

# Cart-Power: Anti-Spam hCaptcha 1.0

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## 1. Overview

This add-on adds the **hCaptcha** anti-spam service to protect your store from bots on standard and custom CS-Cart forms and pages.

### 1.1 Support

This add-on is developed and published by Cart-Power, a CS-Cart official partner and developer. You are guaranteed a high-quality add-on supported by future versions. If you need help, please contact us via our [helpdesk system](#).

### 1.2 Compatibility

The add-on is compatible with CS-Cart **4.10.x** and later.

You can not use hCaptcha together with **Google reCAPTCHA**.

### 1.3 Buy Now

Official add-on page:

<https://store.cart-power.com/hcaptcha.html>

### 1.4 Release History

CS-Cart/ Multi-Vendor 4.17.1 - 4.18.4

**Version 1.0 from 27 May 2025**

## 2. Add-on Installation

To simplify the installation, configuration, and upgrade of our add-ons, we have developed a special service add-on - Cart-Power Add-ons Manager. [Download the Cart-Power: Add-ons Manager](#) and follow the [installation instructions](#).

Once you install it, you will be able to:

1. [Check the List of the Add-ons Purchased for Your Domain](#)
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  - b. [Via the Upgrade Center](#)
  - c. [Manual Upgrade \(Add-on Reinstallation\)](#)
7. [Find out Add-on Version Information](#)
8. [Check the Status of the Upgrade Subscription](#)

If you have any issues installing or activating the add-on, please contact us: [sales@cart-power.com](mailto:sales@cart-power.com)

## 3. Add-on Settings

Navigate to **Add-ons > Downloaded add-ons > Cart-Power: Antispam hCaptcha > Settings**

### General tab

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Please fill in the required hCaptcha keys to activate the service.  
The instructions on how to get the **site key** and **secret** are available [here](#).

#### hCaptcha Settings ▾

Site key:

Secret key:

Theme:

Size:

#### Antibot settings ▾

- hCaptcha display locations::
- ☐ Login form
  - ☐ Create and edit profile form
  - ☐ Recover password form
  - ☐ Checkout (user information) form
  - ☐ Track my order form
  - ☐ In-stock notification subscription form
  - ☐ Apply for a vendor account form
  - ☐ Subscribe form
  - ☐ Product question forms
  - ☐ Call request and buy now with one click form
  - ☐ Custom forms
  - ☐ Cart export form
  - ☐ Comments and reviews forms
  - ☐ Price history

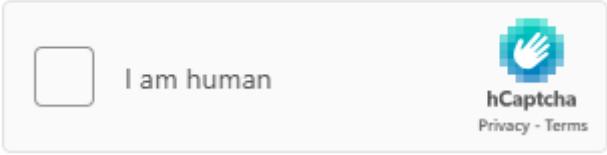
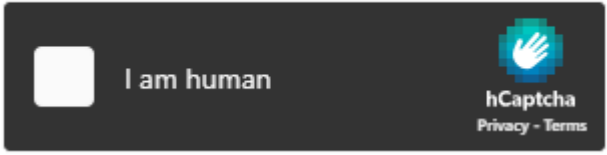
Do not use verification if user is logged in: ☒

Do not use verification after first valid answer: ☒

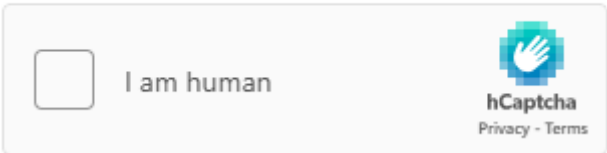
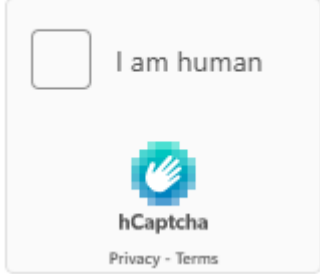
**Before configuring the add-on, register on the hCaptcha service page. The instructions on how to get the site key and secret are available [here](#).**

## hCaptcha Settings

- **Site key** - enter the site key received in the hCaptcha service.
- **Secret key** - enter the secret key received in the hCaptcha service.
- **Theme** - choose one of the variants:

| Light                                                                                                          | Dark                                                                                                            |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>Anti-bot validation *</p>  | <p>Anti-bot validation *</p>  |

- **Size** - choose one of the variants:

| Normal                                                                                                           | Compact                                                                                                            |
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| <p>Anti-bot validation *</p>  | <p>Anti-bot validation *</p>  |

## Antibot settings

- **hCaptcha display locations** - check the required checkbox to activate protection on the selected page:
  - Login form;
  - Create and edit profile form;
  - Recover password form;
  - Checkout (user information) form;
  - Track my order form;
  - In-stock notification subscription form;
  - Subscribe form;
  - Gift certificate purchase form;
  - Call request and buy now with one click form;
  - Custom forms;
  - Comments and reviews forms.

- **Do not use verification if user is logged in** - if the setting is enabled, the antibot validation will appear only for unauthorized users.
- **Do not use verification after first valid answer** - If the setting is enabled, the antibot validation will automatically disappear after the first successful user verification.

## Excluded countries tab

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hCaptcha will not be used in the selected countries. Instead, visitors from these countries will be asked to enter characters they see on the screen.

Selected fields

Available fields

China  
Congo  
Islamic Republic of Iran

Abkhazia  
Afghanistan  
Aland Islands  
Albania  
Algeria  
American Samoa  
Andorra  
Angola  
Anguilla  
Antarctica

Users from countries added to the left column (**Selected fields**) will be asked to enter the characters they see on the screen. They will not undergo the service's standard verification.

## 4. CS-Cart Ultimate Functionality

You can change the general settings of this add-on separately for each storefront or for all storefronts at once - click a special button to enter a new field value to update in all stores when saving an item.

## 5. Multi-Vendor Functionality

Add-on settings are available to the main administrator only.