

# Update MetaFox

MetaFox site can be updated easily and quickly in 2 ways:

- Update in AdminCP
- Update manually

Before updating MetaFox site, please create full backup first so you can restore your site if having any problems during the Product Update process. MetaFox already supports **Backup** feature in **AdminCP > Maintenance > Backup**

Assume that you already back up your site successfully. Now, we can go ahead to update MetaFox site.

## Update in AdminCP

In AdminCP > Site status, there will be a Update link if new version is available for your site to upgrade.

The screenshot shows the MetaFox AdminCP Dashboard. The left sidebar contains navigation links: Dashboard, Apps, App Settings, Localization, Appearances, Members, Settings, Maintenance, and Toggle Editor. The main content area includes a 'Welcome back, Social Network' header with a line graph showing user activity from June 01 to June 19. Below the graph are five summary cards: Users (1), Photo Albums (0), Photos (0), Status Posts (0), and Blogs (0). The 'In-Depth Statistics' section on the right shows site statistics (Online Users: 1, Pending Approve Users: 0) and app statistics (Pending: 0, Today: 0). The 'Site Status' box at the bottom right highlights the current status: License Status: Active, Support expires on January 29, 2024, Site Version: 5.1.1, and Latest version: 5.1.2 with an 'Upgrade' link.

Click on the Update link to go to the **Update Wizard**

The screenshot shows the MetaFox AdminCP Upgrade Wizard. The left sidebar is the same as the dashboard. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard » Apps' and includes tabs for 'Installed', 'Uploaded', 'Purchased', and 'App Store'. The 'Upgrade Wizard' section shows a progress bar with four steps: 1. Prepare Backup, 2. Applications, 3. Process Upgrade, and 4. Done. The 'Prepare Backup' step is active, displaying a 'Notice about backup before upgrade.' with a 'Backup' link and a 'Continue' button.

Assume to you have created backup, click the **Continue** button to move to the next step to select apps to update

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Upgrade Wizard

1 Prepare Backup

2 Applications

☒ All

☒ Activity Pointsv5.0.6

☒ Advertisev5.0.2

☒ Announcementv5.0.6

☒ Blogs v5.0.6

☒ Captcha v5.0.6

☒ Chat v5.0.6

☒ ChatPlus v5.0.6

☒ Comments v5.0.6

In the **Application** step, you can select apps you would like to upgrade along with MetaFox Core at this time. Select All to update all apps. Then click the **Continue** button to start updating

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1 Prepare Backup

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3 Process Upgrade

Download MetaFox-v5.1.2

✓

Download Activity Points - v5.0.6

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Download Advertise - v5.0.2

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Download Announcement - v5.0.6

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New MetaFox package and apps will be downloaded and updated on your site. It will take a few minutes to complete the updating.

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✓ Applications

✓ Process Upgrade

4 Done

Upgrade Completed

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Your MetaFox is installed successfully.  
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## Update manually

In this way, you will need to download the latest MetaFox package in Client Area and upload source on your server.

Then, go to the MetaFox Installation Wizard at URL: ***yourdomain.com/install/*** to start updating MetaFox. *Note: you need to replace the yourdomain.com with the actual domain of your MetaFox site.*

At the 1st **Prepare** step, you are recommended to back up your site before proceeding the Product Update.

**Prepare**

Upgrade

Done

## Prepare for upgrading

Before upgrading please [backup your site](#).

If you encounter any problems with the upgrading, please feel free to [contact us](#).

**Continue**

Once your MetaFox is backed up, you can click on **Continue** button to start updating the MetaFox site.

Prepare	Verify License	✓
<b>Upgrade</b>	Down site	✓
Done	Update Dependencies	<div><div></div></div>
	Upgrade	
	Clean Cache	
	Rebuild frontend	
	Waiting for frontend	
	Clean files	
	Launch Site	

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After the Product Update process will automatically go through all the necessary steps to upgrade your site and rebuild the frontend (web). The site will be inaccessible during the Product Update process and launched after completed.

## Your Site Up To Date

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