JOOMLA! TEMPLATE:
JV STRATEGY USER GUIDE

INTRODUCTION – WHAT IS JV STRATEGY?

A theme-template developed by team Joomlavi for Joomla! 1.5 and 2.5.

Designed around the concept of strategy, This template is most suitable for business and academic sites,

It can also be adapted to accommodate other types of sites rather easily.

DOWNLOADING JV STRATEGY – WHERE TO FIND IT?

To download JV Strategy, you need to register a username on http://Joomlavi.com and purchase a package for download privileges.

You can find JV Strategy within the 'Joomla! Templates' pages (which can be found in the 'Joomla! Products' sub-menu).
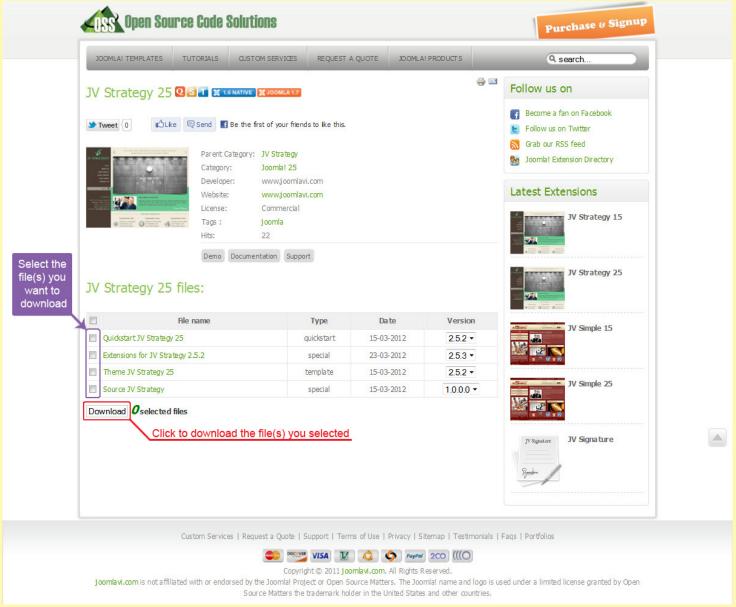
You can also go to JV Strategy's page directly using this URL: http://www.joomlavi.com/joomla-templates/10-joomla-templates/jv-Strategy.html

Within JV Strategy's page, there are two set of buttons under the theme's screen-shot, one for Joomla! 1.5 and one for Joomla! 2.5. Each set consists of 3 buttons: 'Live Demo', 'Download' and 'Position'

Clicking on 'Live Demo' would redirect you to a demo-site using JV Strategy. This is also what your site will look like when using a Quick-start version of this template.

Clicking on 'Position' will show open up the demo-site, with all the positions visible.

There will be multiple files in the download page. Before selecting which file(s) to download, please consider what you are planning to do.

-If you are setting up a new site, the Quick-Start version is the best choice, because it will install an entire new site with all associated extensions and styled to look like the template's live demo.

-If you already have a site and don't want to replace it, or you don't want all the extensions of quick-start version, the package version will be your choice. With it, you can Install a theme-template without any data loss and all extensions will be optional.

After you have confirm the file(s) you need, select them by ticking the box(es) in front of said file(s), then click download.
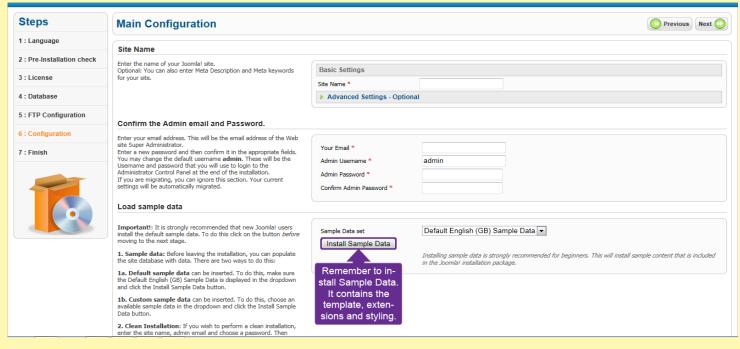
If the file you downloaded has 'unzip_first' in its name, please extract it before continuing with the installation.

INSTALLING JV STRATEGY – HOW TO INSTALL IT WITH A QUICKSTART OR THEME VERSION

Installing JV Strategy template with Quick star version:

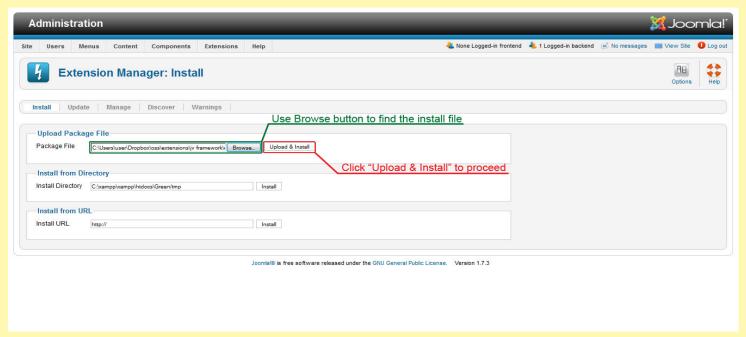To install a QuickStart version of JV Strategy, follow the following steps:

-Extract the file with 'unzip_first' in its name.

-Extract the resulting file into a folder. For example, let name the folder 'Strategy'.

-Copy or upload said folder onto your server's.

-Open your browser and open the URL to the folder you copied. For example, on a local host, the URL would be: http://localhost/Strategy/

-Install the quickstart template the same way you install a new Joomla! instance using browser. During the installation process, you must remember to install Sample Data by clicking on the Install Sample Data button.

-You can see our quick-start instruction and Joomla! installation guide for more info.

Installing JV Strategy template with Package version:

- After extracting the 'unzip_first' file, extract the resulting file again to get the installation files of the extensions.

- Log into your joomla! back end, select extension manager (Joomla! 2.5) or Install/Uninstall (Joomla! 1.5) from extension manager menu.
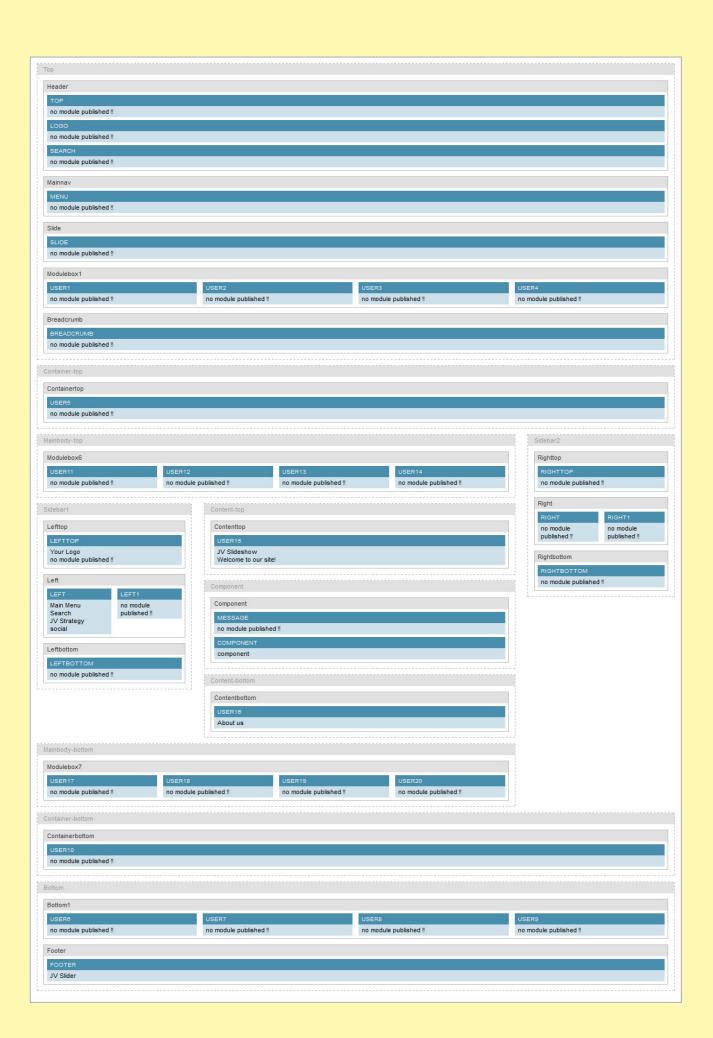

- On install tab, in the 'install from package' section, browse for JV Framework's 'install file' gotten in the first step.

- Click on 'Upload & Install'. Both JV Framework and the theme JV Strategy will be installed to your site.

- Open 'JV Framework" from the component menu, and in "Style" tab, create a style using "JV Strategy" theme.

- Install the rest of the extensions or just the ones you need.

MANAGING JV STRATEGY WITH JV FRAMEWORK – JV STRATEGY LAYOUT

For the basic functions of JV Framework, please refer to JV Framework User guides.

Please note that in this template, JV Frame Work's "Module Style Options" drop down may appear above a Module's default Parameters/Options dropdown(s)

The main difference between themes when using JV Framework is the position layout. The following image will show the default layout of JV Strategy:

Top

Header

TOP
no module published ‼

LOGO
no module published ‼

SEARCH
no module published ‼

Mainnav

MENU
no module published ‼

Slide

SLIDE
no module published ‼

Modulebox1

USER1	USER2	USER3	USER4
no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼

Breadcrumb

BREADCRUMB
no module published ‼

Container-top

Containertop

USER5
no module published ‼

Mainbody-top

Modulebox6

USER11	USER12	USER13	USER14
no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼

Sidebar2

Righttop

RIGHTTOP
no module published ‼

Right

RIGHT	RIGHT1
no module published ‼	no module published ‼

Rightbottom

RIGHTBOTTOM
no module published ‼

Sidebar1

Lefttop

LEFTTOP
Your Logo
no module published ‼

Left

LEFT	LEFT1
Main Menu	no module published ‼
Search	
JV Strategy	
social	

Leftbottom

LEFTBOTTOM
no module published ‼

Content-top

Contenttop

USER15
JV Slideshow
Welcome to our site!

Component

Component

MESSAGE
no module published ‼

COMPONENT
component

Content-bottom

Contentbottom

USER16
About us

Mainbody-bottom

Modulebox7

USER17	USER18	USER19	USER20
no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼

Container-bottom

Containerbottom

USER10
no module published ‼

Bottom

Bottom1

USER6	USER7	USER8	USER9
no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼	no module published ‼

Footer

FOOTER
JV Slider

NON-STANDARD EXTENSIONS OF JV STRATEGY

The following are extensions that cannot be found or re-created with a default "Joomla!" installation.
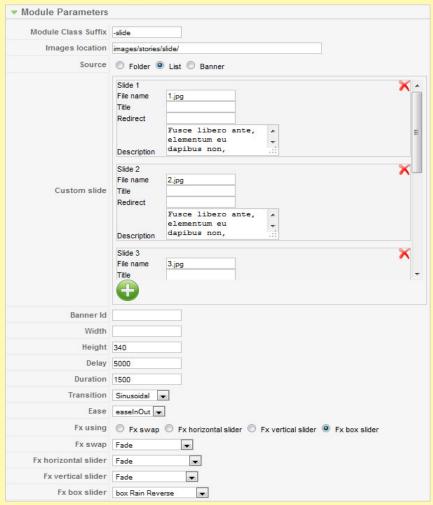
If you used the Quick-start version of JV Strategy template, these will be installed along with the theme, including the styling. For an extensions package user, these will be included in the package along with the template:
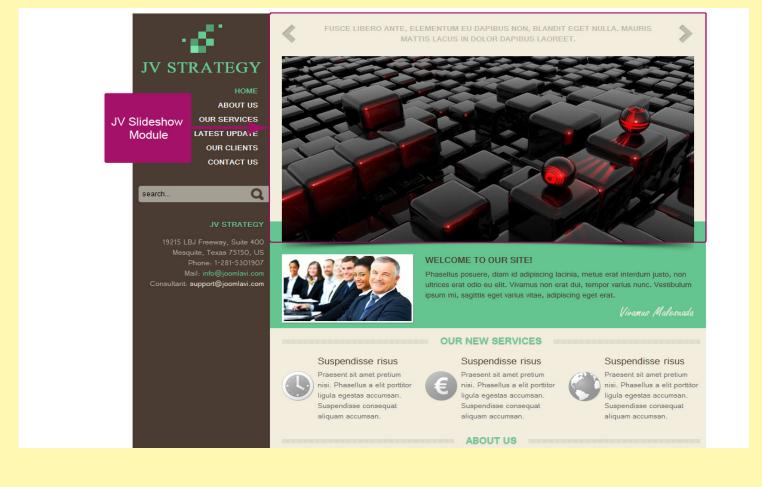
JV Slideshow

JV Slideshow is an extension developed by Joomlavi group that allows users to create image sliders.

*Where to find:

- With styling: JV Strategy's download page, Extensions package.

- Without styling: http://www.joomlavi.com/joomla-extensions/jv-slideshow.html

*Setting up JV Slideshow to make it similar to quick-start/demo:

-Prepare a folder where you store the images you wanted to use.

-Within your site back end, go to Module Manager and create a JV Slideshow type module. You can also use the default module "JV Slideshow"

-Inside Module mod, set the location to your image folders, set your 'source' parameter as 'List'.

-Click on the button to add slide to your slideshow, enter the names of the image files you want to use and their respective descriptions into the slides.

-Set the module to published/enable, assign it to position 'user15' on all pages.

-Save the setting and click on Preview (Joomla! 1.5) or View Site (Joomla! 2.5).

JV Slider

*Where to find:

 - With styling: JV Strategy's download page, Extensions package.

 - Without styling: http://www.joomlavi.com/joomla-extensions/jv-slider.html

*Setting up JV Slider to make it similar to quick-start/demo:

-Prepare a folder where you store the images you wanted to use.

-Within your site back end, go to Module Manager and create a JV Slider type module. You can also use the default module "JV Slider"

-Inside Module mod, set the location to your image folders, set your 'source' parameter as 'Folder'.

-Set the module to published/enable, assign it to position 'footer' on all pages.

-Save the setting and click on Preview (Joomla! 1.5) or View Site (Joomla! 2.5).

JV News

JV News is a module developed by Joomlavi group that allow you to display articles in e-newspapers style.

*Where to find:

- With styling: JV Strategy's download page, Extensions package.

- Without styling: http://www.joomlavi.com/joomla-extensions/jv-news.html

*Setting up JV News to make your site similar to the quick-start/demo version:

-Go to your site back-end, create at least one category and the article inside it. In quick-start/demo version, the category involved is "About us"

-Open the module manager and create a module using "JV News" module type, and name it "About us".

- In the "Categories" parameter of the module, select the article category created in the first step.

-Assign "About us" to the position 'User16' on home pages.

JV News
Module "About us"