

Category Import/Export



Installation/User Guide

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Installation Process:

Note: Please take a backup of your all Magento files and database before installing or updating any extension.

Extension Installation:

- Download the CMS Page Import/Export .ZIP file from the Magento account.
- Log in to the Magento server (or switch to) as a user, who has permission to write to the Magento file system.
- Create folder structure **/app/code/Solwin/CategoryImportExport/** to your site root directory
- Extract the contents of the .ZIP file to the folder you just created
- Navigate to your store root folder in the SSH console of your server:
- Run upgrade command as specified : **php bin/magento setup:upgrade**
- Run deploy command as specified : **php bin/magento setup:static-content:deploy -f**
- Clear the cache either from the admin panel or command line **php bin/magento cache:clean**
- Now, you can see the Import/Export CMS Pages option in the System tab. Please go to **SYSTEM -> Data Transfer -> Import/Export Categories**.

Overview:

Category Import/Export extension for Magento 2 allows store owners to import and export all categories, subcategories, and related data like description, image, meta title, meta keywords, and many more.

With the help of the extension, the store owner can create multiple categories at the same time using CSV files.

The extension is very easy to operate. Admin can easily import and export categories by 'System -> Data Transfer -> Import/Export Categories'.

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Key Features:

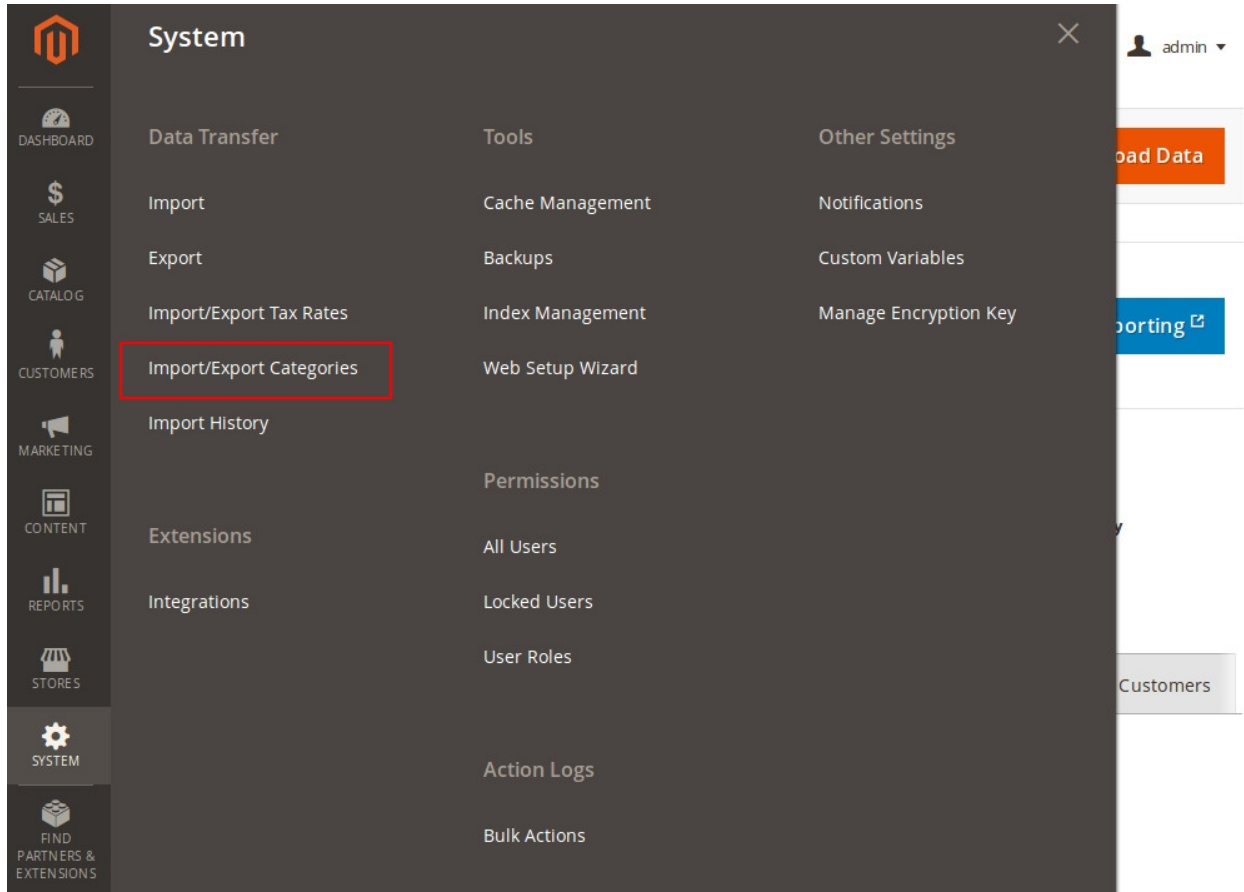
The Extension provides below features:

- Import/Export all categories with complete data of category.
- Import/Export category images.
- Easy to update and add categories into the Magento2 store using CSV file.
- Import all Categories by just one click.

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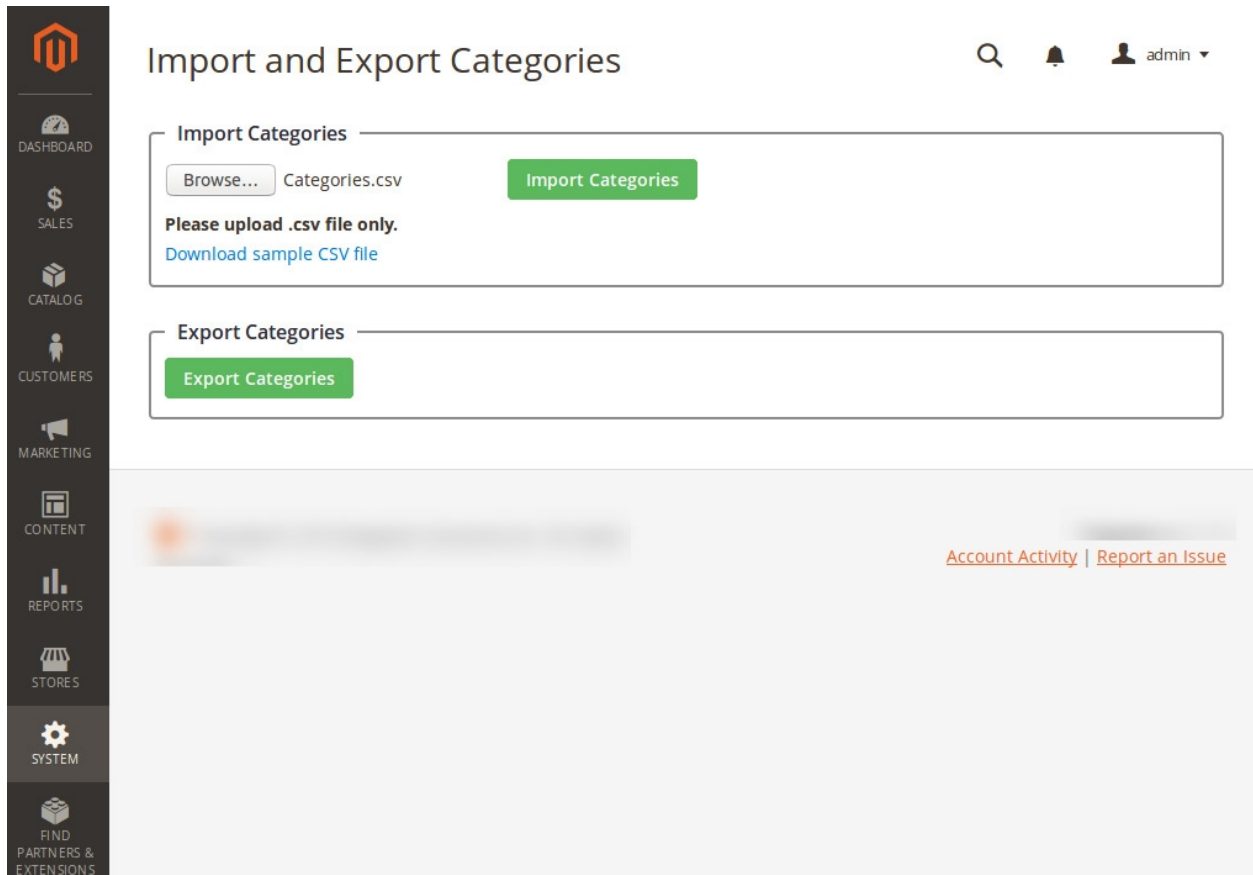
Admin control panel:

In the admin control panel, the store owner can find a menu in **SYSTEM >> Data Transfer >> Import/Export Categories**.



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When the store owner clicks on that menu, import/export Categories page displays



The screenshot shows the 'Import and Export Categories' page. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation icons and labels: DASHBOARD, SALES, CATALOG, CUSTOMERS, MARKETING, CONTENT, REPORTS, STORES, SYSTEM, and FIND PARTNERS & EXTENSIONS. The main content area has a title 'Import and Export Categories' and user information 'admin'. Below the title are two sections: 'Import Categories' and 'Export Categories'. The 'Import Categories' section contains a file upload area with a 'Browse...' button, the filename 'Categories.csv', and a green 'Import Categories' button. Below this is a note: 'Please upload .csv file only.' with a link 'Download sample CSV file'. The 'Export Categories' section contains a green 'Export Categories' button. At the bottom right of the page, there are links for 'Account Activity' and 'Report an Issue'.

To export categories, click on **Export Categories** button

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Import and Export Categories

Import Categories

Browse... No file selected.

Please upload .csv file only.

[Download sample CSV file](#)

Export Categories

[Export Categories](#) ← Click here to export all categories.

[Account Activity](#) | [Report an Issue](#)

To Import new categories, select CSV file using **Browse** button and click on **Import Categories** button

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Import Categories

Browse... Categories.csv Import Categories

Click here to import categories, from file.

Please upload .csv file only.

[Download sample CSV file](#)

Export Categories

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Here is an example of a CSV sheet, going to Import a category named Men Shoes.

The screenshot shows a spreadsheet application window with a CSV file open. The data is organized into columns with headers: rootid, store, category_id, name, categories path, level, position, description, url_key, is_active, display_mode, page_layout, cms_block, is_anchor, meta_title, meta_keywords, and meta_des. The rows represent different categories, with the last row (row 11) being '10 Men Shoes', which is highlighted in green and has a red arrow pointing to it with the text 'New Category' below it.

rootid	store	category_id	name	categories path	level	position	description	url_key	is_active	display_mode	page_layout	cms_block	is_anchor	meta_title	meta_keywords	meta_des
1			1 Root Catalog		1	0										
2	jp	2	2 Default Category	1/2	1	1				1 PRODUCTS						
4	jp	3	3 Gear	1/2/3	2	4	gear	gear		1 PAGE			0			
5	jp	4	4 Bags	1/2/3/4	3	1	bags	bags		1			1			
6	jp	5	5 Fitness Equipment	1/2/3/5	3	2	fitness-equipment	fitness-equipment		1			1			
7	jp	6	6 Watches	1/2/3/6	3	3	watches	watches		1			1			
8	jp	7	7 Collections	1/2/7	2	5	collections	collections		0 PAGE			0			
9	jp	8	8 New Luma Yoga Collection	1/2/7/8	3	1	yoga-new	yoga-new		1			1			
10	jp	9	9 Training	1/2/9	2	5	training	training		1 PAGE			0			
11	jp	10	10 Men Shoes	1/2/3	2	4	men-shoes	men-shoes		1 PAGE			0			

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On successful import of csv file, the store owner will get a success message.

The screenshot displays the 'Import and Export Categories' interface. On the left is a vertical sidebar with navigation icons for Dashboard, Sales, Catalog, Customers, Marketing, Content, Reports, Stores, System, and Find Partners & Extensions. The main header area includes a search icon, a notification bell, and a user profile labeled 'admin'. A prominent yellow banner at the top contains a green checkmark and the text 'The Categories have been Imported.' Below this, the 'Import Categories' section features a 'Browse...' button, the text 'No file selected.', a note 'Please upload .csv file only.', and a link 'Download sample CSV file'. The 'Export Categories' section contains a green 'Export Categories' button. At the bottom right of the main content area, there are links for 'Account Activity' and 'Report an Issue'.

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To see new category, please go to **CATALOG >> Categories**.

Default Category (ID: 2)

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Scope: All Store Views ▾ ?

Save

Add Root Category

Add Subcategory

Enable Category Yes
[store view]

Include in Menu Yes
[store view]

Category Name *
[store view]

Collapse All | Expand All

- Default Category (ID: 2) (1181)
 - What's New (ID: 38) (0)
 - Women (ID: 20) (0)
 - Men (ID: 11) (0)
 - Gear (ID: 3) (45)
 - Collections (ID: 7) (13)
 - Training (ID: 9) (6)
 - Promotions (ID: 29) (0)
 - Sale (ID: 37) (0)
 - Men shoes (ID: 41) (0)

← New Category Imported

Content	⌵
Display Settings	⌵
Search Engine Optimization	⌵
Products in Category	⌵
Design	⌵
Schedule Design Update	⌵

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Documentation:

[Online Documentation](#)

Support:

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Visit our support portal and create a ticket.

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