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SMART COMPARE

USER GUIDE

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1.About the Extension

If you want to let your customers add products to the comparison list without reloading the page, Magento 2 Smart Compare extension is for you. **The extension allows customers to add products for comparison without page reload.** The added products appear in the comparison tray at the bottom of the same page. A popup message will inform customers if they try to add more products than the allowed limit.

The Magento 2 Smart Compare extension improves the user experience and increases conversion.

2.Feature List

- Ajax Based Add to Compare
- Enable on Product & Category Pages
- Limit The Products Allowed in the Compare List
- Customize Texts for 'Compare' & 'Clear Buttons
- Customize Popup Background & Text Colors

2.1 Ajax Based Add to Compare

With this extension, users can add the products to the compare list tray and choose the best product.



2.2 Enable on Product & Category Pages

With the smart compare extension, admin can enable/disable the compare list tray option on the product & category pages.

2.3 Limit The Products Allowed in the Compare List

Admins can set the maximum number of products that can be included in the comparison list. When the customer clicks on the "Compare" button, they'll see a tray at the bottom of the page with the compare products.

2.4 Customize Texts for 'Compare' & 'Clear Buttons

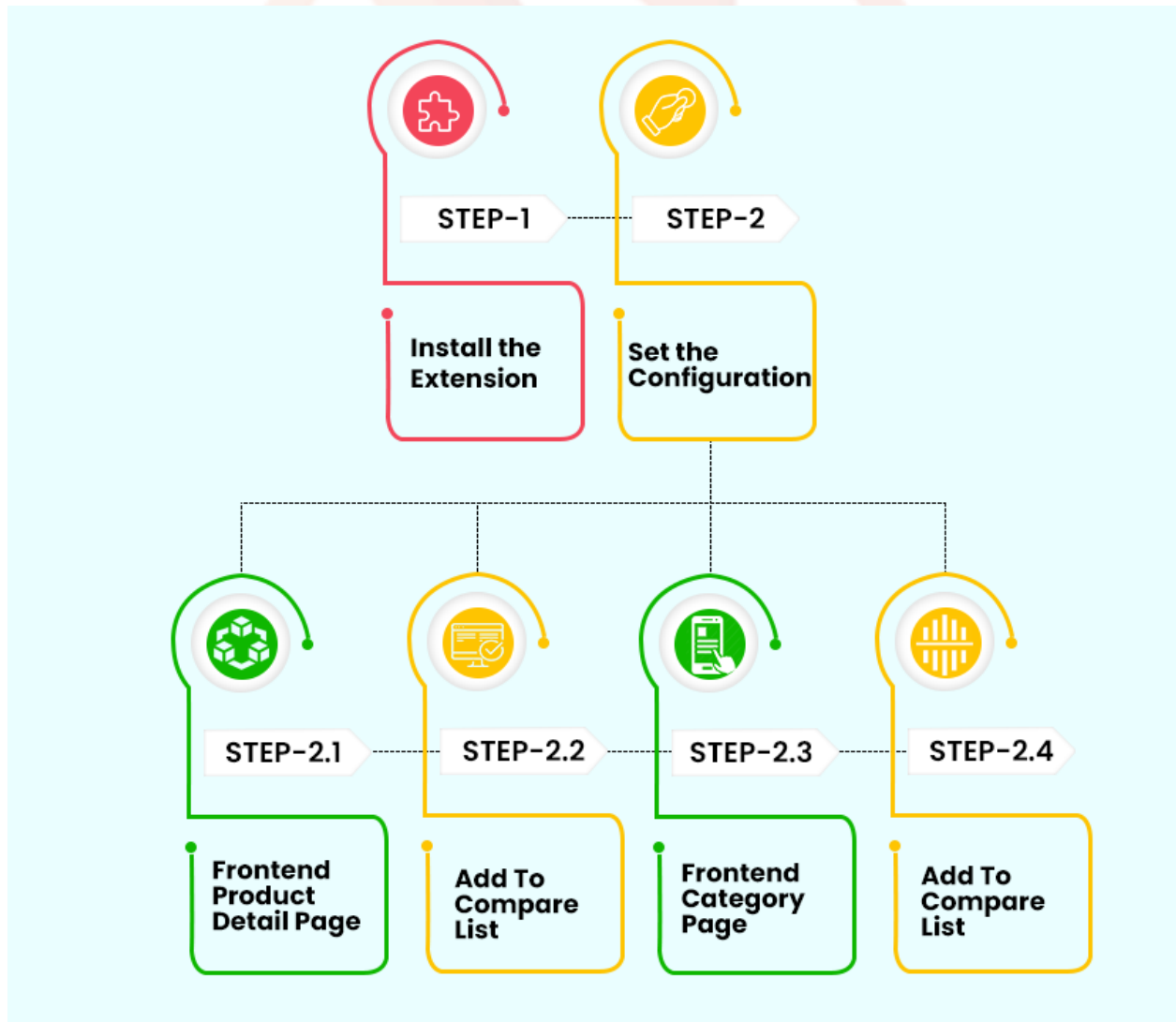
This extension allows administrators to set the background color of the comparison tray that appears at the bottom of the category & product page, as well as the button text of the 'Compare' and 'Clear' buttons. By clicking on the 'Compare' button, you can see how many products were added to the list.

2.5 Customize Popup Background & Text Colors

With this extension, administrators can customize the background color of the popup button. When a customer exceeds the maximum limit, a popup will appear. Admin also changes the text and color of the popup button.



3.Steps to Follow



4. Extension Details

4.1 Configuration

At the backend, go to **FME EXTENSIONS** and click **Configurations** under Smart Compare. Here you can find the extension configurations.



4.1.1 Enable Module

The Advanced Comparison module can be enabled on your webstore by selecting **YES**.

The screenshot shows the 'FME EXTENSIONS' sidebar with 'Smart Compare' selected. In the 'General Configuration' section, the 'Enable Extension ? [global]' dropdown is set to 'Yes'.

4.1.2 A Maximum Number Of Products Allow

In the comparison list, you can set the maximum limit for products that can be included. The customer will get a tray at the bottom of the page where all the compare products will appear when they click on the **"Compare"** button.

The screenshot shows the 'FME EXTENSIONS' sidebar with 'Smart Compare' selected. In the 'General Configuration' section, the 'Products [global]' input field is set to '3'. Below the input field, it says 'Maximum number of products allowed in the compare list [0 - 5]'.

4.1.3 Enable on Product Page

In the backend, you can enable / disable the **Smart Compare** functionality on the product detail page.

The screenshot shows the 'FME EXTENSIONS' sidebar with 'Smart Compare' selected. In the 'General Configuration' section, the 'Enable on Product Detail Page ? [global]' dropdown is set to 'No'. Below the dropdown, it says 'Display Comparison List on Product Detail Page ?'.



4.2 Compare Block Configuration

Expand the **Compare Block Configurations** section to see the following options.

4.2.1 Set Background Color, Compare Button Text and Clear Button Text

In the backend, you can set the background color of the compare tray that will appear at the bottom of the same page, Also, set the 'Compare' button text, and the 'Clear' button text. The 'Compare' button will display the number of products added to the list.

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Compare Block Configuration

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Background Color [store view]
(Background color)

Compare Button Text [global]
Enter the Text that should appear in the compare button

Clear Button Text [global]
Enter the Text that should appear in the clear Link

4.3 Popup Message Configuration

4.3.1 Popup Background

At the backend, you can set the Popup Background color. The popup will appear when a customer tries to exceed the maximum limit allowed.



Configuration

Save Config

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FME Admin Login

Smart Compare

Popup Message Configurations

Popup Background [store view] #b514b5 (Background color)

4.3.2 Text Color

Option to set the text color that will appear on the popup.

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Text Color [store view] #ffffff (forecolor)

4.3.3 Popup Message

Option to specify the message you want to display when someone tries to add more products than the allowed limit to the comparison list.

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Popup Message Configurations

Popup Message [global] Maximum Products Allowed :
Enter the Text that should appear in the popup message for maximum product limit.

4.4 Store Frontend

4.4.1 Category Page

The user selects products from the store, adds them to the **"compare tray"** settings, then the products are added to the compare product page to see a comparison of the selected products on the category page.



PERFORMANCE FABRIC

PRICE


FEATURES

STRAP/HANDLE


MATERIAL

STYLE


ACTIVITY




Joust Duffle Bag
★★★★☆ 2 Reviews
\$34.00



Strive Shoulder Pack
★★★★☆ 2 Reviews
\$32.00




Crown Summit Backpack
★★★★☆ 3 Reviews
\$38.00




Wayfarer Messenger Bag
★★★★☆ 3 Reviews
\$45.00

My Wish List


You have no items in your wish list.



STRIVE SHOULDER
PACK
32.000000



CROWN SUMMIT
BACKPACK
38.000000




WAYFARER
MESSENGER BAG
45.000000

Compare (3)

Clear

4.4.2 Product Page

A user selects products from the product page, adds them to the "compare tray" then adds those products to the "compare product" page to view the comparison.



Strive Shoulder Pack

★★★★☆ 2 Reviews [Add Your Review](#)

\$32.00


IN STOCK
SKU#: 24-MB04

Qty
1


Add to Cart

ADD TO WISH LIST


ADD TO COMPARE



STRIVE SHOULDER
PACK
32.000000



CROWN SUMMIT
BACKPACK
38.000000



WAYFARER
MESSENGER BAG
45.000000


Compare (3)

Clear


4.4.3 Popup

In the frontend, when the customer exceeds the maximum limit the popup message will appear.







Rival Field Messenger
★★★★☆ 2 Reviews
\$45.00



Fusion Backpack
★★★★☆ 3 Reviews
\$59.00



Impulse Duffel
★★★★☆ 3 Reviews
\$74.00



Voyage Yoga Bag
★★★★☆ 3 Reviews
\$32.00

Maximum Products : 3



RIVAL FIELD MESSENGER
45.000000



FUSION BACKPACK
59.000000



IMPULSE DUFFLE
74.000000

[Compare Products \(3\)](#)
[Clear List](#)

5.Disclaimer

It is highly recommended to back up your server files and database before installing this module. No responsibility will be taken for any adverse effects occurring during installation.

It is recommended you install on a test server initially to carry out your testing.