

## Magento Featured Products Slider Widget Installation/Configuration Guide

### Installation

1. First of all, back up your store database and web directory. It is wise to perform this procedure before any installation.
2. On your back end, go to **System** → **Magento Connect** → **Magento Connect Manager** and log in to Magento Connect Manager with administrator credentials.
3. Under “Direct package file upload” section, browse for package file and hit “Upload”.

The screenshot shows the Magento Connect Manager interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'Extensions' and 'Settings' tabs, and links for 'Return to Admin' and 'Log Out'. Below the navigation bar, there are several sections:

- Settings:** Contains a checked checkbox for 'Put store on the maintenance mode while installing/upgrading/backup creation' and an unchecked checkbox for 'Create Backup' with a dropdown menu set to 'Database'.
- Install New Extensions:** Contains a step 1 instruction to search for modules via 'Magento Connect' and a step 2 instruction to paste an extension key into a text input field, followed by an 'Install' button.
- Direct package file upload:** This section is highlighted with a red box. It contains a step 1 instruction to download or build a package file, and a step 2 instruction to upload a package. The step 2 instruction includes a 'Browse...' button, the text 'No file selected.', and an 'Upload' button. Red arrows point from the 'Browse...' button to the 'Upload' button.
- Manage Existing Extensions:** Contains a 'Check for Upgrades' button.
- Channel:** Shows 'Magento Community Edition' and a 'Commit Changes' button.


At the bottom right of the interface, there is a checkbox for 'Clear all sessions after successful install or upgrade:'.

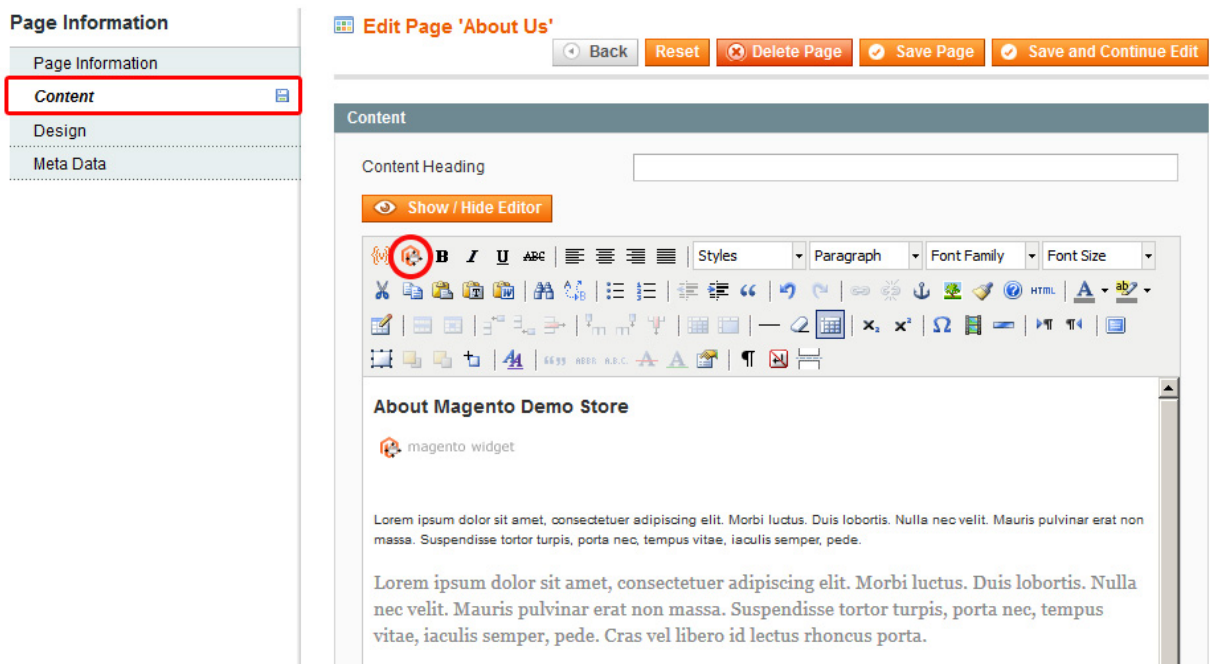
4. Return to website back end, log out and then log in again.
5. Flush Magento Cache under **System** → **Configuration** → **Cache Management**.

6. Congratulations! You are now ready to use Featured Slider widget.

## Configuration/Usage

### *Adding Featured Products Slider to a CMS page*

- Go to **CMS** → **Pages** and choose a page you want to use the Featured Slider for. Hit the **Content** tab in the left-hand navigation.
- Place your mouse cursor on the area you'd like to have the Featured Slider widget added and hit the **Insert Widget**  button on editor's toolbar.



The screenshot displays the CMS editor interface. On the left, the 'Page Information' sidebar shows the 'Content' tab selected and highlighted with a red box. The main editor area is titled 'Edit Page 'About Us'' and features a toolbar with buttons for 'Back', 'Reset', 'Delete Page', 'Save Page', and 'Save and Continue Edit'. Below the toolbar, the 'Content' section is visible, showing a 'Content Heading' field and a 'Show / Hide Editor' button. The main content area contains a heading 'About Magento Demo Store' and a 'magento widget' block. The 'Insert Widget' button in the toolbar is circled in red.

- In the popup window, choose “**Orange35 Featured Slider**” in the **Widget Type** dropdown. Customize the slider block under **Widget Options** and don't forget to press the **Insert Widget** button afterwards.

Insert Widget ✕

Widget Insertion
+ Insert Widget

Widget

Widget Type \* ▼

Orange35 Featured Slider

Featured Products Slider/Carousel

Widget Options

### General

Slider Title

▲ Leave empty to show no title

Layout Template \* ▼  
Horizontal Carousel

Style Name \* ▼  
Default

Products Source \* ▼  
All Products

Products Sorting \* ▼  
Random Order

Total Products in Carousel \*

▲ Default value: 20

Visible Cells Number \*

▲ Default value: 4

Show Price \* ▼  
No

### Carousel Configuration

Automatic Sliding \* ▼  
No


Show Navigation Arrows \* ▼  
Yes

Navigation Arrows Shape \* ▼  
Rectangular

Scrolling Effect \* ▼  
Scroll

Show Add to Cart Button \* ▼  
Yes

Mousewheel Sliding \* ▼  
No

- After adding a widget, you'll see the widget icon  in place of your cursor. Once you're done with configuring the widget, hit ✔ Save Page button to save your changes.
- Congratulations! You can now see the Featured Slider on the CMS page on the front end it is added on.

## ***Adding Featured Products Slider via Widget Instance***

- Go to **CMS** → **Widgets** and press the + Add New Widget Instance button.
- Select **Orange35 Featured Slider** in the “Widget Type” dropdown and specify the “Design Package/Theme” of your front end, then hit **Continue** button.

**Widget Instance**

Settings

Back Reset

**New Widget Instance**

Settings

Type \* Orange35 Featured Slider

Design Package/Theme \* default / default

**Continue**

- Type in the name of the widget instance and select store view. In the **Layout Update** section configure the location of the slider. The example below shows how the slider can be located on the main content area of the Home Page:

Add Layout Update

Display On \* Specified Page

Remove Layout Update

Page *	Block Reference *	Template
CMS Home Page	Main Content Area	Slider + Carousel

- Next step would be configuring widget options. In the **Widget Options** tab you will see the same customization form that's available for adding the slider to a CMS page. Specify your slider preferences and hit **Save** button.

**Widget Instance**

Frontend Properties

**Widget Options**

Back Reset Save Save and Continue Edit

**New Widget Instance**

**Widget Options**

**General**

Slider Title

Style Name \* Default

Products Source \* All Products

Products Sorting \* Random Order

Total Products in Carousel \* 20

Visible Cells Number \* 4

Show Price \* No

**Slider Configuration**

Automatic Sliding \* Yes

Scrolling Delay Period \* 6

Show Short Description \* Yes

Scrolling Effect \* Scroll

**Carousel Configuration**

Automatic Sliding \* No

Show Navigation Arrows \* Yes

Navigation Arrows Shape \* Rectangular

Scrolling Effect \* Scroll

Show Add to Cart Button \* Yes

Mousewheel Sliding \* No

- Congratulations! You can now see the Featured Slider on the front end according to the specified Layout Update settings and widget options.



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### ***Featured Products Slider and Static Blocks***

Featured Products Slider can also be added inside the static blocks in a standard manner for Magento, however this functionality should only be used by people who are already familiar with layouts in Magento.

### **Bug Reporting/Feature Request**

Would like to report a bug, request a new feature or simply ask a question? Feel free to email us at [info@orange35.com](mailto:info@orange35.com) and we'll gladly assist you.