

How to quickly set additional areas and slides in a theme by IXThemes - Themes

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## Variant A

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```

to

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**11.** Appoint numbers of blocks for Expanded Footer Block1 (line 26 in theme release 4.2)  
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```

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```

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