Sitelok reCAPTCHA Plugin

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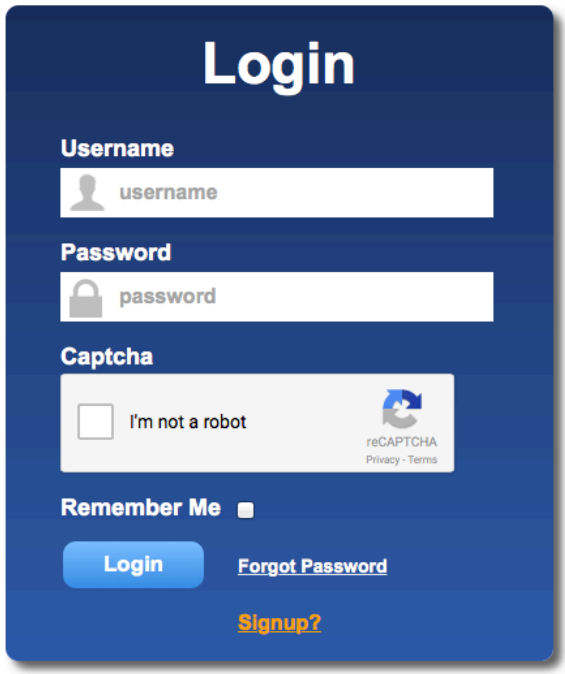
Chapter 1 Introduction

What is the Sitelok reCAPTCHA plugin?

Sitelok's built in CAPTCHA system is suitable for most sites but if you prefer to use the commonly used reCAPTCHA system instead then this plugin will allow that.



Chapter 2 Installation

Signup for reCAPTCHA

reCAPTCHA is a free service from Google but you do need to signup to get a site key and secret key required to use the system. You can signup up here

http://www.google.com/recaptcha/

Ensure you get keys for Recaptcha V2 (not V3)

Once you have signed up keep a copy of the site and secret keys provided as they need to be entered into the plugin.

Do not install the plugin until you have these keys ready to enter into the plugin.

Installing for the first time or upgrading

Please note that once you install the plugin then enabling CAPTCHA in the Sitelok configuration page will use reCAPTCHA for verification instead of the default built in system.

1) Extract the contents of the zip file to your PC.
2) Upload the **plugin_recaptcha2** folder to your existing Sitelok slpw folder using FTP. There are no special permissions required on most servers.
3) Login to the Sitelok control panel.
4) Open the following URL in the browser

   http://www.yoursite.com/slpw/plugin_recaptcha2/install.php

   which will start the installation process. If all is well you will be taken to the plugin preferences page where you will see the plugin listed.

If you have any problems with installation please let us know so that we can help you.

Disabling the Plugin

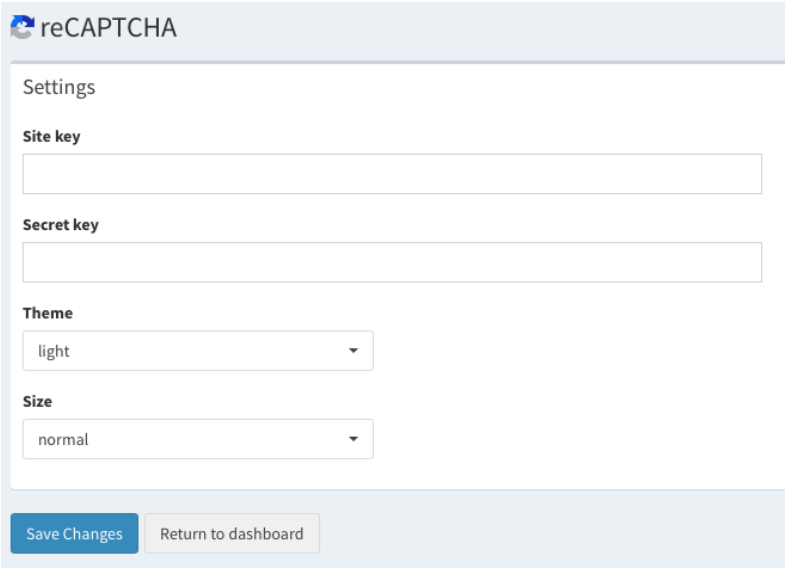
To disable the reCAPTCHA Code plugin select **Plugin Preferences** in the **Plugin** menu option of Sitelok. Uncheck the enable box for the plugin and click the **Save** button. You can enable it again in the same way.

Uninstalling the plugin

To permanently remove the plugin and its settings follow these steps.
1) Disable the plugin as above.
2) Click the delete icon next the plugin in the disabled plugins section.
3) Confirm the action in the alert box.
If the plugin is uninstalled successfully you will be returned to the plugin preferences page.

Chapter 3 Using the plugin

Click the reCAPTCHA option in the Plugins menu to display the settings page.



Site key

Enter the Site key string obtained from Google.

Private key

Enter the Secret key string obtained from Google.

Theme

reCAPTCHA currently supports 2 standard themes, light and dark.

Click save when you have entered the required settings.

Size

Select either normal or compact.

Chapter 4 Adding to login forms

Sitelok V4.4 or above

Please note that the form designers in Sitelok support reCAPTCHA but will show the default captcha system on the designer page. This will be replaced when you generate the form.

The default login form will automatically use reCAPTCHA if login captcha is enabled in Sitelok.

If you use a login form generated by Sitelok's built in form generator it will automatically support reCAPTCHA. If you use the full source code method you may have to regenerate the code if it was initially created by Sitelok V4.3.

Remember to enable **Login CAPTCHA** in **Tools** - **Configuration** as well.

Custom login pages or Sitelok V4.3 or earlier

The default login template will automatically use reCAPTCHA.

If you use custom login pages or a custom login template then you should replace the existing code that displays the CAPTCHA (usually like this)

```
Please enter the security code<br>
<input type="text" name="turing" maxlength="5" size="8" value="">
<img src="../slpw/turingimage.php" width="60" height="30">
```

with the following

```
<?php  echo slshowcaptcha(); ?>
```

Also in the HEAD section of the page add this line

```
<?php  echo slcaptchahead(); ?>
```

Remember to enable **Login CAPTCHA** in **Tools** - **Configuration** as well.

Chapter 5 Add to registration forms

Sitelok V4.4 or above

Please note that the form designers in Sitelok support reCAPTCHA but will show the default captcha system on the designer page. This will be replaced when you generate the form.

If you use a registration form generated by Sitelok's built in form generator it will automatically support reCAPTCHA. If you use the full source code method you may have to regenerate the code if it was initially created by Sitelok V4.3.

Remember to enable **Register CAPTCHA** in **Tools** - **Configuration** as well.

Custom register pages or Sitelok V4.3 or earlier

To use reCAPTCHA you should replace the existing code that displays the CAPTCHA (usually like this)

```
Please enter the security code<br>
<input type="text" name="turing" maxlength="5" size="8" value="">
<img src="../slpw/turingimage.php" width="60" height="30">
```

with the following

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<?php  echo slshowcaptcha(); ?>
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Also in the HEAD section of the page add this line

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Remember to enable **Register CAPTCHA** in **Tools** - **Configuration** as well.

Chapter 6 Support

Hopefully if you have followed this manual carefully everything will be working fine. However sometimes things don't go quite so smoothly so if you have any questions or problems then please check the FAQ on the support page or email us.

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