# How to add wholesale signup in magento store

This Blog will helpful to add signup for wholesale in your store, you can also learn How to Activate customer through admin, How to assign group to registered user. How to add Custom field into form and add attribute to store.

Whole post is divided in three part

1) [Add Link on home page and register form.](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#step1)

2) [Assign group to new register user.](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#step2)

3) [Add Customer Attribute and Custom For field into form.](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#step3)

4) [How to Activate User Through Admin and notify Customer and Admin about new Customer or Wholesaler.](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#step4)

**Step 1: How to Add Link and Register form?**

For that we will Copy the core file into our default folder or template. best practice is edit core file after copying into default folder instead of direct editing into core file.

Follow below step for copy and add link.

Copy core File from location: **app/design/frontend/base/default/layout/customer.xml** to **app/design/frontend/default/default/layout/customer.xml**

Add below code to **customer.xml**

<customer\_logged\_out>

<reference name="top.links">

<action method="addLink" translate="label title" module="customer">

<label>Wholesale</label>

<url>http://www.YourSite.com/wholesale</url>

<position>100</position>

</action>

</reference>

<remove name="reorder"></remove>

</customer\_logged\_out>

When we click on [**Wholesale**](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#) for open registration form it will do nothing. to start working this link we need to create CMS Page.

How to create a CMS Page?

Login into Admin Panel and follow below step

Click on CMS => Pages then

Click on *Add New Pages* button.

Set “Page Title” and “Url Key” as **wholesale**.

Now, Click on “Design” tab inside “layout update XML” add below code

<reference name="content">

<block type="customer/form\_register" name="customer\_form\_register" template="wholesale/customer/form/register.phtml">

<action method="setShowAddressFields"><value>true</value></action>

<block type="page/html\_wrapper" name="customer.form.register.fields.before" as="form\_fields\_before" translate="label">

<label>Form Fields Before</label>

</block>

</block>

</reference>

Above code will add template to new created page.

<action method="setShowAddressFields"><value>true</value></action>

Above code will use to show addresss fields into wholesale registration form. if you do not want to add address field then put ***false*** instead of ***true***.

Now we, will

Create a **register.phtml** for [**wholesale login**](http://www.nextbits.eu/blog/how-to-add-wholesale-signup-in-magento-store/#signup_form) as per below structure

**app/design/frontend/default/default/template/wholesale/customer/form/register.phtml**

**<div class="account-create">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="page-title">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<h1><?php echo $this->\_\_('Create an Account') ?></h1>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php echo $this->getChildHtml('form\_fields\_before')?>**

**<?php echo $this->getMessagesBlock()->getGroupedHtml() ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<form action="<?php echo $this->getPostActionUrl() ?>" method="post" id="form-validate">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="fieldset">**

**<input type="hidden" name="success\_url" value="<?php echo $this->getSuccessUrl() ?>" />**

**<input type="hidden" name="error\_url" value="<?php echo $this->getErrorUrl() ?>" />**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<h2 class="legend"><?php echo $this->\_\_('Personal Information') ?></h2>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<ul class="form-list">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="fields">**

**<?php echo $this->getLayout()->createBlock('customer/widget\_name')->setObject($this->getFormData())->setForceUseCustomerAttributes(true)->toHtml() ?>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<li>**

**<label for="email\_address" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Email Address') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="email" id="email\_address" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getEmail()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Email Address') ?>" class="input-text validate-email required-entry" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php if ($this->isNewsletterEnabled()): ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="control">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="checkbox" name="is\_subscribed" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Sign Up for Newsletter') ?>" value="1" id="is\_subscribed"<?php if($this->getFormData()->getIsSubscribed()): ?> checked="checked"<?php endif; ?> class="checkbox" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<label for="is\_subscribed"><?php echo $this->\_\_('Sign Up for Newsletter') ?></label>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endif ?>**

**<?php $\_dob = $this->getLayout()->createBlock('customer/widget\_dob') ?>**

**<?php if ($\_dob->isEnabled()): ?>**

**<li><?php echo $\_dob->setDate($this->getFormData()->getDob())->toHtml() ?></li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endif ?>**

**<?php $\_taxvat = $this->getLayout()->createBlock('customer/widget\_taxvat') ?>**

**<?php if ($\_taxvat->isEnabled()): ?>**

**<li><?php echo $\_taxvat->setTaxvat($this->getFormData()->getTaxvat())->toHtml() ?></li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endif ?>**

**<?php $\_gender = $this->getLayout()->createBlock('customer/widget\_gender') ?>**

**<?php if ($\_gender->isEnabled()): ?>**

**<li><?php echo $\_gender->setGender($this->getFormData()->getGender())->toHtml() ?></li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endif ?>**

**<li>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="your\_cusom\_field" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Your Custom Field');?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="your\_cusom\_field" id="your\_cusom\_field" value="" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Your Custom Field');?>" class="input-text required-entry">**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</ul>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php if($this->getShowAddressFields()): ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="fieldset">**

**<input type="hidden" name="create\_address" value="1" />**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<h2 class="legend"><?php echo $this->\_\_('Address Information') ?></h2>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<ul class="form-list">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="fields">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="company"><?php echo $this->\_\_('Company') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="company" id="company" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getCompany()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Company') ?>" class="input-text <?php echo $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('company') ?>" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="telephone" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Telephone') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="telephone" id="telephone" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getTelephone()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Telephone') ?>" class="input-text <?php echo $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('telephone') ?>" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php $\_streetValidationClass = $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('street'); ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="wide">**

**<label for="street\_1" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Street Address') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="street[]" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getStreet(1)) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Street Address') ?>" id="street\_1" class="input-text <?php echo $\_streetValidationClass ?>" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php $\_streetValidationClass = trim(str\_replace('required-entry', '', $\_streetValidationClass)); ?>**

**<?php for ($\_i = 2, $\_n = $this->helper('customer/address')->getStreetLines(); $\_i <= $\_n; $\_i++): ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="wide">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="street[]" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getStreet($\_i)) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Street Address %s', $\_i) ?>" id="street\_<?php echo $\_i ?>" class="input-text <?php echo $\_streetValidationClass ?>" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endfor; ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="fields">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="city" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('City') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="city" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getCity()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('City') ?>" class="input-text <?php echo $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('city') ?>" id="city" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="region\_id" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('State/Province') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<select id="region\_id" name="region\_id" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('State/Province') ?>" class="validate-select" style="display:none;">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<option value=""><?php echo $this->\_\_('Please select region, state or province') ?></option>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</select>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<script type="text/javascript">**

**//<![CDATA[**

**$('region\_id').setAttribute('defaultValue', "<?php echo $this->getFormData()->getRegionId() ?>");**

**//]]>**

**</script>**

**<input type="text" id="region" name="region" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getRegion()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('State/Province') ?>" class="input-text <?php echo $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('region') ?>" style="display:none;" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

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**</div>**

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**</li>**

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**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="fields">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="zip" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Zip/Postal Code') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="text" name="postcode" value="<?php echo $this->escapeHtml($this->getFormData()->getPostcode()) ?>" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Zip/Postal Code') ?>" id="zip" class="input-text validate-zip-international <?php echo $this->helper('customer/address')->getAttributeValidationClass('postcode') ?>" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

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**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="country" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Country') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<?php echo $this->getCountryHtmlSelect() ?>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</ul>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<input type="hidden" name="default\_billing" value="1" />**

**<input type="hidden" name="default\_shipping" value="1" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php endif; ?>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="fieldset">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<h2 class="legend"><?php echo $this->\_\_('Login Information') ?></h2>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<ul class="form-list">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<li class="fields">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="password" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Password') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="password" name="password" id="password" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Password') ?>" class="input-text required-entry validate-password" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

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**</div>**

**<p>**

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**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="field">**

**<label for="confirmation" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Confirm Password') ?></label>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="input-box">**

**<input type="password" name="confirmation" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Confirm Password') ?>" id="confirmation" class="input-text required-entry validate-cpassword" />**

**</div>**

**<p>**

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**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**</li>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php echo $this->getChildHtml('form.additional.info'); ?>**

**<?php echo $this->getChildHtml('persistent.remember.me'); ?>**

**</ul>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php echo $this->getChildHtml('persistent.remember.me.tooltip'); ?>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<div class="buttons-set">**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<p class="required"><?php echo $this->\_\_('\* Required Fields') ?></p>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<br />**

**<br />**

**<p class="back-link"><a href="<?php echo $this->escapeUrl($this->getBackUrl()) ?>" class="back-link"><small>« </small><?php echo $this->\_\_('Back') ?></a></p>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<button type="submit" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Submit') ?>" class="button"><span><span><?php echo $this->\_\_('Submit') ?></span></span></button>**

**</div>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<?php if (Mage::helper('checkout')->isContextCheckout()): ?>**

**<input name="context" type="hidden" value="checkout" />**

**<?php endif; ?>**

**</form>**

**<p>**

**<p>**

**<script type="text/javascript">**

**//<![CDATA[**

**var dataForm = new VarienForm('form-validate', true);**

**<?php if($this->getShowAddressFields()): ?>**

**new RegionUpdater('country', 'region', 'region\_id', <?php echo $this->helper('directory')->getRegionJson() ?>, undefined, 'zip');**

**<?php endif; ?>**

**//]]>**

**</script>**

**</div>**

**Step 2: How to Assign Group to wholesale or General customer?**

Open **register.phtml** and add below code after line No. 51.

<input type="hidden" name="group\_id" id="group\_id" value="2" />

Note: Default value is give as above. but it May be different; put as per your wholesale group value.

How to Find Value:

=> Customer => Manage Customer.

=> in Group click on drop down then count number of Wholesale from first group.

=> whatever number you get it will be your value.

Now open **AccountController.php**

**app/code/core/Mage/Customer/controllers/AccountController.php**

**public function createPostAction()**

**{**

**$customer = $this->\_getCustomer();**

**try {**

**/\* Extra Content Strart for add assign group to customer and wholesale \*/**

**if($this->getRequest()->getPost('group\_id')){**

**$customer->setGroupId($this->getRequest()->getPost('group\_id'));**

**} else {**

**$customer->getGroupId();**

**}**

**/\* Extra Content End for add assign group to customer and wholesale \*/**

**.......**

**.......**

**}**

**}**

**Step 3: Add Customer Attribute and Custom field into form.**

Add below Code inside **register.phtml** it will use to add field into your wholesale registration form.

<div class="field">

<label for="your\_cusom\_field" class="required"><em>\*</em><?php echo $this->\_\_('Your Custom Field');?></label>

<div class="input-box">

<input type="text" name="your\_cusom\_field" id="your\_cusom\_field" value="" title="<?php echo $this->\_\_('Your Custom Field');?>" class="input-text required-entry">

</div>

</div>

Now, We will see how to add attribute into store.

For that we need to install Customer Attribute Manager. You can download it from this google drive a/c.