/ Flexible – Virtuemart VM2 Template – PureMart FOR VIRTUEMART 2.0.x (ONLY)

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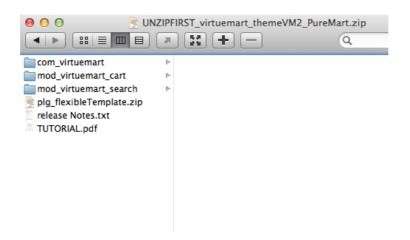
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TUTORIAL

NSTALLATION PureMart VM 2 Template (in 3 steps):

1. STEP: Explaining the files and folders.

Once you UNZIP the Installation file that you download from our server, you will get 3 folders and 3 files.



Release Notes.txt = Includes the Release History. Check the last page of this PDF to see the Release History.

Plg_flexibleTemplate.zip = is the plugin you need to install it to your joomla. (2. step)

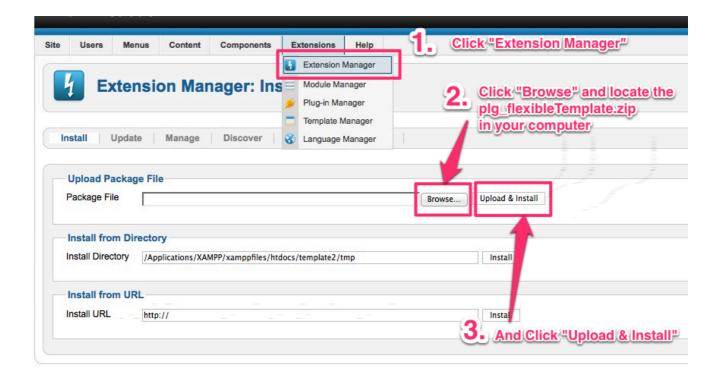
3 folders = you are going to upload them to a specific location. It will be explained in (3.step)

TUTORIAL.PDF = you are now reading it :)

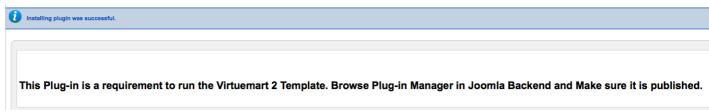
2. STEP: Installing plg_flexibleTemplate.zip Plug-in to Joomla!

You are going to install it as if you are installing any other joomla plugin/components or module. Basically through Extension Manager.

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When you see this Message, it means the plugin is installed to your Joomla!.



As it's stating there, you need to publish the Plugin.

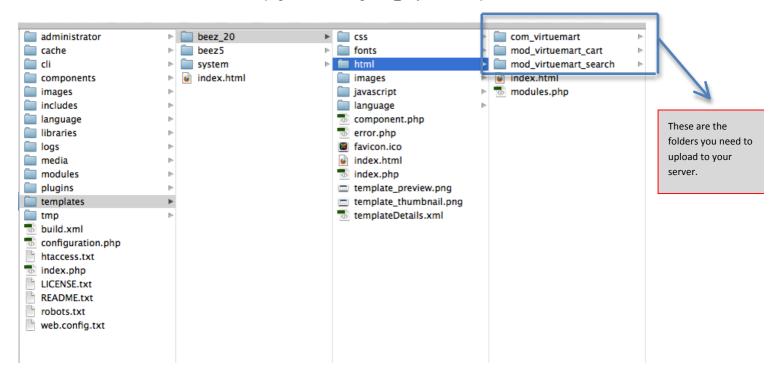


3. STEP: Copying Folders to proper location

As you remember you got 3 folders (com_virtuemart, mod_virtuemart_cart and mod_virtuemart_search). Please upload this folder to this path in your server: $joomlaRoot^1$ /templates/ $yourTemplate^2$ /html/

 $oomlaRoot^1$ = is the location where your joomla is installed. $ourTemplate^2$ = is the joomla template folder you are using currently.

lease take a look at screenshot, in our DEMO page, we are using beez_20 joomla template, and we have installed those folders to here:



QUESTION&ANSWER:

1: Under my HTML folder, there is already a folder called "com_virtuemart", what should I do.

v: Delete that folder completely, and upload our com_virtuemart instead.

1: I don't know what joomla template I am using, or I can't be sure.

v: Browse your joomla-backend panel. And click Extensions - > Template Manager



rom below screenshot, find out which joomla template you are using for "site" location.



v: You can create a new folder with the name of "HTML" manually.

The installation is done, Mission Accomplished:)

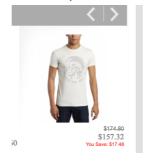
Here comes the fun Part: CONFIGURING PureMart:

ou have finished the installation already, here comes the fun part. In order to use our theme and Virtuemart itself is expected (or as you see things in our DEMO); there are some important parameters you want to configure. Since /M2 is very new concept and completely different than VM1.1.x, let me explain those important parameters with creenshots one-by one so everyone can easily understand what those are. Open the Joomla! Back-end and navigate o your Virtuemart Component, then click the "Configuration" link.



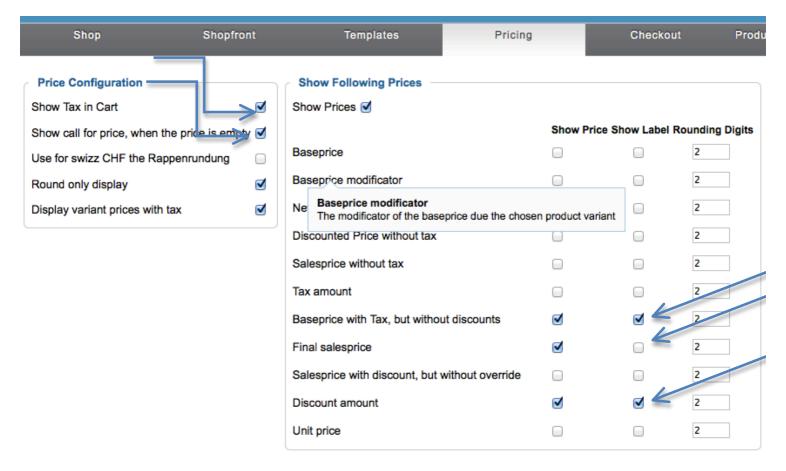
1- If you would like have the same Price layout that you see in our DEMO website: Which look those below (basically when there is discount, it overrides the old price):







Then you need to enable those pricing parameters below in your Configuration (see the screenshot below). You car select more options (such as: Tax Amount etc...), but you should **at least** choose these options below:



f you would like to change your price labels

Base price with tax/Base price without tax to "List Price",

Sales Price to "Our Price"

Discount to "You Save".

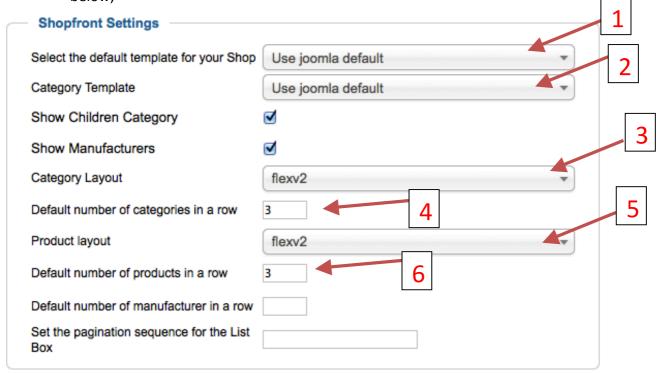
he file you need to modify is this:

ourdomain.com/language/en-GB³/en-GB.com virtuemart.ini

n-G3 is for English Virtuemarts .It will be what ever language you currently have for your Virtuemart. For example; for French, it is fr-FR

n this file; look for the text you want to change, and change the text to what you would like then you are done. This ile actually is the translation file for your Virtuemart. You can change any text you would like via this Language file. for example, you can remove the "No Additional Charge" text from this language INI file that appears in the Custom field attributes.

2- In the configuration section, click "Templates" tab from the header bar, take a look at the screenshot below;



Make sure you have the same settings as the screenshot above, which are:

- 1 Default template for your shop: Use Joomla Default
- Category Template: Use Joomla Default
 - **Category Layout:** (VM Template PureMart comes with 2 different category browse page layout versions, each version includes 3 View options: **ListView, GridView, MultiGridView**. You can change the Default View (the View option that shows off when visitor open the page) option through <u>Flexilbe VM2 Template</u> plugin. Choose any category layout version that you'd like through Virtuemart Configuration). The category layouts come with our template are:
 - a. default
 - b. flexV2

There might be some more in the dropdown list in VM Configuration but only 2 of them come with our template.

- Default Number of categories in a row: 3 (recommended value is 3, but try and see how it looks like with 2, 4 or even 5)
- Product Layout: (Choose any product details layout version that you'd like through Virtuemart Configuration). The product details page layouts come with our template are:
 - a. default
 - b. flexV2

There might be some more in the dropdown list in VM Configuration but only 2 of them come with our template.

Type of Product Description Short Description **Activate Css Styles & Javascripts** Maximum Description Length 500 Use Fancybox Media Files Settings Using the VirtueMart CSS ⋖ General components/com_virtuemart/assets/ Assets URL Using the VirtueMart jQuery ⋖ Category Media URL images/stories/virtuemart/category/ Using the product Scripts **V** Product Media images/stories/virtuemart/product/ Using the Script ajax Countries / Regions d Manufacturer images/stories/virtuemart/manufacturer/ Use jQuery chosen for dropdowns in E 🗎 Media URL Vendor Media Use external google jQuery library ⋖ images/stories/virtuemart/vendor/ URL Safe Path Thumbnail url for media to images/stories/virtuema e/resized/ Enable Dynamic Thumbnail Resizing? Thumbnail 200 Image Width Thumbnail 200 Image Height 'no image' noimage.gif image

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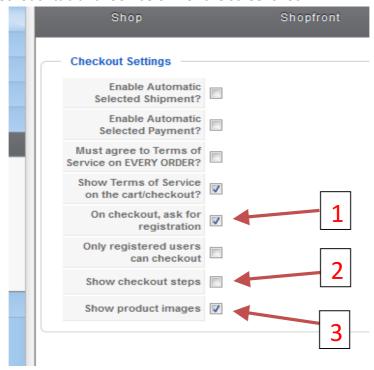
warning.png

3- We are still on "Templates" tab, scroll down the page little bit and look at the screenshot below

Make sure you have enabled the Dynamic Thumbnail Resizing option. For the best use of our template, you should set your thumbnail size 200px by 200px. Making them too large or too small values might create some weird visual bugs. If you already have uploaded pictures, you have an ongoing website and your thumbnails are larger/smaller than these values, and our template might not look cool (You should give it a try and see how it looks, first) I am afraid you should regenerate your thumbnails with 200x200 again

Regenerating thumbnail is a tough topic, because just because you change those values, it doesn't mean your thumbnails will be regenerated automatically by itself, only the pictures that you are going to upload from now on will be generate 200x200, the existing pictures must be regenerated manually. Finally, Look at the box number and make sure all you have the EXACT same settings.

4- Now, click the "Checkout" tab and look below for the screenshot:

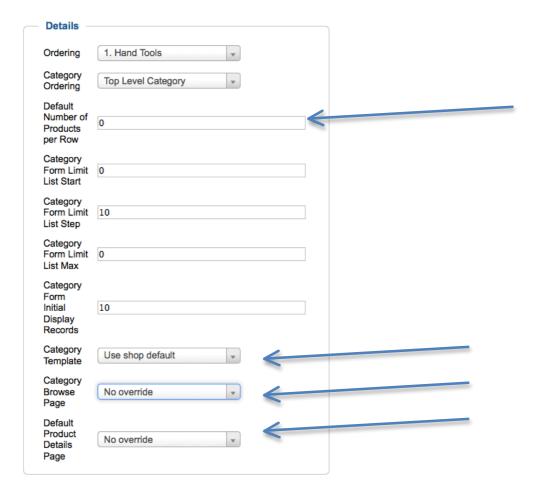


Make sure you have the same settings, which are highlighted in the screenshot above.

5- Okay, now, you change the category layout from Configuration, but some of your categories or products are tend to use some another layout than what you have chosen. There are 2 places that you should check it out for configuring Category Page and Product Detail page layouts. First; click the link that you se in the screenshot below.



Then click any category from the list (start from the first and check all of them one by one), after you click any of them, scroll down the page little bit and look at the screenshot below:



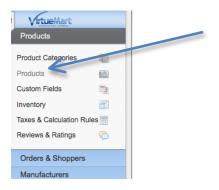
/lake sure for that particular category "Default Number of Products per Row" field is 0,

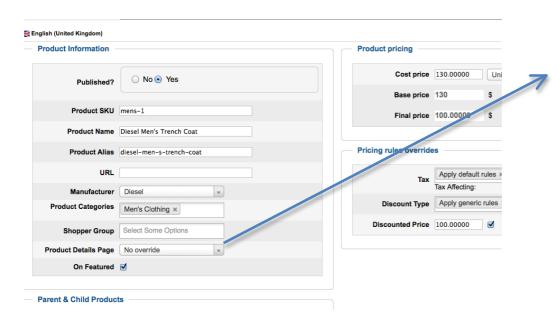
Don't get confused with the 0 (zero). If this field is 0, it means; it will be whatever number you have submitted from he configuration (which we did it in the Step#3). If it is anything rather than 0, then it will be overwritten for that particular category. Also look at the last 3 fields, and make sure they are:

1-User shop default, 2-No override, 3-No override

Also by using the above configuration, you can set a particular Category layout and Product Detail Page layout for particular categories. It is pretty usefull if you want to use a different layout for different categories, our template laready has 2 different Category and Product layout versions, you can use both of them in a single website for lifferent categories. Anyway, There is one more place that you can change Product Detail Layout (this time only product detail layout, not category layout).

Frowse your Product list; And choose one of your products from the list.





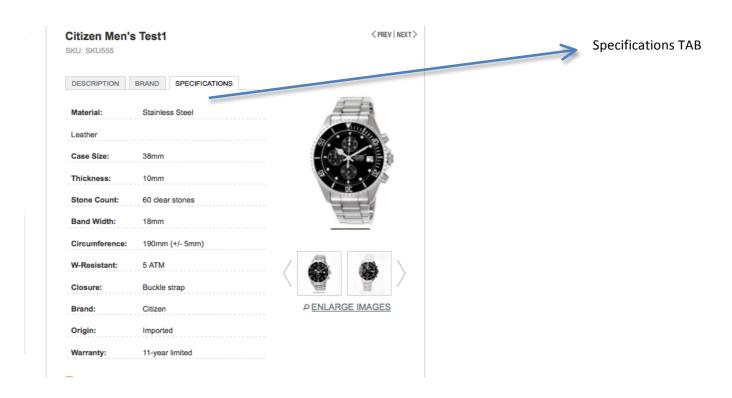
Detail page will be used for only for this particular product. So it doesn't matter, what you have chosen from configuration or categories sections. If you change this field to something rather than "no override", it means it is final and this layout will be used (of course only for this specific product).

'eople have asked this so many times, I should mention about it; The shipment icon that you see in our DEMO, that ays: 1-2 days, 24 hours, 3-5days shipping.. etc. they appear only if you select any of them. While you are in the iroduct edit page. (the screenshot above was taken from "product edit page"). Click the "Product Status" tab.

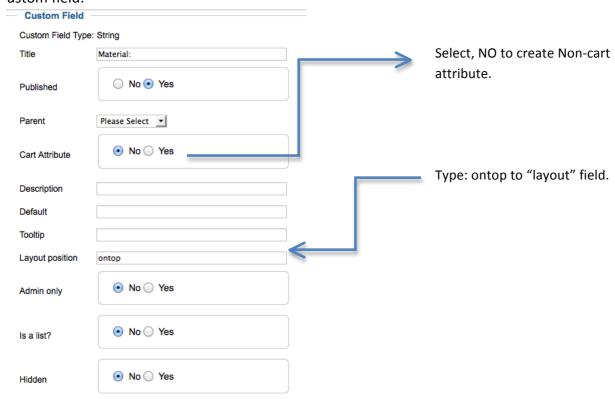


And select a Shipment Icon from this dropdown box. Than the icon will start appearing in the product detail page. (For this specific product)

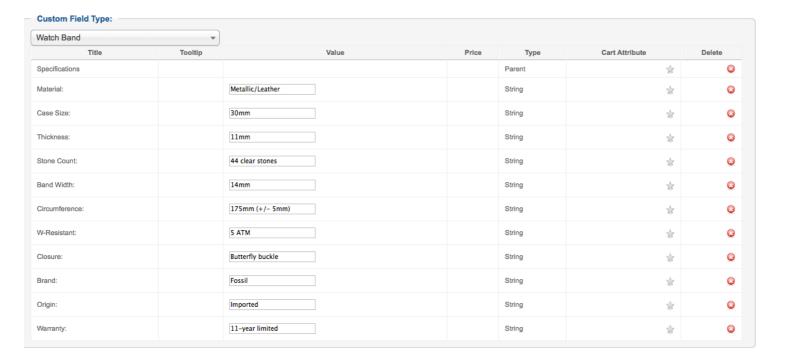
Creating SPECIFICATION TAB IN product details page



'ou should create non-cart attributes. And they will be listed as "Specifications" in the product details page. To reate Non-Cart Custom Attribute, you should submit "ontop" to "layout position" field while you are creating the ustom field:



Basically you are going to do it for all specification parameters you are going to create (materials, warranty etc..). Then browse any product, add those custom fields and submit values for them.



'ou don't need to do anything for Checkout steps/shopping cart and virtuemart login page design, They will be hanged by itself.

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