



Simple:Press - Version 4.4.5 - Build 6398
For WordPress Version 3.1+
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Welcome to the latest release of Simple:Press - Version 4.4.5.

This plugin requires:

- **WordPress** Version 3.1+
- **MySQL** Version 4.1.21 or above
- **PHP** Version 4.3 or above

Note that in this release, we did find a few minor issues with the default skin that we have cleaned up. This is the only skin touched in this release.

Before Installing Simple:Press or upgrading from a previous version:

1. **Make a backup of your database.** We try to make our install and upgrade processes as rugged as possible but if anything were to go wrong it will be at the one time you made no backup. Do not risk it!
2. **Remove the old SP plugin files** before uploading if you are upgrading to this version. Do NOT uninstall the previous plugin as this will remove your forum data – just remove the old ‘simple-forum’ folder. If you are upgrading from another 4.4.x version, you can just upload the new version over the old one rather than removing.
3. **Keep safety copies of any downloaded skins/icons or changes** you may have made – especially to skins, icons, program hooks, pluggable functions etc., unless they are safely stored outside of the standard ‘plugins’ folder using our special storage locations.

4. **Note that this plugin is big!** Use a reliable tool to upload it to your server. Please note that **FileZilla often fails or corrupt files** during upload. Please avoid using it.

If Installing Simple:Press for the first time please go to:

<http://wiki.simple-press.com/installation/new-installation/>

If Upgrading from a previous version please go to:

<http://wiki.simple-press.com/installation/upgrading/>

If you require some information on getting started visit:

<http://wiki.simple-press.com/getting-started/>

If you experience any problems after installing first visit:

<http://wiki.simple-press.com/installation/troubleshooting/>

If you are looking for a 4.2.x or 4.3.x language file go to:

<http://translate.simple-press.com/>

If you need to know about style/CSS changes since 4.2.0 visit:

<http://wiki.simple-press.com/installation/style-changes-4-2/>

If you need to raise support issues:

<http://simple-press.com/support-forum/>

If you wish to view the full change log and 4.4.5 developments visit:

http://mantis.simple-press.com/search.php?project_id=1&sticky_issues=on&target_version=4.4.5&sortby=status%2Cpriority&dir=ASC%2CDESC&hide_status_id=-2

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