

## XOOPS 2.0.18 Released - XOOPS

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Read the full changelog for details.

Get XOOPS 2.0.18 from xoops.org: https://xoops.org/modules/core/

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**System requirements** ------ PHP Any PHP version >= 4.3 (PHP 4.2.x may work but is not officially supported) MySQL MySQL server 3.23+ Web server Any server supporting the required PHP version (Apache highly recommended) Downloading XOOPS ----- Your can get this release package from the sourceforge.net file repository. Both .zip and .gz archives are provided. Installing XOOPS ----- 1. Copy the content of the htdocs/ folder where it can be accessed by your server 2. Ensure mainfile.php, cache, templates\_c and uploads are writable by the webserver 3. Access the folder where you installed the htdocs/ files using your web browser to launch the installation wizard Upgrading from a previous version ------Upgrading from XOOPS 2.0.17.1 (easy way) 1. Get the update package from the sourceforge file repository 2. Overwrite your existing files with the new ones Upgrading from XOOPS 2.0.14/2.0.15/2.0.16/2.0.17.\* (using the full package) 1. Move the "upgrade" folder inside the "htdocs" folder (it's been kept out as it's not needed for full installs) 2. Delete htdocs/mainfile.php, htdocs/install/, htdocs/cache/, htdocs/extras/, htdocs/template\_c/, htdocs/themes/ and htdocs/uploads/ 3. Upload the content of the htdocs folder over your existing files 4. Access /upgrade/ with a browser, and follow the instructions 5. Follow the instructions to update your database 6. Delete the upgrade folder Upgrading from any XOOPS ranging from 2.0.7 to 2.0.13.2 (using the full package): 1. Move the "upgrade" folder inside the "htdocs" folder (it's been kept out as it's not needed for full installs) 2. Delete htdocs/mainfile.php, htdocs/install/, htdocs/cache/, htdocs/template\_c/, htdocs/themes/ and htdocs/uploads/ 3. Upload the content of the htdocs folder over your existing files 4. Delete the following folders and files from your server (they belong to an old version): \* class/smarty/core \*

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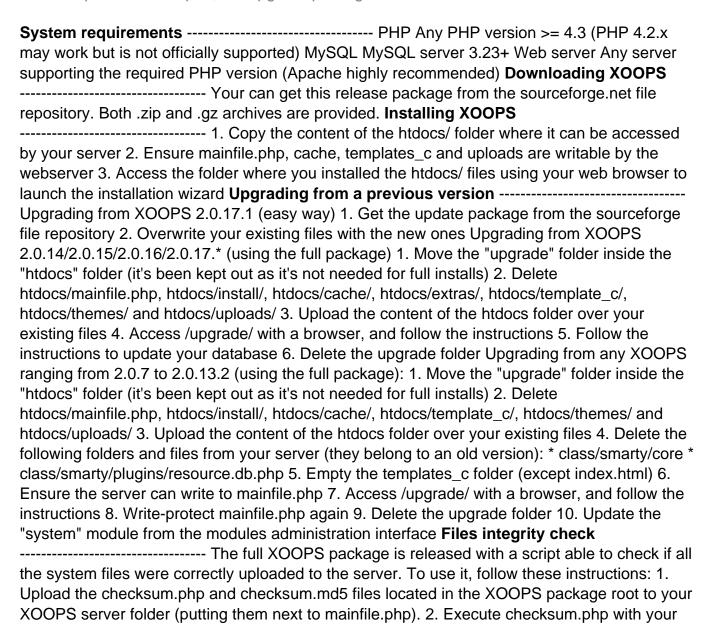
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browser 3. If necessary, re-upload the missing or corrupted system files 4. Remove checksum.php and checksum.md5 from your server NOTE: Reported by irmob, mainfile.php was included in upgrade package of xoops-2.0.17.1-to-2.0.18.tar.gz and xoops-2.0.17.1-to-2.0.18.zip, which should be removed. The upgrade packages have been corrected. We are sorry for the mistake.