



WPtouch 1.9.x Installation Guide

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Introduction

WPtouch is a WordPress plugin that automatically enables a simple and elegant mobile theme for mobile visitors of your WordPress website. The mobile theme is complete with AJAX loading articles and smooth effects when viewed from popular touch mobile devices like the iPhone, iPod touch, Android mobile phones, BlackBerry OS6+ mobile devices, and more.

WPtouch Admin Panel

The administration panel allows you to customize many aspects of its appearance, and deliver a fast, user-friendly and stylish version of your site to your mobile visitors, without modifying a single bit of code (or affecting) your regular desktop theme.

The screenshot shows the 'General Settings' page for the WPtouch plugin. The page is divided into two columns. The left column contains several sections with descriptive text and links:

- Regionalization Settings:** Select the language for WPtouch. Custom .mo files should be placed in wp-content/wptouch/lang.
- Home Page Re-Direction:** WPtouch by default follows your WordPress » Reading Options.
- Site Title:** You can change your site title (if needed) in WPtouch.
- Excluded Categories, Tags:** Categories and/or Tags by ID you want excluded everywhere in WPtouch.
- Text Justification Options:** Set the alignment for text.
- Post Listings Options:** Choose between calendar icons, post thumbnails (WP 2.9) or none for your post listings. Select which meta items are shown below titles on main, search, & archives pages.
- Footer Message:** Customize the default footer message shown in WPtouch here.

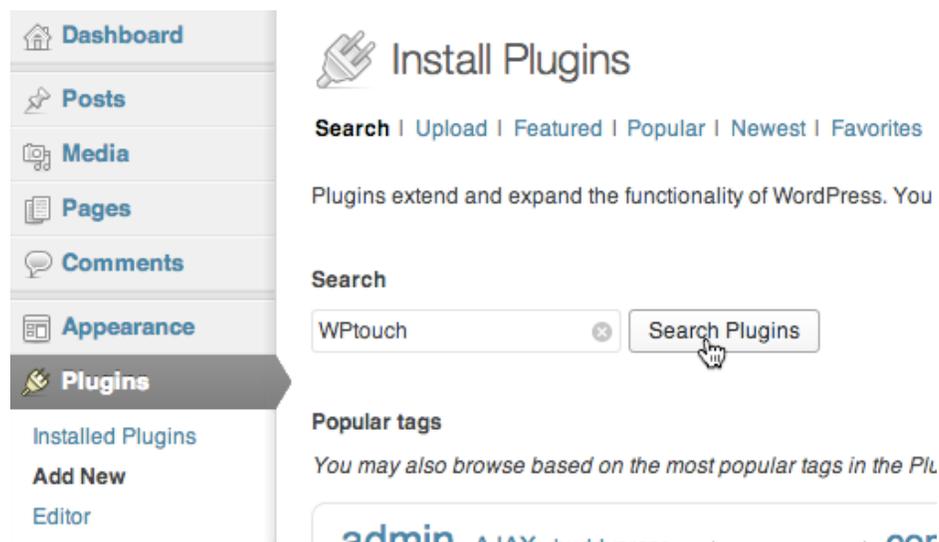
The right column contains the configuration options:

- WPtouch Language:** A dropdown menu set to 'Automatically detected'.
- WPtouch Home Page:** A dropdown menu set to 'WordPress Settings'.
- Site title text:** A text input field containing 'WPtouch'.
- Comma list of Category IDs, eg: 1,2,3:** An empty text input field.
- Comma list of Tag IDs, eg: 1,2,3:** An empty text input field.
- Font justification:** A dropdown menu set to 'Left'.
- Post Listings Display (Thumbnails Requires WordPress 2.9+):** A dropdown menu set to 'Calendar Icons'.
- Enable Truncated Titles (Will use ellipses when titles are too long instead of wrapping them):**
- Show Author's Name:**
- Show Categories:**
- Show Tags:**
- Hide Excerpts:**
- Footer message:** A text input field containing 'All content Copyright'.

Installing WPtouch

INSTALLING THE PLUGIN

You can install WPtouch directly from the WordPress Dashboard! Visit the *Plugins* -> *Add New* page and search for 'WPtouch'.



On the results page, click “Install Now”. When the plugin has finished downloading, click “Activate Now” to activate it on your WordPress website.



Once installed and activated visit the WPtouch admin page (*Settings > WPtouch*) to customize your WPtouch installation's appearance.

Troubleshooting

CACHE PLUGINS

Caching software is used to improve the performance of your website. Unless the caching software has been specifically developed for use with mobile devices, it may override WPtouch Pro and give the appearance that your mobile theme is not functioning. You may see:

- ★ Cached posts and pages using your desktop theme on mobile devices, and/or
- ★ Cached posts and pages using your mobile theme on desktop devices.
- ★ Inconsistency of theme when your site is refreshed.

Fortunately, most caching plugins and services may be optimized for mobile use by disabling caching when mobile devices are detected.

WP Super Cache

WP Super Cache includes support for WPtouch. Go to the "Plugins" tab in the WPSC admin panel and enable WPtouch support. Update the settings.

W3 Total Cache

1. Go to the “Page Cache” settings under the Performance tab.
Copy the list of mobile user agents found in our list of user agents below.

AdsBot-Google
Android
BB10
BlackBerry 9350
BlackBerry 9360
BlackBerry 9370
BlackBerry 9380
BlackBerry 9780
BlackBerry 9790
BlackBerry 9800
BlackBerry 9810
BlackBerry 9850
BlackBerry 9860
BlackBerry 9900
BlackBerry 9930
BlackBerry9500
BlackBerry9520
BlackBerry9530
BlackBerry9550
CUPCAKE
Googlebot-Mobile
bada
dream
froyo
iPhone
iPod
incognito
s8000
webOS
webmate

2. Scroll down to the “Rejected User Agents” field and paste the list of WPtouch default user agents, adding one per line.
3. Save your changes.
4. Go to the “Minify” settings under the Performance tab.
5. Scroll down to the “Rejected User Agents” field and paste the list of WPtouch default user agents, adding one per line.
6. Save your changes.
7. Go to the “CDN” settings under the Performance tab.
8. Scroll down to the “Rejected User Agents” field and paste the list of WPtouch default user agents, adding one per line.

9. Save your changes.

10. Finally, go to the “General Settings” under the Performance tab and select “Empty All Caches”.

OTHER CACHE PLUGINS OR SERVICES

In general, caching may be disabled for mobile devices by instructing the plugin or service not to cache pages nor serve cached pages when devices on the WPtouch list of mobile user agents are encountered. If there is no “rejected user agents” area or similar, contact the plugin’s developer or the service’s support department for assistance.

RESTRICTED MODE

WPtouch Restricted Mode attempts to fix issues where other plugins load scripts which interfere with WPtouch CSS and JavaScript. Enable Restricted Mode when there are problematic plugins interfering with WPtouch.

Restricted Mode can be found in the WPtouch admin panel in *Advanced Options > Advanced Settings*.

Getting Help

Login to the free WordPress.org forums for community support.

WPtouch Pro 3

With all-new themes, an intuitive admin panel and great one-to-one ticketing support, it's the best WPtouch yet!

For more information visit the WPtouch Pro 3 Product Page - <http://www.bravenewcode.com/wptouch>.