



m_xoops_v2.0.x_multiMenu_...
69 KB

In this tutorial we will see how to extract a module, and which folders to upload to the server.





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In this example we have a zip file of the multimenu module.

In Windows select the file and right click.

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 Extract To "m_xoops_v2.0.x_multiMenu_1.5"

Encrypt file(s)...

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This opens a context menu that allows us (with the proper programs installed) to select options that can be applied to the file.

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
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We are going to choose to extract the file to a folder matching the name of the zip file.



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Here the extraction is done. You can see the folder and the zip file having the same names.

Careful, if you upload this folder to your server you will get a module not found error. This is because unzipping the file created an extra folder to the module directory.

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Now select and open the newly created folder.



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Ok, this looks better. We have a folder now with a simple module name.

Lets open this folder to make sure we are at the root folder of the module.

Sometimes developers add extra folders to the directory before zipping.



admin



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images



script



templates



xoops_version.php
PHP File
5 KB



blocks



form



language



sql



index.html
HTML File
1 KB

Ok. Now we see the directory structure of the module itself.

So the parent folder to this is what we want to upload and install.

Lets go up one level.



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This is the folder to upload to the module directory on your server.

I hope this clears some simple confusion on which folders to upload.