

# BlogMate – Installation & Configuration

Magik BlogMate is a most powerful Magento extension which helps inform your customers about whatever you want – news, discounts, sales, new products, events etc. Blog is a good instrument for everybody to get closer to each other, and so does your business. It keeps you acknowledge of what clients are thinking about your products, and service. Magik BlogMate is designed to be very easy to use. Magento BlogMate is easy, robust and SEO friendly, it also helps you create more and more SEO pages explain details about your store in an easy way. You can manage categories and blog groups professionally using Magento BlogMate extension. The Blog extension gives you a noteworthy opportunity to communicate with your regular customers and casual visitors. With Blog you can create an interactive two-way communication platform to provide official information on your store news, upcoming products, promotions, and get customer's feedback.

## Features:

1. Supports SEO friendly URL, good for SEO.
2. Native Magento WYSIWYG editor
3. Tags added
4. Ability to create 3 level categories.
5. Possibility to disable comments for some post
6. Settings menu shortcut
7. Supports multi stores, multi language.
8. Supports easy category creation from back end.
9. Supports Meta keywords and Meta description for blog home page, category pages and blog detail pages.
10. Manage number of recent post displayed in sidebar.
11. Display frontend category tree structure.
12. Supports SEO friendly breadcrumbs for enhanced navigation.
13. Allow admin to customize blog design and CSS using editor.

## Installation Instructions:

**Step 1:** Upload BlogMate extension at the correct path. You will find the path information along with the extension release.

**Step 2:** Add the following line of code to display Blog's link on your site

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<a href="<?php echo Mage::helper('core/url')->getHomeUrl().'Blog/';?>">Blog</a>
```

**Step 3:** Once all the files, folders are copied to the appropriate directory just log into your store's admin panel. You will see a new Tab "**BlogMate**" in Admin bar.

Following are the screenshots of our demo server -

After Installation login to your Admin Panel and click **Blog Settings** menu under BlogMate tab to save global blog configuration settings, following screen will be displayed

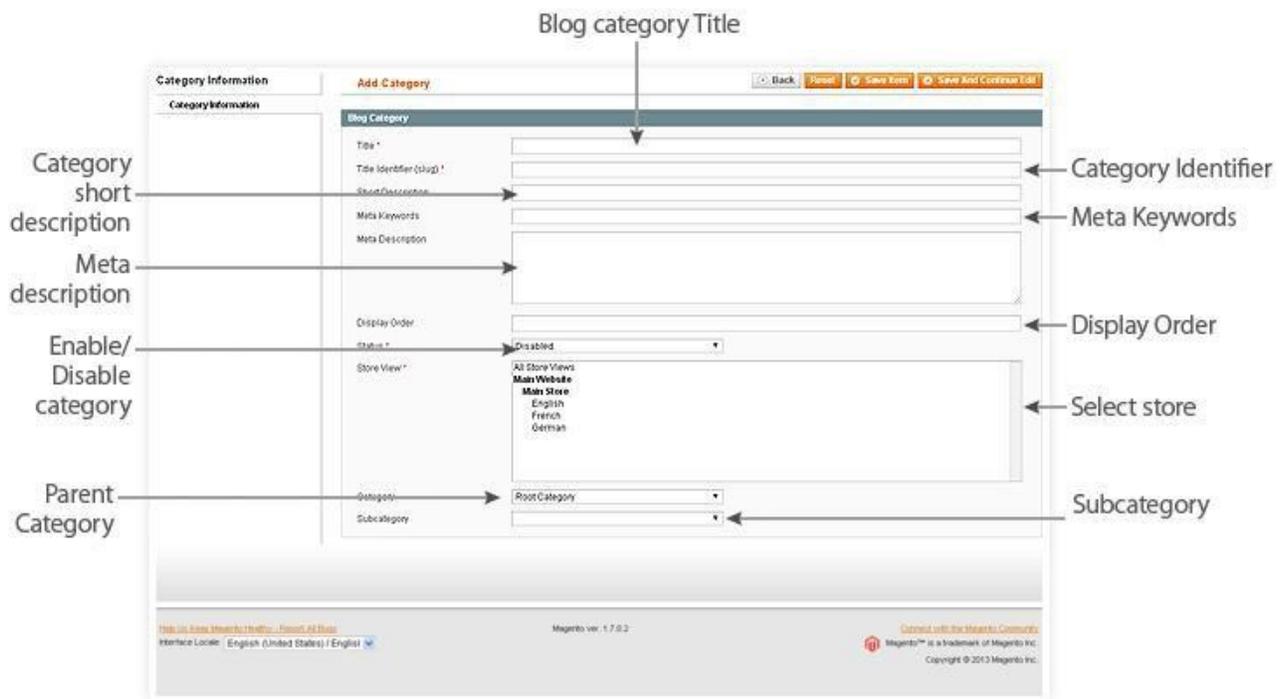
The screenshot displays the 'Blog Setting' configuration page in the Magento Admin Panel. The page is divided into two main sections: 'Blog Setting' and 'Comment Setting'. A 'Save Config' button is located in the top right corner. The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with 'Blog' selected under the 'BlogMate' tab. Annotations with arrows point to various settings:

- Page Title:** An annotation points to the 'Page Title' field, which contains the text 'Magickommette blog meta store = Blog title on blog page'.
- Meta Keywords:** An annotation points to the 'Meta Keywords' field, which contains 'magickommette, blog, posts, magento extension'.
- Meta Description:** An annotation points to the 'Meta Description' field, which contains 'magickommette meta description magento extension, blog post'.
- Number of recent post:** An annotation points to the 'Number of recent posts to display' field, which is set to '10'.
- Enable/Disable Login requirement:** An annotation points to the 'Login Required to Comment' field, which is set to 'No'.
- Enable/Disable Breadcrumbs on blog pages:** An annotation points to the 'Show Breadcrumbs' field, which is set to 'Yes'.
- Enable/Disable comments on post:** An annotation points to the 'Enable Comments' field, which is set to 'Yes'.
- Enable/Disable Auto approve comments:** An annotation points to the 'Auto Approve Comments' field, which is set to 'No'.

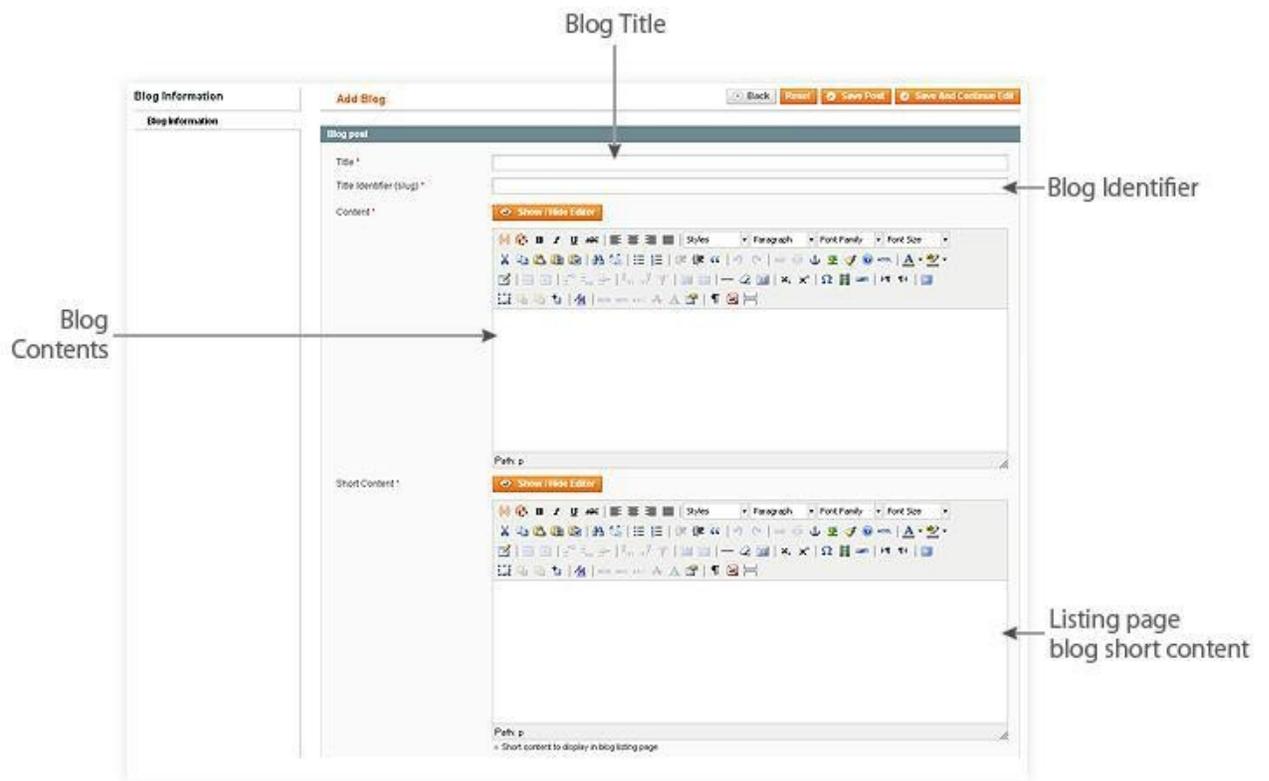
The 'Comment Setting' section includes the following fields:

- Enable Comments:** Set to 'Yes'.
- Login Required to Comment:** Set to 'No'.
- Auto Approve Comments:** Set to 'No'.
- Logged in Auto Approve Comments:** Set to 'No'.

Click on **Add New Category** button in Manage Category under BlogMate menu tab to add new category following screen will be displayed. We can create subcategory or sub-sub category just like 3 level categories tree structure.



Click **Add New Post** button in Manage Blog under BlogMate menu tab to add new blog post , following screen will be displayed.



Click on any comment in Manage Comment under BlogMate menu tab to edit that , following screen will be displayed.



Following are screenshots at frontend of website.

Home blog list page

The screenshot displays the frontend of the magikdicento website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the site logo, a search bar, and links for 'My Account', 'Wishlist', and 'Log In'. A shopping cart icon shows '0 item'. Below the navigation bar, there are category tabs for 'FURNITURE', 'ELECTRONICS', 'APPAREL', and 'CUSTOM BLOCK'. The main content area is titled 'Home Page - Blog' and shows '3 Item(s)' with a 'Show 5 per page' dropdown. The featured article is 'SEOSpace Ultimate Magento SEO Extension', which includes a product image and a detailed description of the extension's features. A 'RECENT POSTS' sidebar lists other articles, and a 'CATEGORIES' sidebar lists 'General Category', 'Payment Category', and 'New category'.

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Default welcome msg! My Account | Wishlist | Log In

Search entire store here... SEARCH

Shopping Cart 0 item

FURNITURE ELECTRONICS APPAREL CUSTOM BLOCK

Home Page - Blog

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Blog detail page

The screenshot shows a Magento storefront with a blog article. The header includes the 'magikdicento' logo, a search bar, and navigation links for 'My Account', 'Wishlist', and 'Log In'. A shopping cart icon shows '0 item'. Below the header is a category menu with 'FURNITURE', 'ELECTRONICS', 'APPAREL', and 'CUSTOM BLOCK'. The breadcrumb trail reads 'Home Page > Blog > SEOSpace Ultimate Magento SEO Extension'. The main content area features the article title 'SEOSpace Ultimate Magento SEO Extension', a short introductory paragraph, a 'SEOSpace Magento SEO Extension Feature List' section with a numbered list of 7 features, and a 'Titles & Meta Description' section. A right-hand sidebar contains 'RECENT POSTS' and 'CATEGORIES' sections. The 'RECENT POSTS' section lists three articles: 'SEOSpace Ultimate Magento SEO Extension', 'How To Test If Your Magento Store Is Responsive & Device Ready', and 'Does Your Magento Extension Meet the New Quality Control Requirements?'. The 'CATEGORIES' section lists 'General Category', 'Payment Category', and 'New category'.

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3. Facebook Open Graph Support
4. Verification & Tracking Code
5. HTML Sitemap
6. XML Sitemap
7. Robots Meta

#### Titles & Meta Description

SEOSpace Magento SEO let's you set templates for titles and meta descriptions for all types of pages, so you could come up with a template and not have to think about it. Now, you have the power to optimize your Magento SEO the way you want. Moreover, you can set the product or CMS titles, description or

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Blog's all questions of selected category.

Category blog list page

The screenshot shows a Magento storefront for 'magikdicento'. At the top, there are navigation links for 'My Account', 'Wishlist', and 'Log In', along with a 'Shopping Cart' icon showing 0 items. A search bar is present with the text 'Search entire store here...'. Below the search bar, there are category tabs for 'FURNITURE', 'ELECTRONICS', 'APPAREL', and 'CUSTOM BLOCK'. The main content area is titled 'Home Page - Blog' and shows '3 Item(s)' with a 'Show 5 per page' dropdown. The first item is 'SEOSpace Ultimate Magento SEO Extension', which includes a product image and a detailed description. To the right, there are sections for 'RECENT POSTS' and 'CATEGORIES'.

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## **Product Support Policy**

Free support period for one Product totals 6 months starting from the purchase date of the Product. The term of free support can be prolonged when a Product update is purchased by confirming and paying extra for prolonged support.

Support team shall provide to Customer, without additional charge, all reasonably necessary written consultation requested in connection with use and operation of the Product or any problems therewith, within above-stated period of time.

Free support does not include achieving compatibility with third party solutions and is not provided if the Product has been customized. In cases when extraordinary support efforts will be required Customer will be offered paid support services. Contact us for paid support services.

Support team preserves the right to ignore any appeals or requests, not falling under the present conditions. All information, acquired from Magik support team is advisory only and shall not create any warranty for Magik.

## **Service Level Agreement**

Magik will provide support services via email ([magik@betterlabs.net](mailto:magik@betterlabs.net))

## **Product Updates**

Magik will timely release the information about new updates. It is Customer's responsibility to check for updates availability. Customer can claim updates via Support department.

All updates can be used only as a replacement of a previously purchased Product, not as a separate copy of a Product.

Magik reserves the right to determine which products will be updated and when. Magik reserves the right to discontinue product updates (if necessary).

Updates shall be available to the Customer free of charge for 6 months from the original purchase date. After that an update would cost 75% of the current product price.

Customer is not obliged to purchase updates every 6 months. The decision about whether to purchase an update and when is solely customer's right. Customer can continue using the Product after 6 months from the original purchase date and can contact Magik for paid support services.

## **Refunds**

Customer may demand a refund for any Magik product within a 30-day period from the date of purchase. Any clarification of Customer's refund claim within the 30-days period is optional.

Refund requests submitted after the expiration of the 30 days period shall not be accepted. Refunds of money charged for custom installation service shall not be issued.

Magik considers its Product refunded when the money has been withdrawn from its account. If no notification of non-acceptance has been received from client within 10 bank days, product is treated as refunded. The Customer is obliged to uninstall the product before requesting the refund and terminate all its copies and derivatives within the 5 bank days starting from the day of initiation of money refund process.

Magik is not responsible for any damages neither with Magento running, nor with business profits or information occurring due to enforced manual deleting of refunded Product or its derivatives.

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Magik Products are not stand-alone solutions and require Magento to be installed primarily with a valid Magento License. Magik does not guarantee for its Product to operate correctly on any Magento solution, either modified or non- modified.

Magik does not bear any responsibility for damages or incorrect running of the Magento solution, occurred due to installation or utilizing of Module. Magik disclaims any accountability for content of a site on which the Product is installed. Magik is not liable to Customer or any third party for any damages including, but not limited to, loss of business or business profits, loss of business information due to using Magik Products. By accepting this License Agreement Customer acknowledges to use the Product at own risk and has clear understanding of responsibility for any damage to own computer system and data.

## **Changes in Conditions**

Magik reserves the right to modify these agreement terms at any time. It is solely Customer's responsibility to inquire about any changes made to the present Agreement.