



USER GUIDE

VEO Hummingbird Customizer

Colors, fonts and widths of the PrestaShop 9 Hummingbird theme, from the back office.

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1. Before you start

What it does

Hummingbird, the PrestaShop 9 theme, has no screen to change its colors or fonts: you have to edit its CSS or build a child theme. This module adds that screen under **Design › Hummingbird Customizer**, with four tabs:

- **Colors:** a nine-color palette and the color of each zone of the page (top banner, header, mobile menu, footer).
- **Typography:** the body font and the title font, from Google Fonts, your own files, the theme or the system.
- **Layout:** page width, full-width header, content or footer, see-through header, cart as a side drawer, sliding search and how subcategories look.
- **Import and export:** every setting in one `veo-theme.json` file, to keep it, move it to another shop or go back.

The factory settings are Hummingbird 2.1's own and, while you change nothing, the module adds nothing to the shop. After installing it your shop looks exactly the same; it changes when you save the first setting.

What it does not do

- It does not work with Classic or with themes that are not Hummingbird or a child of it. With another theme active it prints nothing.
- It does not change templates or move blocks around: only colors, fonts, widths and a few options that CSS can handle. To move modules, use **Design › Positions**.
- It does not build menus or pages. For the main menu, see VEO Mega Menu on veomod.com.
- There is no preview: each change shows in the shop when you save it. Before a big change, download your settings (chapter *Import and export*).

Requirements

- PrestaShop 9.1 or later with the Hummingbird theme (2.0 or later; 2.1 on PrestaShop 9.2) or a Hummingbird child theme. The tested versions are on the cover.
- PHP 8.1 or later.

What changes in your shop

- The menu **Design › Hummingbird Customizer** appears, with its four tabs.
- It creates the folder `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/` for the fonts you upload.
- No tables and no scheduled tasks. It stores 43 settings, one per field.
- Once you change something, every page gets a small style block in its head and a 2.7 KB (compressed) stylesheet. With Google Fonts, also the request to Google Fonts.

To download and install it, follow the **Veo modules general guide** (chapters *Download the module* and *Install the module*). Then click **Configure** or go to **Design › Hummingbird Customizer** and carry on with the next chapter.

2. Colors

Go to **Design › Hummingbird Customizer**, tab **Colors**. It has two blocks, each with its own **Save** button: the palette and the zone colors.

Palette

The screenshot shows the 'Colors' tab in the Hummingbird Customizer. The 'Palette' section contains the following color settings:

- Brand:** #0b69f6 (with a round swatch icon next to it, labeled 2). Description: Main brand color: links, buttons, accents, badges.
- Brand hover:** #0954c5 (with a round swatch icon next to it, labeled 1). Description: Brand on hover and active states.
- Headings:** #212529. Description: Headings and strong text.
- Text:** #212529. Description: Body text.
- Background:** #ffffff. Description: Main background, usually white.
- Alternate background:** #e9ecf. Description: Cards, footer top, soft bands.
- Borders:** #dee2e6. Description: Borders and separators.
- Subtle background:** #f8f9fa. Description: Top banner, mobile menu hover, light fills.
- Extra:** #c6c8ca. Description: Free color: labels, details, second accent.

A **Save** button is located at the bottom right of the palette section.

Zone colors

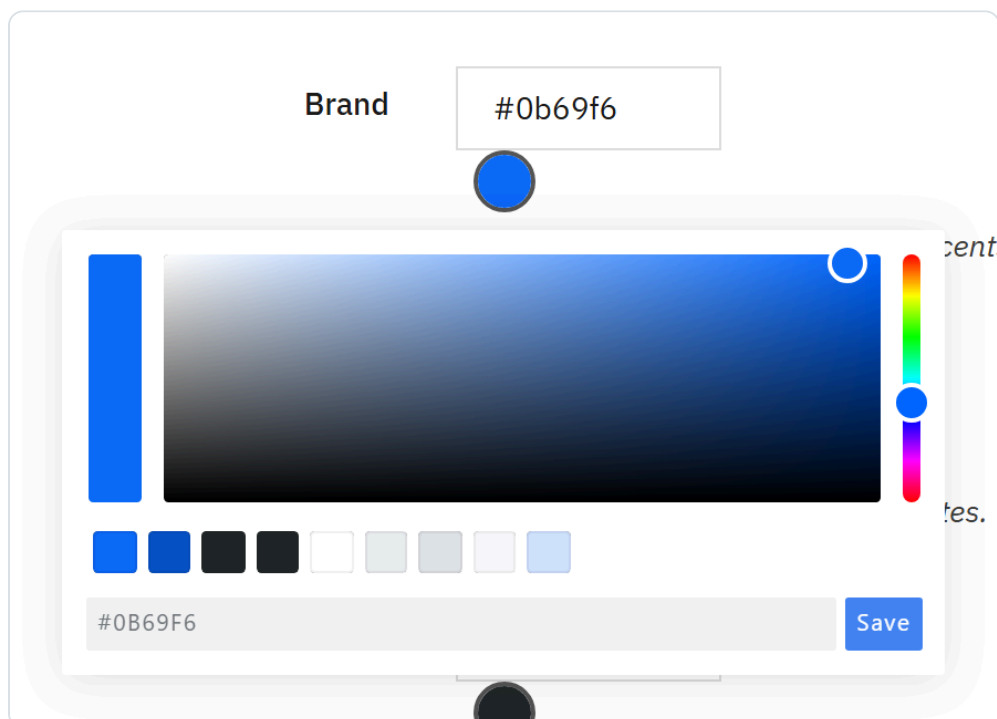
Colors of each block of the page: a palette color, which follows it when the palette changes, or Custom color for any other. (with a round swatch icon next to it, labeled 3).

Colors tab: the palette

Type each color in its field (1) as a six-digit hex (`#0b69f6`), or pick it with the round swatch (2). Save with **Save** (3).

Field	Used for	Default
Brand	Links, buttons, accents and badges	#0b69f6
Brand hover	Buttons and links on hover or pressed	#0954c5
Headings	Headings and strong text	#212529
Text	Body text	#212529
Background	Page background	#ffffff
Alternate background	Cards, footer top, soft bands	#e9ecef
Borders	Borders and separators	#dee2e6
Subtle background	Top banner, light fills	#f8f9fa
Extra	Free: labels, details, second accent	#cee1fd

The swatch opens the picker. At the bottom are your nine palette colors, one click away. Pick the color and click **Save** in the picker: the field is filled in, but nothing is stored until you click the form's **Save**.

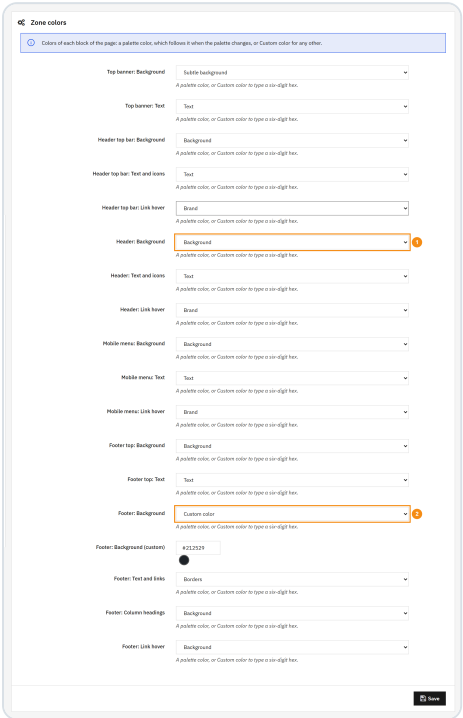


Color picker with the palette colors at the bottom

If a color is not a six-digit hex, saving shows a red message such as *Not saved: Brand: must be a hex color like #c26030* and nothing in that block is stored.

Zone colors

Each zone takes a palette color by its name. Change **Brand** in the palette and every zone that uses it changes too. If a zone needs a color that is not in the palette, choose **Custom color** in its drop-down and type the hex in the field that appears.



Zone colors: the header (1) and the footer with a custom color (2)

Zone	Fields	Default
Top banner	Background, Text	Subtle background, Text
Header top bar	Background, Text and icons, Link hover	Background, Text, Brand
Header	Background, Text and icons, Link hover	Background, Text, Brand
Mobile menu	Background, Text, Link hover	Background, Text, Brand
Footer top (the newsletter and social band)	Background, Text	Background, Text
Footer	Background, Text and links, Column headings, Link hover	Headings, Borders, Background, Background

TIP

For a light footer, set the footer **Background** to *Subtle background* and its text to *Text*. For a dark header, set its **Background** to *Headings* and its text to *Background*.

3. Typography

Tab **Typography**. At the top, the body and title fonts; below, the fonts you upload yourself.

Typography

Body and title font families and how each one is loaded.

Body font: Family:
Font family name exactly as CSS uses it. Ignored with System font.

Body font: Source:
Google Fonts loads it from Google. Local files serves the woff2 files of `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/<slug>/`. Provided by the theme means the theme already declares the `@font-face`; System font uses the fonts installed on the device.

Body font: Weights: ☐ 100 ☐ 200 ☐ 300 ☒ 400 ☐ 500 ☐ 600 ☒ 700 ☐ 800 ☐ 900
Weights to load. Used with Google Fonts and Local files.

Title font: Family:
Font family name exactly as CSS uses it. Ignored with System font.

Title font: Source:
Google Fonts loads it from Google. Local files serves the woff2 files of `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/<slug>/`. Provided by the theme means the theme already declares the `@font-face`; System font uses the fonts installed on the device.

Title font: Weights: ☐ 100 ☐ 200 ☐ 300 ☒ 400 ☐ 500 ☐ 600 ☒ 700 ☐ 800 ☐ 900
Weights to load. Used with Google Fonts and Local files.

Typography: family, source and weights of each font

Field	What it does	Default
Family	The font name as CSS uses it: <code>Montserrat</code> , <code>Playfair Display</code>	Inter
Source	Where the font comes from (see below)	Provided by the theme
Weights	The weights loaded. Only used with Google Fonts and Local files	400 and 700

The four sources:

- **Google Fonts:** loaded from Google. Type the family name exactly as `fonts.google.com` shows it.
- **Local files (`img/`):** serves the `woff2` files you upload in the block below. No requests to Google, which some privacy policies ask for.
- **Provided by the theme:** the theme already loads that font (Hummingbird ships Inter). The module only names it.

- **System font:** the visitor's device font (San Francisco on Apple, Segoe UI on Windows, Roboto on Android). Loads nothing and is the fastest.

Upload your own fonts

Local font files

Only for families with source "Local files". Name each file <family-slug>-<weight>.woff2 or <family-slug>-<weight>-italic.woff2, for example playfair-display-700.woff2. Files live in `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/` and survive module updates.

Family

Body font

woff2 file

Add file

Files present

Body font: Inter `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/inter/`
 No files yet.
Title font: Inter `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/inter/`
 No files yet.

Upload

Uploading woff2 files

1. In **Family**, type the font name and in **Source** choose **Local files (img/)**. Click **Save**.
2. Rename each file like this: the family name in lower case with hyphens, a hyphen, the weight and `.woff2` .
For *Playfair Display* bold: `playfair-display-700.woff2` . Italics add `-italic` : `playfair-display-700-italic.woff2` .
3. In the local fonts block, under **Family** choose *Body font* or *Title font*, select the file and click **Upload**.

You get *playfair-display-700.woff2* uploaded. and the file shows in the list, with a button to delete it. Only woff2 files up to 2 MB are accepted. If the name does not start with the chosen family, you get *The file name must start with "playfair-display-" to match the title font*.

Fonts are stored in `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/` and survive module updates and uninstalling.

4. Layout

Tab **Layout**, with three blocks.

Layout

Container width, side padding and which zones span the full viewport width.

Container max width
1320px

Max width of the page container on large screens, with unit (px, rem, em, %).

Container side padding
1.5rem

Horizontal padding of the page container on desktop, with unit (px, rem, em, %). Tablets use 2rem and phones 1rem.

Full-width header
No

Header ignores the container max width.

Full-width content
No

Main content ignores the container max width.

Full-width footer
No

Footer ignores the container max width.

Header effect

Glass effect: background opacity and backdrop blur of the header.

Background opacity
100

0 is transparent, 100 is solid.

Backdrop blur
0

Blur in pixels applied behind the header. 0 disables it.

Features

Optional behaviors that only need CSS and body classes.

Cart drawer
No

Show the "added to cart" modal as a side drawer.

Search style
Default

Default keeps the search box visible; Slide shows the field when hovering or focusing the icon.

Subcategories
Default

How subcategory cards are shown on category pages.

Layout tab

Field	What it does	Default
Container max width	Page width on large screens, with its unit: 1320px , 90vw	1320px
Container side padding	Space on the sides on desktop, with unit. Tablets use 2rem and phones 1rem	1.5rem
Full-width header	The header spans the whole screen, ignoring the max width	No
Full-width content	The same for the content	No
Full-width footer	The same for the footer	No
Background opacity	Of the header: 0 is transparent, 100 solid	100
Backdrop blur	Pixels of blur behind the header; with opacity under 100 it gives the glass effect	0
Cart drawer	The "Product added" window shows as a panel on the right	No
Search style	Default keeps the field visible; Slide (icon reveals the field) shows only the magnifier and the field slides out on hover	Default
Subcategories	On category pages, subcategory cards with image and name (Default), Name only or Image only	Default

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A value that cannot be understood (a width without unit, an opacity of 150) is not saved and shows in red with the field name: *Not saved: Container max width: invalid format.*

5. Import and export

Tab **Import and export**.

The screenshot shows the 'Import and export' tab with four sections:

- Export**: Includes a description, a 'Download veo-theme.json' button, and a 'Show current document' link.
- Import**: Includes a description, a file upload area with 'JSON file' and 'Choose File' text, and a 'Review changes' button.
- Import from the active theme**: Includes a description about exporting settings to the active theme.
- Factory settings**: Includes a description and a 'Restore factory settings' button.

Import and export tab

Keep a copy of your settings

Click **Download veo-theme.json**. The file holds every setting of the four tabs. **Show current document** shows the same on screen.

Load a file

1. Under **Import**, select a `veo-theme.json` and click **Review changes**.
2. The list of changes shows each setting with its current and new value. Nothing is stored yet.
3. Click **Apply these changes** or **Cancel**.

Changes to apply		
Setting	Current	New
Palette › Brand	#0b69f6	#c26030
Palette › Brand hover	#0954c5	#ab552b
Palette › Headings	#212529	#080506
Palette › Text	#212529	#676163
Palette › Alternate background	#e9ecef	#fbf8f4
Palette › Borders	#dee2e6	#dad7d3
Palette › Subtle background	#f8f9fa	#e6d8ca
Palette › Extra	#cee1fd	#ffe7d9
Typography › Body font › Family	Inter	Montserrat
Typography › Body font › Source	Provided by the theme	Google Fonts
Typography › Title font › Family	Inter	Playfair Display
Typography › Title font › Source	Provided by the theme	Google Fonts
Zone colors › Header top bar › Background	Background	Headings
Zone colors › Header top bar › Text and icons	Text	Background
Zone colors › Header top bar › Link hover	Brand	Alternate background
Zone colors › Header › Text and icons	Text	Headings
Zone colors › Mobile menu › Text	Text	Headings
Zone colors › Footer top › Background	Background	Alternate background
Zone colors › Footer › Text and links	Borders	Background
Zone colors › Footer › Link hover	Background	Alternate background
Layout › Container max width	1320px	1470px
Layout › Container side padding	1.5rem	5.5rem
Features › Cart drawer	No	Yes

Cancel
Apply these changes

The changes an import will make, before applying them

The file may hold only a part (just the palette, for example); everything else stays as it is. If the file has an error, nothing is applied and the failing field is shown. If it matches what you already have, you get *The file matches the current settings. Nothing to change.*

Import from the active theme

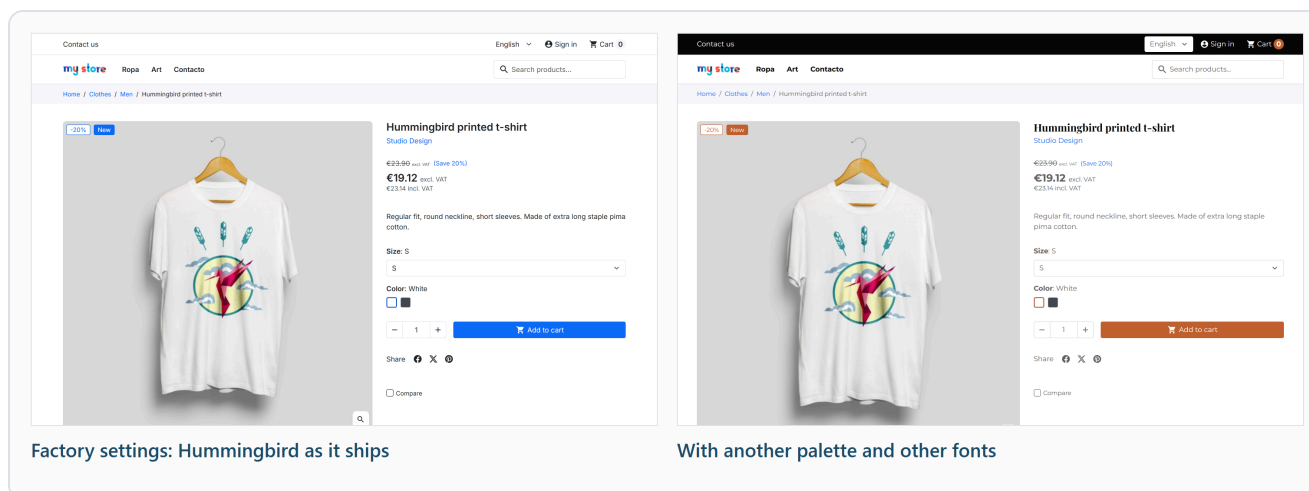
If the active theme ships `config/veo-theme.json`, the block says so and **Review changes from the theme file** loads that file with the same review. Handy when whoever builds the child theme keeps the shop's palette there.

Back to Hummingbird

Restore factory settings asks for confirmation and goes back to Hummingbird's values: the shop looks as if the module were not there. It cannot be undone, so download your settings first if you want to keep them.

6. How it looks in the shop

With the factory settings the shop is Hummingbird as it ships. With another palette and other fonts, buttons, links, headings, header and footer change together:



Product page with the factory settings and with another palette and other fonts

Changes show when you reload the page. The module computes its styles on every visit, so there is no PrestaShop cache to clear. If you use a full-page cache (LiteSpeed Cache, Cloudflare, a cache module), clear it after a change.

7. Languages and multistore

Settings are the same for every language. The module's back office is in English and Spanish.

Not tested with multistore yet.

8. When you uninstall

The 43 settings and the module's menu are deleted, and the shop looks like Hummingbird again. The fonts you uploaded stay in `img/veohummingbirdcustomizer/fonts/`; delete them by FTP if you no longer need them. The steps are in the *Uninstall* chapter of the general guide.

9. Troubleshooting

I see no change in the shop

- **The active theme is neither Hummingbird nor a child of it.** Check **Design › Theme & Logo**. With another theme the module does nothing.
- **A full-page cache shows the old version.** Clear it and reload.

- **The child theme overrides that color in its `custom.css`** . The theme's `custom.css` loads after the module and wins. Remove that rule from the theme or change it there.

The Google font does not apply

The **Family** name must match fonts.google.com exactly, capitals and spaces included (`Playfair Display` , not `playfair`). Also check that **Source** is **Google Fonts** and at least one weight is ticked.

The local font does not apply

- The file names do not match the family: for `Open Sans` , `open-sans-400.woff2` .
- The weight the shop uses is not uploaded. Upload at least 400 and 700.
- If the shop serves images from another domain (media servers), the `.htaccess` the module writes in the fonts folder adds the header fonts need. If your server is not Apache, add that header (`Access-Control-Allow-Origin`) in its configuration.

10. Frequently asked questions

Can I try changes without customers seeing them?

There is no preview. The safest way is a copy of the shop (staging): export `veo-theme.json` there and import it in the live shop with the change review.

Does it slow the shop down?

With the factory settings it adds nothing. With changes, a style block in the head and a 2.7 KB compressed stylesheet; with Google Fonts, the fonts as well. With system or theme fonts there are no extra requests.

11. For developers

- Settings are a JSON document with a published schema in `schema/veo-theme.schema.json` (JSON Schema 2020-12) and factory values in `schema/defaults.json` . A partial file is valid.
- The module writes `--veo-*` CSS custom properties in `<style id="veo-hb-tokens">` and `views/css/front.css` maps them onto Hummingbird at priority 150; the theme's `custom.css` (priority 1000) always wins.
- Body classes: `veo-header-wide` , `veo-content-wide` , `veo-footer-wide` , `veo-cart-drawer` , `veo-search-slide` , `veo-subcategories-name-only` , `veo-subcategories-image-only` .
- Every save fires the hook `actionVeoHbThemeSettingsUpdated` with the full document.
- Settings live in `ps_configuration` with the prefix `VEOHB_` .

- Changes to the module's or the theme's code are not covered by support.