Download key and updates

Phoca Download Source receives updates through the official Joomla update mechanism. To allow your website to fetch them, enter your personal download key once.

Entering the download key

1. Create your download key in your customer account on graup-it.de (menu item *Download IDs*). One key applies per website and covers all extensions obtained through it.
2. In the backend, open *System → Update → Update Sites*.
3. Open the entry *Phoca Download Source Updates* and enter the key into the field *Download Key*.
4. Save.

> Make sure to paste the key **without leading or trailing spaces**. A space copied along with it makes the update fail with an error message ("URL rejected" or "Package download failed").

Installing updates

1. Open *System → Update → Extensions*.
2. If a new version is available, Phoca Download Source appears in the list. Select it and click *Update*.
3. Joomla downloads the package using your download key, verifies the checksum and installs the new version. Your settings and your builder layouts are preserved.

If Joomla finds no update although a new version exists, click *Check for Updates* first to refresh the cache.

The manual route

You can also install any version by hand: download the ZIP and install it via *System → Install → Extensions*, just like the first installation. An update through the package overwrites the existing

installation and keeps your settings.

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