



ADMIN DATA DEPLOY

BY

RED CHAMPS

Overview

If you have developed a complete web store with Magento you know that it's not all about code. It's also a matter of doing some activity (sometimes a lot of that) in the Admin Control Panel. Things like creating cms pages, static blocks, products, categories and so on (and on). Once you have done all this kind of work in your development environment you have to be sure that it will be done exactly the same way on each other environment involved in the process: other developers' environments, staging environments and finally the production environment. So, with the word "deploy" we not only mean maintaining code consistency among different environments but also maintaining entities and configuration consistency.

Admin Data Deploy aims at automating the process of maintaining entities and configuration consistency without obliging you to bypass the usage of the Admin Control Panel. In fact, the only other way of maintaining such consistency (the so-called "best practice") is that of writing install/upgrade scripts which create entities and change System Configuration programmatically. That's definitively boring and error prone. So this extension helps to send this updates to other development environments with a single click.

Configuring extension

1. Go to admin path System > Configuration > RedChamps > Admin Data Deploy

Admin Data Deploy Save Config

Sync Settings

Website Name	<input type="text" value="Live"/>	[GLOBAL]
	<small>▲ Live/Staging/Local .etc</small>	
Website Url	<input type="text" value="http://magento1920.work.com/"/>	[GLOBAL]
	<small>▲ For Example: http://magento.com/ (slash at the end of URL is required)</small>	
Soap API UserName	<input type="text" value="test"/>	[GLOBAL]
	<small>▲ Enter Soap API UserName of target website</small>	
Soap API Key/Password	<input type="password" value="*****"/>	[GLOBAL]
	<small>▲ Enter Soap API Password/Key of target website</small>	

2. Fill up all the configuration fields
 - a. Website Name: It's a label of website whose credentials you are going to enter in next configuration fields. The value of this fields will be used at all the places where we give trigger to deploy an entity data for example in Mass action of CMS page grid.

- b. Website URL: This is a URL of website to which you want SYNC/Deploy data of current website. This should start with protocol http:// or https:// and end with trailing slash. **Please make sure it doesn't contain 'index.php' at the end.**
 - c. Soap API UserName: This is user name of soap user created on target website at path System > Web Services > SOAP/XML-RPC Users. Please make sure to assign role resource 'Admin Data Deploy' to this user.
 - d. Soap API Password: This is password/API key of user created at previous step.
3. Click 'Test Connection' button and make sure it returns success message but in case it returns error message then please recheck your credentials entered in fields explained at previous point.
4. Once connection test is successful save the configuration and finally we are all set with one time extension configuration :)

Using Extension to Deploy Data

Currently, extension supports CMS pages and static blocks so you can go to either of the Admin Menu according to requirements

CMS > Pages

Or

CMS > Static Blocks

(We are demonstrating here CMS > Pages)

There you will find option to select entities from grid and use Mass Action 'Deploy to {Website Name entered in extension settings}' from action dropdown located at the of grid.

Manage Pages Add New Page

Page 1 of 1 pages | View 20 per page | Total 10 records found Reset Filter Search

Select All | Unselect All | Select Visible | Unselect Visible | 2 items selected Actions Submit

	Title	URL Key	Layout	Store View	Status	Date Created	Last Modified	Action
Any				All Store Views		From: To:	From: To:	Deploy to Live
<input type="checkbox"/>	About Us	about-magento-demo-store	2 columns with right bar	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Preview
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Customer Service	customer-service	3 columns	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Preview
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Enable Cookies	enable-cookies	1 column	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	Home page	home	2 columns with right bar	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:36 PM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	New Page	new-page	2 columns with left bar	Second website Second Store Second Store View	Enabled	Oct 14, 2016 8:32:20 PM	Oct 14, 2016 8:34:57 PM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	404 Not Found 1	no-route	2 columns with right bar	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	Privacy Policy	privacy-policy-cookie-restriction-mode	1 column	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Oct 4, 2015 9:39:32 PM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	Reward Policy	rewardpoints-policy	2 columns with left bar	All Store Views	Enabled	Apr 13, 2016 12:49:19 AM	Apr 13, 2016 12:49:19 AM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	Reward Welcome Page	rewardpoints-welcome	2 columns with left bar	All Store Views	Enabled	Apr 13, 2016 12:49:19 AM	Apr 13, 2016 12:49:19 AM	Preview
<input type="checkbox"/>	Test	test	1 column	All Store Views	Enabled	Oct 12, 2016 1:53:46 AM	Oct 12, 2016 2:02:33 AM	Preview

Alternatively, you can open individual page and you will find a button in actionbar of page to deploy content.

Page Information

- Page Information
- Content**
- Design
- Meta Data

Edit Page 'About Us' [Back] [Reset] [Delete Page] [Deploy to Live] [Save Page] [Save and Continue Edit] [View Page]

Content

Content Heading

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About Magento Store

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To all of you, from all of us at Magento Store - Thank you and Happy eCommerce!

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Thanks

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Reading and using our extension.

Please feel free to email at support@redchamps.com in the case of any query/issues. Please make sure to include extension name and order# in email subject