

Testimonial Module for ECWZ ASP Cart v1.x

Thank you for purchasing the Testimonial module v1.x for ECWZ Classic ASP Cart.

Testimonial Module is a module that allows internet visitors to submit their testimonials regarding their experiences while doing business with your online store. This module allows newly submitted testimonials to be moderated by the store operators or auto-approved after each submission.

This documentation contains installation instruction and Operational manual for you to install and operate with the Testimonial module.

Note: By default, all newly submitted testimonials will need to be approved prior to public viewing. This setting can be changed under the Add-on Module section for the testimonial module. Just set the "Auto Approve" to "Yes" and newly submit testimonials will immediately approved upon submission. In the admin section, store operators will also be able to edit the content of the testimonials submitted by internet visitors.

Installation Instruction:

1. Unzip the Testimonial v1.x.zip and upload the unzipped files to the web server.

After you have downloaded the Testimonial v1.x.zip file from ECWZ.net, you will need to unzip this set of files into your local hard-drive. Here are the folder lists after the decompression of the zip file:

- a. /admin
- b. /images
- c. /store
- d. /template

Upload all the contents to the root of your site using any protocol you want (we recommend FTP protocol here). If you plan to put your store under your domain <http://www.mystore.com>, then you must upload all the files into the web root folder of mystore.com.

Note: If you have purchased any of the skin template set, then the skin template set should include the skin files for this module already. If your skin file set does not include files for this module, contact us at ECWZ.NET and we will email you a set of the files for the skins you have purchased.

2. Executing the sql.txt file to install the module into your store.

After uploading files into your web root, you need to execute the SQL statements in the sql.txt file in order to install the modules into your online store. You can use any text editor to open the SQL.txt file and execute those statements with any kind of database management tool. Keep in mind that some DB Management tool might have problem executing the “GO” keyword. If that’s the case, you might have to execute these statements one by one.

3. Recreate your language profile.

After you run the SQL statements, there will be new entries for the language text stored into your textlayertbl table. In order for your online store to load these new languages text, you will need to log into the back-end admin of your store -> Store Configuration -> Edit Language -> and click on the Process button to recreate the text layer file (Feel free to edit the text information for this module).

4. Back-end Configuration for Testimonial module.

4-1. module_testimonial.asp

a. List Mode: When list mode is set to on, this module will show up under the middle section of the left navigation (information navigation.). When it is set to off, it will now show up under the left navigation. However, you can create hyperlink through out your online store and link visitors to your testimonial page (use the URL listed at the URL section of this page).

b. Auto Approve: When this control is set to “Yes”, all testimonials submitted will be auto approved and displayed in the testimonial page at the store-front. If this control is set to “No”, the all the testimonials will need to be approved in the management section before they can be viewed by public.

c. Testimonial Management: By click on the Go button, you will be redirected to the Testimonial management page.

d. URL: This is the URL you want to use to create hyperlink through your online stores and allow them to redirect users to your testimonial page.

4-2. listtestimonial.asp

For listtestimonial.asp, it lists the all testimonials you currently have in your system. You will be able to see the testimonial date, name of the person who submitted the testimonials, testimonial subjects, and testimonial status. You will have the option to delete or edit the existing testimonials.

Note: You cannot add testimonials from the admin back-end section. All testimonials need to be submitted from the store-front page.

4-3. edittestimonial.asp

In edittestimonial.asp, at this page, you will be able to delete/edit/approve testimonial's for your testimonial list.

a. Testimonial ID: This is just the numerical ID for the testimonials. Your customers will not see this value.

b. Status: When the status is set to "Approved", this testimonial will be viewable by the general public on your online store. When it is set to "Pending", it will be removed from the store-front section.

c. First Name: This is the first name of the person who submitted this testimonial.

d. Last Initial: This field stores the last name initial for the person who submitted this testimonial. Due to privacy reason, this version of testimonial does not allow submitters to submit their full last name. If you wish to include the last name for the testimonial submitters, feel free to contact ECWZ, Inc at ecwz.net. When we receive enough requests, then we will make design change for this testimonial module.

e. Subject: This is the subject of the testimonial. This field is viewable by the general public.

f. Submission Date: This field stores the submission date of the testimonials. Keep in mind that testimonials will be sorted from the latest submitted testimonials to the earliest submitted testimonials.

g. Testimonial Content: This field stores the content of the testimonials.

5. Store-Front Files

5-1. testimonial.asp: This is the store front page for list of testimonials. For this version of testimonials, all testimonials will be listed under the same page.

5-2. addtestimonial.asp: This is the page for online visitors to submit their testimonials.

6. License Information.

For any questions in regards to the open-source license of this module, please contact ECWZ.NET for the licensing information.

7. Support Issue

For any support request/issue, please visit ECWZ, Inc's support page at <http://www.ecwz.net/corporate/support.asp>