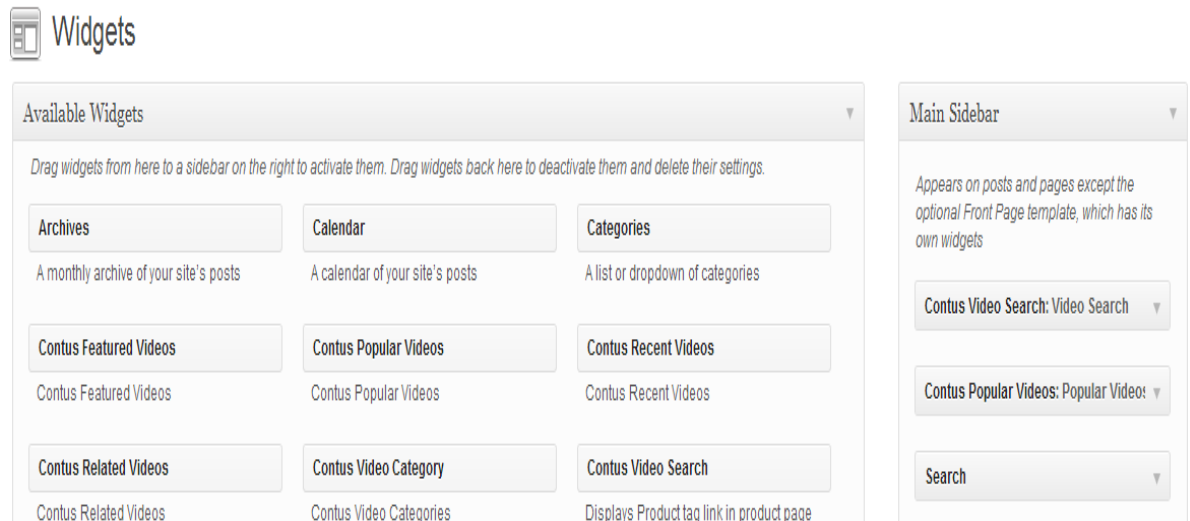|	
● File ○ URL	
Title / Name	[ ]
Upload video	Choose File No file chosen
	Supported video formats:(MP4, M4V, M4A, MOV, Mp4v or F4V)
Publish	○ Yes ● No
Add Video Ad	

✓ **Title/Name** - This provides a title for pre-/post-/mid-roll ads.
✓ **Publish** - The option to publish/Unpublish both pre-/post-roll ads.

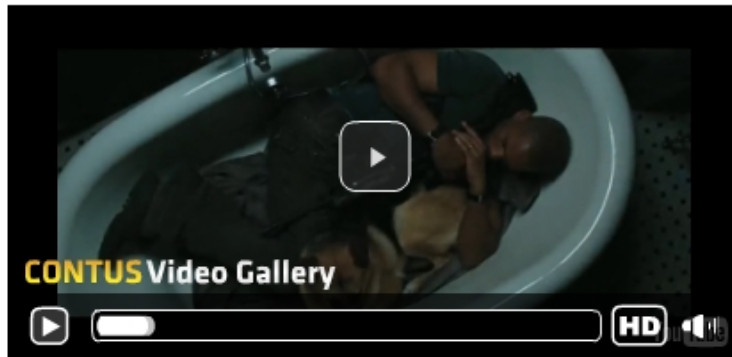# Video Gallery Widgets

Using Video Gallery Widget:

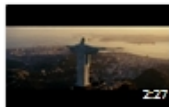Go to Admin > Appearance > Widgets

By drag and drop particular widget in the right position, you can display your widgets in particular position in your front end.

Videos

Im Legend Trailer 1080p

CONTUS Video Gallery

Popular Videos

2:27	4:04	2:04	2:20
Fast And Furious 5 (Offic	Cecelia - The Balcony Gir	Im Legend Trailer 1080p	3D Animation Short - Bolt
30 Views Movie Trailer	9 Views Animation	7 Views Movie Trailer	6 Views Animation

More videos »

Recent Videos

5:06	1:18	1:25	4:52
Using Styles in Excel - N	BrainShake 2 the Hot New	Grand Theft Auto 5 Traile	Quick Recap of Cricket Wo
3 Views Movie Trailer	4 Views Video Game	4 Views Video Game	3 Views Cricket

More videos »

Featured Videos

2:04	2:27	1:36	4:09
Im Legend Trailer 1080p	Fast And Furious 5 (Offic	Mission Impossible III Tr	Titanic - Official Traile
7 Views Movie Trailer	30 Views Movie Trailer	2 Views Movie Trailer	2 Views Movie Trailer

More videos »

Edit

Video Gallery Short Codes

Using Video Gallery Short Codes:

You have the option to assign a player to any particular post or page using video gallery short codes.

Go to **Admin** >**Pages or posts** > **Add New.**

Here you can add the short code in the following combination to call player for that particular page or post.

- [hdvideo id=3 playlistid=2 width=400 height=400]

- [hdvideo playlistid=2]

- [hdvideo id=3]

- [hdvideo id=3 flashvars=autoplay=true&zoom=false]

In the above line **hdvideo** is mandatory.

- **id** – Get video id from Admin -> Video Gallery -> All videos page.
- **autoplay -** If you don't want to auto start the video you can mention autoplay="false."
- **zoom -** If you don't want zoom option in your player you can mention zoom="false."
- **width** – Player will be displayed in the mentioned width.
- **height -** Player will be displayed in the mentioned height.
- **playlistid** - If playlistid mentioned in the short code, then player will fetch videos from the mentioned category.

📄 **Edit Page** Add New

Page updated. View page

Sample Page

Permalink: http://iseofirm.net/ipteam/socialpinboard/wordpress/env1/?page_id=2 [Change Permalinks] [View Page]

📷 Add Media   Visual | Text

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This is an example page. It's different from a blog post because it will stay in one place and will show up in your site navigation (in most themes). Most people start with an About page that introduces them to potential site visitors. It might say something like this:

[hdvideo id=3]

Hi there! I'm a bike messenger by day, aspiring actor by night, and this is my blog. I live in Los Angeles, have a great dog named Jack, and I like piña coladas. (And gettin' caught in the rain.)

Sample Page

This is an example page. It's different from a blog post because it will stay in one place and will show up in your site navigation (in most themes). Most people start with an About page that introduces them to potential site visitors. It might say something like this:

Contacting us

Our support team is happy to help with any questions about using product. You may contact our support team through support forum& support tickets

Your question may already be answered!

Forum: www.apptha.com/forum

Before you send us an email or raising tickets, take a look at Apptha.com/forum for any technical issues, common questions and more. We may have already answered your question.

Raise tickets for your specific questions!

Tickets: assist@apptha.com

Send an email to our support team to get answers to your specific questions. Our team will work to respond to your query promptly.

The best place to discuss about additional features!

Email: bdm@apptha.com