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Chapter 1 Introduction

About this manual

This manual has been written to help users of Xway integrate Vibracart Pro in their projects. It is not meant to replace the main Vibracart Pro Manual but really to explain Xway specific points and get you started quicker. We assume that you have installed Vibracart Pro on your server already and that it is working properly. If you need any help with installation please let us know.

As Vibracart Pro uses PHP and Mysql you won't be able to test the functionality within Xway so you must publish your site to test the pages.

We have written this manual based on Xway version 1.0 but other versions should have similar settings.

Chapter 2 Quick Start

If you have not done so yet please install Vibracart Pro and setup your payment processor(s) as needed. The mail manual explains how to do that.

*** Very Important ***

When you upload your site from Xway it will delete any existing files and folders from your server to keep things tidy. To ensure that Xway doesn't delete the vibracartpro and related folders you must add each of the following four entries to the Don't Delete section of the Upload dialog. Click the Upload... in the File menu to access that.

```
vibracartpro
vccartimages
Regex("^vcproducts_.*")
Regex("^vcbackups .*")
```

It should look something like this.



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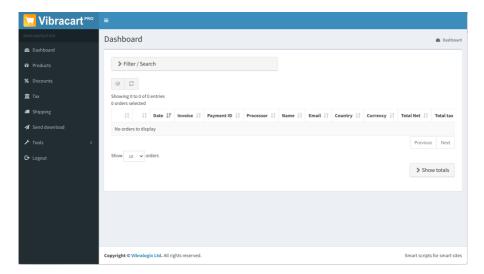
Before using Vibracart Pro for the first time we should configure some basic details such as your email address etc. In this section we will set things for a quick start. You can add extra features later on.

Login to the Vibracart Pro control panel at

https://www.yoursite.com/vibracartpro/

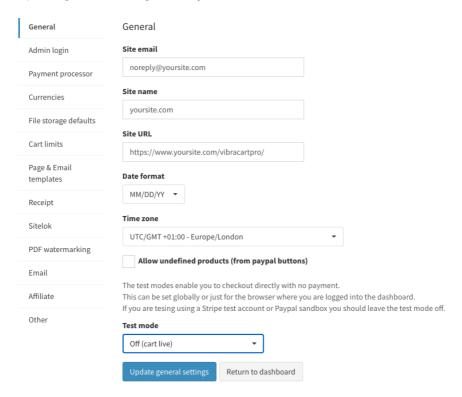
Username: admin Password: letmein

You should see the main dashboard appear. This shows all orders (payments) that have been received.



General settings

Click Tools - Configuration in the menu. In the General section you can set you site details, date format (for the control panel) and your timezone. Click Update general settings when you are finished.



Login settings

Click the Admin login tab and change the password as required.

Currencies

Click Currencies and select the currency(s) you want to sell with.

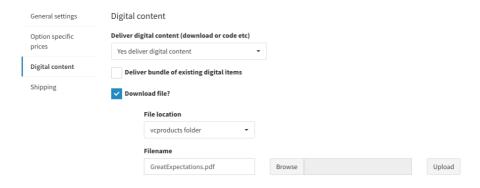
Add a product

Click Products in the main menu and then click the + icon to add a new product.

Enter a unique Product id and the product Description along with the base price of the product. Leave the other fields blank for now in the General tab.

If your product is a download click the Digital content tab and select Yes deliver digital content in the drop down menu.

Click the browse button and find the file you want to deliver. Click Upload. If the file is too large to upload you can manually upload to the vcproducts_xxxxxx folder on your server. Vibracart Pro also supports storing files in Amazon S3 and other services which we will look at later.



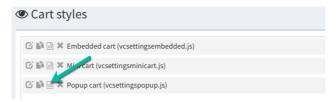
If you would like to use the optional Storefront page option then click the Storefront /Product page tab and enter the Storefront description for the product.

Click Create Product to save the settings.

Add the cart to your page

We will now add the popup cart to your page so that we can finally see everything in action.

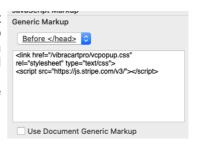
Click Tools - Cart styles in the main menu. Then click the Code snippets icon next to Popup cart.



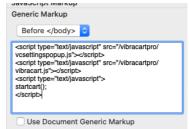
You will now see the two code snippets you need to add to your page so that it can use the cart.

These snippets should be added to each page where you want to use the cart. To make things easier you can add them to a Master Page.

1) Click Copy to clipboard for the first snippet on the page. This needs to go in the Head section of the page. In Xway open the Page Inspector and expand the Generic Markup section. Select Before </head> and paste the snippet in the box.

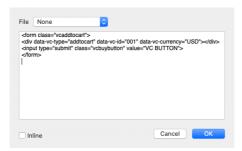


2) Click Copy to clipboard for the second snippet on the page. This needs to go at the bottom of the page. In Xway open the Page Inspector and expand the Generic Markup section. Select Before </body> and paste the snippet in the box.



Add a button to the page

Now we just need to add the Add to Cart button for your new product to the page. To do this return to Products in the main menu and click the Code snippets icon next to your product. This will display a number of different snippets you can use but for now click the Copy to clipboard under the first snippet. You will add this where you want the add to cart button to appear on your page. In Xway select the area where you want to add the button and then from the Insert Menu click Markup. Paste the snippet in the box and click OK.



Testing the cart

You must publish to your server to test the cart.

If you have used a Paypal sandbox account or a Stripe test account you can test the cart 'live'. For Stripe you can use the card number 4242 4242 4242 any any expiry date and CSV.

If you have setup with live accounts you can test with a real card or another Paypal account. However this is messy so we have built in a test mode in Vibracart Pro. You can enable this in Tools - Configuration - General settings. Set the Test mode to Test mode (global) and click Update general settings.

Open the page you added the cart to in a browser and click the add to cart button. If all is well you should see the popup cart. If not then check the code snippets added to the page or contact us for support.

Click checkout in the cart and you will either see the payment processor checkout page or if using he test mode you should see the default thank you page. If your product is a download you should see the download link as well. An email should also be sent to you.

Click the link to view the receipt. For test mode transactions dummy data is used.

Making a store front page

The optional storefront page can be used to present your products on your site. Users can search and sort the products and see them in a grid. To create a storefront page add the cart to the page exactly as you did on the previous page (Add the cart to your page) and where you would like the storefront to appear click Markup in the Xway Insert menu and paste in this snippet

```
<div id="vcstore_storefront" data-vc-currency="USD"></div>
```

This snippet can be found at Tools - Cart styles then click the Code snippets icon next to Popup cart.

Using your own thank you page

By default the thank you page displayed after payment is a simple page using defaultthankyou.html. Its best not to modify that but instead use your own page.

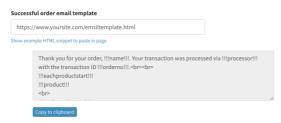
- Create a page on your site leaving room for the download product data to be entered.
- Click Tools Configuration in the main menu and click the Page & Email templates tab. Paste the full URL to your page in the field labelled Successful order page.
- 3) Click the link Show example HTML snippet under the field and copy the snippet to the clipboard, Paste the HTML in to your page where you want to insert the order info. In Xway you would add a Markup object from the Insert Menu to do this.



Using your own email template

By default the email sent to the buyer after payment is defined in defaultemail.html. Its best not to modify that but instead use your own email template.

- 1) Create the HTML email template and upload to your server.
- 2) Click Tools Configuration in the main menu and click the Page & Email templates tab. Paste the full URL to your page in the field labelled Successful order email template.
- 3) Click the link Show example HTML snippet under the field and copy the snippet to the clipboard, Paste the HTML in to your email where you want to insert the order info. In Xway you would add a Markup object from the Insert Menu to do this. Appendix A has more details about the template variables used.



What's next

Now that you have the basics setup you can go ahead and add further products and setup tax and shipping as needed. The main manual can be used as a reference.

Chapter 3 Support

Hopefully if you have followed this manual carefully everything will be working fine. However sometimes things don't go quite so smoothly so if you have any questions or problems then please check the FAQ on the support page or email us.

Support and updates for Vibracart Pro are free of charge for one year after purchase. Shortly after purchase you should receive a username and password that provide you with access to the latest downloads, FAQ and other resources.

Support area: https://www.vibralogix.com/support/

Email: support@vibralogix.com