

Twiget Twitter Widget

Twiget Twitter Widget lets you display your latest twitter status updates in any of the widgetized areas. Just add the Twiget Twitter Widget to your sidebar or any of the widget areas and enter your twitter username. It will display your latest tweets along with a **follow @username** button to make it easier for people to follow you! You can configure widget title, twitter username, number of tweets to display, link target etc, in the widget configuration.

Features:

- Twitter API 1.1 support
- Twitter requests caching with auto-optimised duration for performance
- AJAX-based so your site's load time is not affected by Twitter's server
- Multiple instances of widget
- Option to change widget title
- Option to change number of tweets to display
- Option to show followers count, profile picture, and Twitter bio
- Option to show twitter client used. Eg: via Twitter for Android
- Option to open links in a new window
- Option to hide @replies
- Linkified @usernames and #hashtags

Twiget is developed by [Syahir Hakim](#) of [Graphene Theme](#) and [Prasanna SP](#).

Translation: If you want to translate this plugin to your language, please find the twiget.pot file in /languages/ folder.

Demo: See demo of this plugin [here](#). It is the second item in the sidebar.

Support: Please post your support questions at Twiget Twitter Widget plugin [support forum](#).

Visit [this page](#) for more **WordPress Plugins** by the developer.

This plugin uses Abraham's [twitteroauth library] (<https://github.com/abraham/twitteroauth>).

1. Upload **twiget** folder to the `/wp-content/plugins/` directory
2. Activate the plugin through the 'Plugins' menu in WordPress

3. Go to Settings --> Twiget Settings and enter your twitter username, number of tweets to show and Twitter API Credentials
4. Go to Appearance --> Widgets and add Twiget Twitter Widget to any of the widgetized areas

Twiget Twitter Widget: Latest tweets

Title:

Twitter Username:

Number of tweets to display:

Show followers count

Show profile picture

Show Twitter Bio

Show twitter client used
Eg: via Twitter for Android

Hide @replies
Note: Selecting this sometimes result in showing less than 5 tweets

Open links in new window

Delete | Close Save

Twiget Twitter Widget plugin requires your Twitter API credentials to work. See [Twiget's Options Page](#) for instructions on how to set this up.

Twitter API credentials

Consumer Key

Consumer Secret

Access Token

Access Token Secret

NOTE: Twiget caches requests to Twitter to make full use of but never exceeds the Twitter API's limit of 180 requests per 15 minutes.

Therefore, it is recommended to use the API credentials you entered above for just this website, especially so if it has a high amount of traffic.

Database Options Restore defaults upon plugin deactivation/reactivation
Only check this if you want to reset plugin settings upon Plugin reactivation

How to get Twitter API credentials

Step 1: Go to [My applications](#) page on twitter and login with your twitter username and password.

Step 2: Click [Create a new application](#) button.

Step 3: Enter your application details

Name: * Enter the name of your application. It may be the title of your website.

Description: * Enter some description. Eg: Tweets in my website.

Website: * Enter the URL of your website.

Callback URL: Leave this empty.

Select **Yes, I agree** and complete the Captcha. Then click **Create your Twitter application** button.

Step 4: In the next page, click **Create my access token** button. It may take a moment to display access token. So refresh page.

Step 5: Copy *Consumer key*, *Consumer secret*, *Access token*, *Access token secret* and enter them in the respective fields above.

Application Details

Name: *

Your application name. This is used to attribute the source of a tweet and in user-facing authorization screens. 32 characters max.

Description: *

Your application description, which will be shown in user-facing authorization screens. Between 10 and 200 characters max.

Website: *

Your application's publicly accessible home page, where users can go to download, make use of, or find out more information about your application. This fully-qualified URL is used in the source attribution for tweets created by your application and will be shown in user-facing authorization screens. (If you don't have a URL yet, just put a placeholder here but remember to change it later.)

Callback URL:

Where should we return after successfully authenticating? For [@Anywhere applications](#), only the domain specified in the callback will be used. [OAuth 1.0a](#) applications should explicitly specify their `oauth_callback` URL on the request token step, regardless of the value given here. To restrict your application from using callbacks, leave this field blank.