

## Need to move our Website from folder to root!

Posted by alan1987 - 2011/02/04 06:19

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Hi Edwin,

We have developed the website in following path,  
www.example.com/main, and we have a slave site as

www.example.com/main/slave,

I need to move entire site to www.example.com, My query is, Will this affect configuration of multisites!  
Will master and slave sites run as same as now!

FYI while creating Slave sites i have not used any of the shortcodes which you guys specified,ex:  
{site\_url}, instead i added manual path as www.example.com.

I also need to know the effect of symbolic link! Will symbolic links get changed automatically, When we  
move the site!

Please let us know how does it affects, And what are the configuration I need to change!

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I need a solution for this please reply us as soon as possible.

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## Re: Need to move our Website from folder to root!

Posted by edwin2win - 2011/02/05 17:11

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If you want to move the location of the master and the location of the slave, you will have to recreate the  
slave site directory to take in account the new slave site location and that all the symbolic link point to  
the new master location.

So if you move the master website from a place to another one, you will have to create a temporary  
symbolic link in the old location to point on the new location. This will avoid that the slave search for  
something that does not exists.

When you have move the master and updated it configuration to reflect the new location path you can go  
in the slave site and delete all of them (without the DB) and rebuild them using a new location.

Once you have all the slave site move, you can delete the old location and also the link you created  
temporarily in the "old" master location.

If you want that we help you doing the move, this is also possible with our billable support that you can

order at

[http://www.jms2win.com/en/joomla-multisite?page=shop.product\\_details&flypage=flypage\\_multisites.tpl  
&product\\_id=35&category\\_id=1](http://www.jms2win.com/en/joomla-multisite?page=shop.product_details&flypage=flypage_multisites.tpl&product_id=35&category_id=1)

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