

# **Avex Documentation**

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# Avex Getting started

Summary: Few words on start

The Avex theme is excellent for news, magazine and publishing sites. Lot's of shortcodes. Be sure that with our new theme you can easily customize whatever you want on page. Please also note that all those options are amazingly easy to use.

### Avex Installation

#### Installation

You can either choose to upload the theme to your server via ftp (only upload the unzipped folder "avex" into the folder **wp-content/themes/**) or via WordPress upload function. To use the upload function of the WordPress admin panel make sure to ONLY upload the "avex.zip" file and not the whole archive file that you received.

### Solving broken theme issues

If you are new to WordPress and have problems installing it you might want to check out this link: Solving broken theme issues (http://support.envato.com/index.php?/Knowledgebase/Article/View/269/0/my-wordpress-theme-isnt-working-what-should-i-do)

After that is done activate the theme as you would activate any other theme at **Appearance->Themes**.

### 1-Click Demo Install

If you are new to WordPress and have problems with setting up the theme you might want to import the demo data at **Appearance** -> **Customize** -> **Demo Importer** -> **Click to the demo that you want to start importing**.

### E-commerce functionality

To enable the E-commerce functionality download WooCommerce (https://wordpress.org/plugins/woocommerce) plugin, then install and activate it like any other plugin.

## **Avex Requirements**

#### Software version

• WordPress 4.4 or higher

### **Plugins**

#### Required plugins

- OptionTree (https://wordpress.org/plugins/option-tree)
- Visual Composer (https://codecanyon.net/item/visual-composer-page-builder-forwordpress/242431)

#### Recommended plugins

- WooCommerce (https://wordpress.org/plugins/woocommerce)
- YITH WooCommerce Compare (https://wordpress.org/plugins/yith-woocommerce-compare/)
- YITH WooCommerce Wishlist (https://wordpress.org/plugins/yith-woocommerce-wishlist/)
- Jetpack by WordPress.com (https://wordpress.org/plugins/jetpack)
- Contact Form 7 (https://wordpress.org/plugins/contact-form-7)
- Mailchimp for WordPress
   (https://wordpress.org/plugins/mailchimp-for-wp)

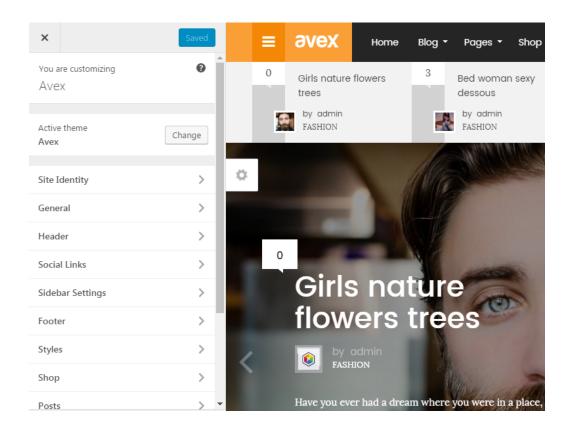
## **Avex Theme Options**

**Summary:** Theme Options - The Customizer

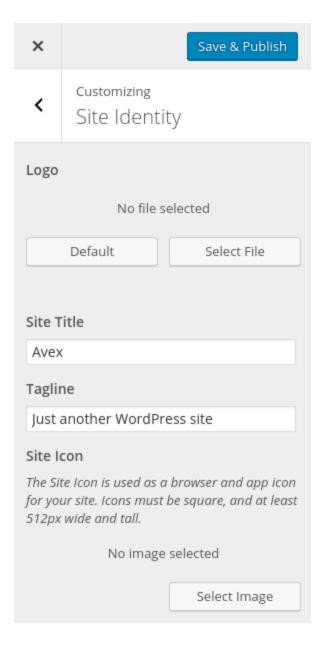
### Overview

The Customizer is a framework for live-previewing any change to WordPress. It provides a simple and consistent interface for users to customize various aspects of their theme and their site, from colors and layouts to widgets, menus, and more. Themes and plugins alike can add custom options to the Customizer. The Customizer is the canonical way to add options to your theme.

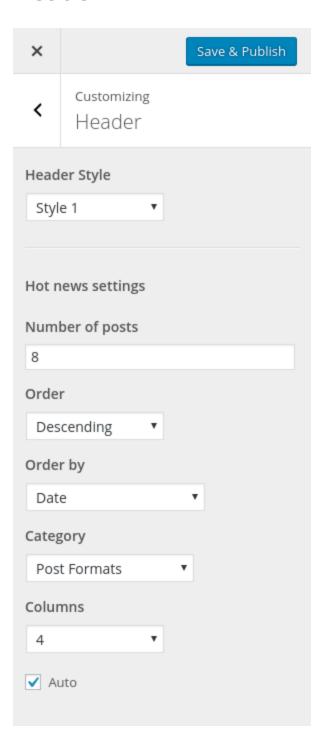
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  - Site Identity
  - General
  - Header
  - Social Links
  - Sidebar Settings
  - Footer
  - Styles
  - Colors
  - Fonts
  - Background Image
  - Breadcrumb
  - Shop
  - Posts
  - Demo Importer
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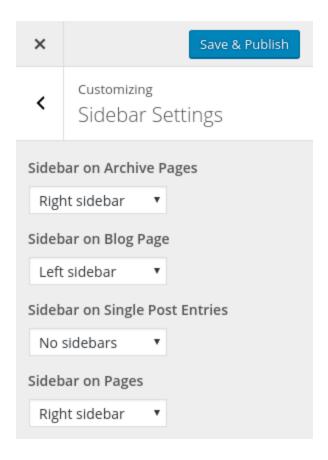
## Logo, Site Icon



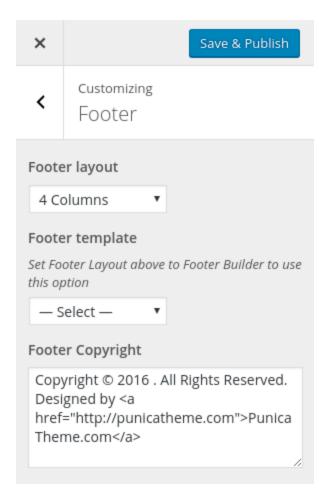
### Header



## Sidebar Settings

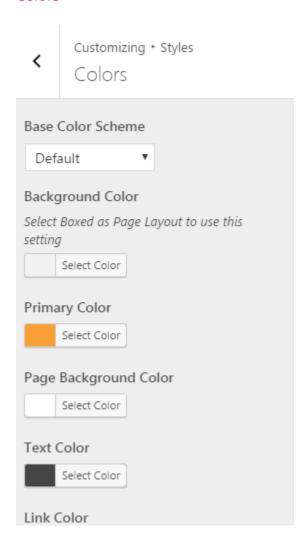


### Footer

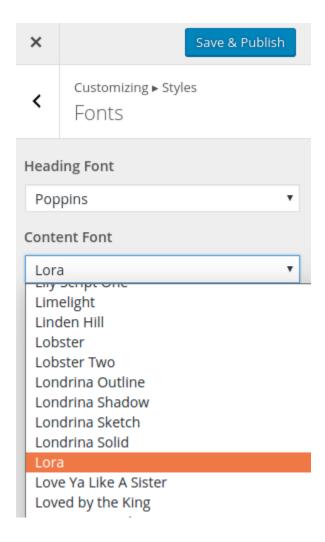


# Styles

#### Colors



#### **Fonts**



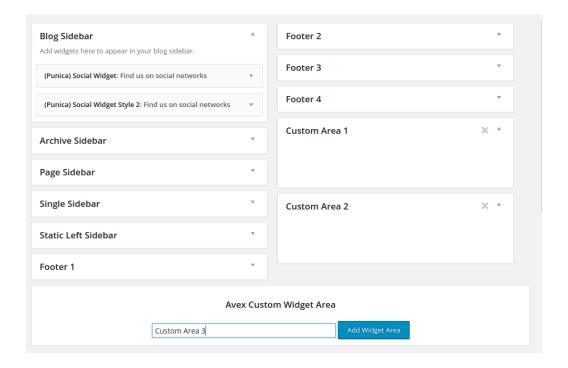
### Avex Sidebar Generator

**Summary:** This feature generates as many sidebars as you need. Then allows you to place them on any page you wish.

#### Add & remove custom sidebars

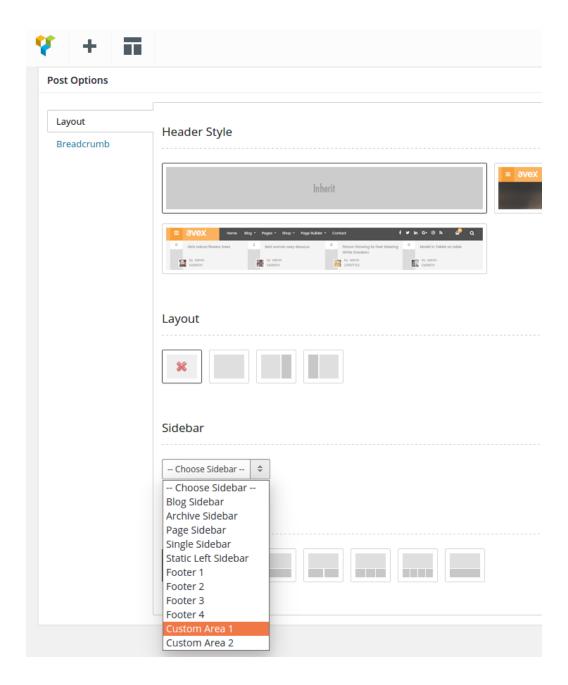
In your site dashboard, go to Appearance -> Widgets

- Type your sidebar name
- Click Add Widget Area to add new sidebar
- To remove click X button aside custom sidebar name



### Place your custom sidebar on page

Open a page, scroll down to find Layout options, select your just added custom sidebar and save changes



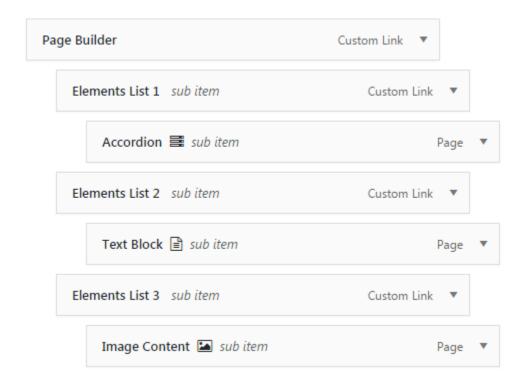
## Avex Mega Menu

**Summary:** This theme supports mega menu feature that helps you build mega menu quickly, easily and beautifully.

### Setup

#### Step 1

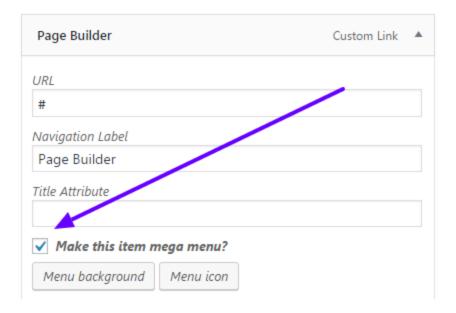
Assume we have the items that sorted like this:



#### Step 2

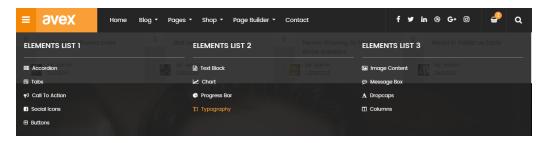
Open the top level item by click to it, check to **Make this item mega menu?** checkbox

Save the menu and visit your site to see the result



#### Result

Your menu will look like



Easy:)

### Extra features

- Mega Menu Widget Area
- · Menu background
- · Menu icon
- Menu custom container styles

## **Avex Visual Composer**

**Summary:** Visual Composer plugin with frontend and backend editor included

#### Overview

In Avex, we added Visual Composer support. To activate the VC plugin following theme installation, go to Appearance > Install Plugins section, install it, and activate it. The plugin will then be ready to use.

Plugin installation following theme activation is available in the same section where the default WordPress editor is visible. In the create/edit page above the WordPress editor you will see two large, blue buttons called Backend Editor and Frontend Editor. These are exactly what you need to build content within Visual Composer.

To explore the capabilities of Visual Composer, we recommend you study the documentation and watch the video below:

#### Elements

Custom Visual Composer elements by Avex

