

# Zip code based COD For Magento 2 - USER GUIDE



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## Overview

Cash On Delivery (COD) payment method is currently one of the most popular payment modes for online e-commerce applications. The major reason for its popularity is because customers do not have to pay anything before the products are delivered to them. In some countries, this remains a popular option with Internet-based retailers since it is far easier to set up for small businesses and does not require the purchaser to have a credit card.

This payment method can be a perfect solution for those customers who do not trust other payment methods, such as a card payment or PayPal and prefer to pay upon receiving their order. With this method, you can offset the additional cost normally associated with COD by charging a fee to customers that choose this payment method.

Some store owners would like to restrict this feature due to valid constraints like the distance between the store owner and their customer's shipping address. To overcome this issue we have added the feature in this extension, which allows the store owner to restrict COD purchases to certain ZIP/PIN Codes.

## Main Features

- This extension gives relaxation for customizing Success/Failure messages of service availability.
- Enable/Disable COD based on postcode/zipcode/Pincode.
- Manage to add/edit/update postcodes, where cash on delivery method is available from the admin panel.
- Auto-hide cash on delivery when postcode/zip code is not available in allowed postcodes list from the admin panel.

- Allow cash on the delivery method to the specific country from the backend.

## Reasons to choose Zestard's Zip Code Based COD?

<p>This extension gives relaxation for customizing Success/Failure messages of service availability.</p>	<p>Enable/Disable COD based on postcode/zipcode/Pincode.</p>	<p>Manage to add/edit/update postcodes, where cash on delivery method is available from the admin panel.</p>
<p>Auto-hide cash on delivery when postcode/zip code is not available in allowed postcodes list from the admin panel.</p>	<p>Allow cash on the delivery method to the specific country from the backend.</p>	<p>Easy to use.</p>

## Installation Guide

Once you have purchased & downloaded our extension follow the below steps to install the extension. The easiest way to install a Magento 2 extension is by using SFTP or FTP. To do this first, download our Zipbasedcod module and follow the below steps.

### In short, for Professionals or Techie Person

1. Unzip the extension.
2. Login to your root directory via FTP or SFTP.
3. Go to the below path in your remote directory app/code/
4. Create directory Zestardtech and under that create subdirectory **Zipbasedcod**.
5. Now upload all the unzipped code into the **Zipbasedcod** directory.
6. Then open your SSH or Terminal.
7. Go to your root directory and RUN below 4 commands step by steps:

- php bin/magento setup:upgrade
- php bin/magento setup:di:compile
- php bin/magento setup:static-content:deploy -f
- php bin/magento cache:clean

8. If you didn't get any error during the commands execution process then our extension is successfully installed in your store.

**To Note:** If you face any error during this process then please either share the screenshots or share credentials of your store at our email id [support@zestard.com](mailto:support@zestard.com) and will help you install the extension properly.

## Detailed Installation Instructions

### Step 1: Connect to FTP and upload the unzipped extension directory.

- Connect to your site using FTP or SFTP. Go to the remote directory /app/code.
- Create directory **Zestardtech** and under that create subdirectory **Zipbasedcod** and upload the unzipped code into this directory.

### Step 2: Run Commands

- Open your SSH or Terminal.
- Go to your root directory and RUN below 4 commands step by steps:
  - php bin/magento setup:upgrade

```
[root@server magento232]# php bin/magento setup:upgrade
Cache cleared successfully
File system cleanup:
/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/code/Composer
/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/code/MSP
/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/code/Magento
/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/code/Symfony
/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/code/Zestardtech
The directory '/home/idroides/public_html/magento232/generated/metadata/' doesn't exist
```

- php bin/magento setup:di:compile

```
[root@server magento232]# php bin/magento setup:di:compile  
Compilation was started.
```

- php bin/magento setup:static-content:deploy -f

```
[root@server magento232]# php bin/magento setup:static-content:deploy -f  
Deploy using quick strategy  
frontend/Magento/blank/en_US          2302/2302          ===== 100% % 5 secs  
adminhtml/Magento/backend/en_US       2353/2353          ===== 100% % 5 secs  
frontend/Magento/luma/en_US           2318/2318          ===== 100% % 6 secs
```

- php bin/magento cache:clean

```
[root@server magento232]# php bin/magento cache:clean  
Cleaned cache types:  
config  
layout  
block_html  
collections  
reflection  
db_ddl  
compiled_config  
eav  
customer_notification  
config_integration  
config_integration_api  
full_page  
config_webservice  
translate  
vertex
```

- If you didn't get any error during the commands execution process then our extension is successfully installed in your store.

### Step 3: To confirm Installation and activation.

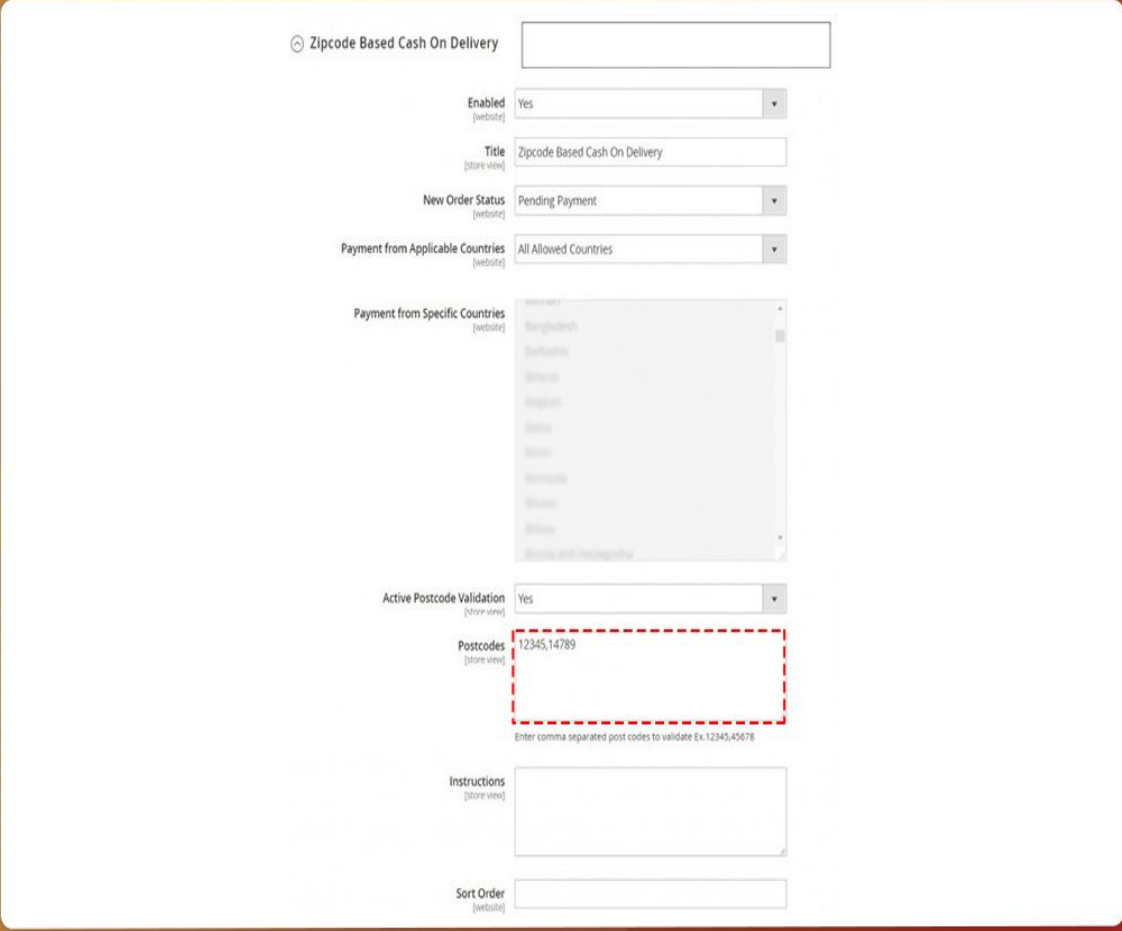
- To complete the installation you need to log out of your Magento Admin and login back.
- Open your SSH or Terminal and run this command 'php bin/magento module:status Zestardtech\_Zipbasedcod' and if you get Output as Module is enabled then our extension is installed properly in your store.

**To Note:** If you face any error during this process then please either share the screenshots or share credentials of your store at our email id [support@zestard.com](mailto:support@zestard.com) and will help you install the extension properly.

## User Guide

### How to Configure Zip Code Based COD Extension?

1. Go to Stores → Configurations → Sales → Payment Method and enter comma separated zipcodes to validate.



Zipcode Based Cash On Delivery

Enabled

Title

New Order Status

Payment from Applicable Countries

Payment from Specific Countries

Active Postcode Validation

Postcodes

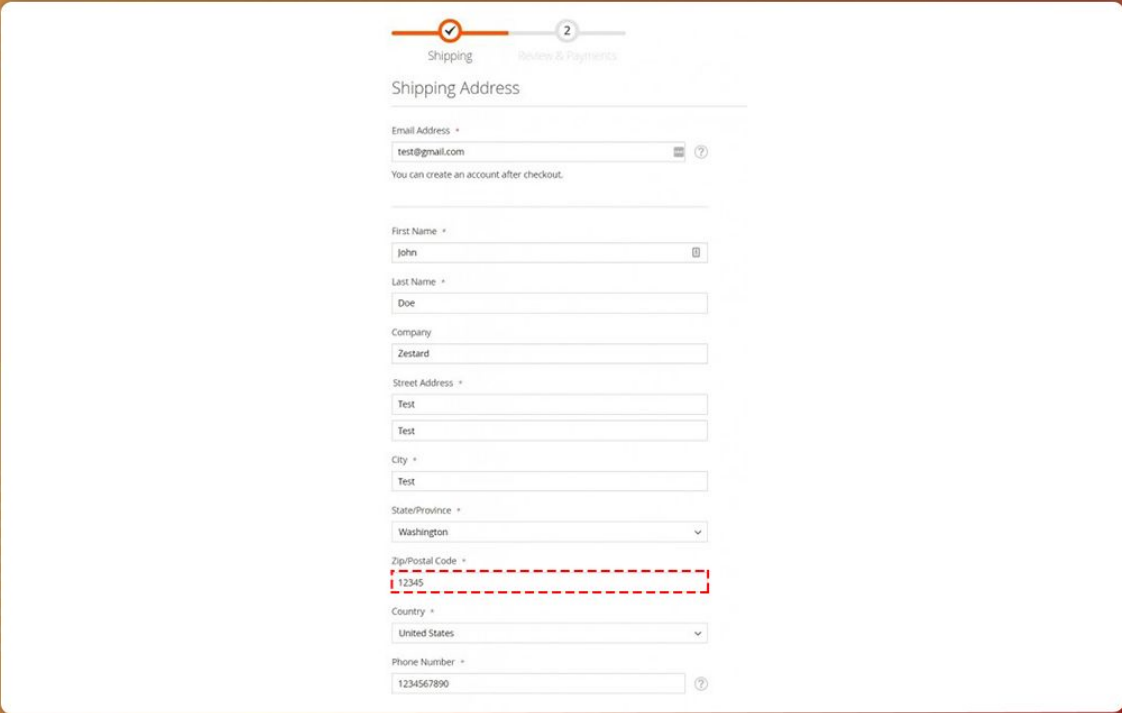
Enter comma separated post codes to validate Ex:12345,45678

Instructions

Sort Order

**Go to Stores --> Configuration --> Sales --> Payment Method  
and enter comma separated zipcodes to validate.**

2. Zipcode should be the same as entered in admin to validate.



The screenshot shows a checkout page with a progress indicator at the top. The first step, 'Shipping', is completed and marked with a checkmark. The second step, 'Review & Payments', is active and marked with a '2'. Below the progress bar, the 'Shipping Address' section contains the following fields:

- Email Address: test@gmail.com
- First Name: John
- Last Name: Doe
- Company: Zestard
- Street Address: Test
- City: Test
- State/Province: Washington
- Zip/Postal Code: 12345 (highlighted with a red dashed box)
- Country: United States
- Phone Number: 1234567890

Below the form, a red text box contains the instruction: **Zipcode should be same as entered in admin to validate.**



3. Zip Code Based Cash on Delivery will be displayed only if zipcode matched the values entered in the system configuration.

Shipping  Review & Payments

Payment Method:

Zipcode Based Cash On Delivery

My billing and shipping address are the same

John Doe  
Test,Test  
Test, 12345  
1234567890

[Place Order](#)

Check / Money order

[Apply Discount Code](#) ▾

**Zipcode Based Cash On Delivery will be displayed only if the zipcode matched the values entered in the system configuration.**

## FAQs

### **Is This Module Allow To Create New Shipping Method In Fronted?**

Yes, This Module Facilitates The Shop Owner To Create New Shipping Method Based On Zip Code.

### **Does This Module Allow All Users From All Countries Can Buy Product From Store?**

Our Module Has Functionality In Admin Configuration, Here You Can Specify The Country And Zip Codes Which Are Allowed As Per The Business Need.

### **If I Face Any Problem During Extension Installation, How Can I Solve That?**

If You Are Facing Any Issues During The Installation Of The Extension. Drop Us An Email At [Support@Zestard.Com](mailto:Support@Zestard.Com) And Will Get Back To You.

### **What Are The Features In This Module?**

#### **MAIN FEATURES:-**

1. This Extension Gives Relaxation For Customizing Success/Failure Message Of Service Availability.
2. Enable/Disable COD Based On Postcode/Zipcode/Pincode.
3. Manage Add/Edit/Update Postcodes, Where Cash On Delivery Method Is Available From Admin Panel.
4. Auto Hide Cash On Delivery When Postcode/Zip Code Is Not Available In Allowed Postcodes List From Admin Panel.
5. Allow Cash On Delivery Method To The Specific Country From Backend.

### On Fronted Which Place It Will Show?

This Module Allows Admin To Create A Shipping Method Which Is Based On Zip Code. This Shipping Method “Cash On Delivery Based On Zip Code” Is Displayed On The Cart And Checkout Page. Customers Can Order With Selecting This Shipping Method.

### Get Support From Our Team



We are here to help you out if you are facing any issues after installing the extension. Drop us an email at **[support@zestard.com](mailto:support@zestard.com)** and will get back to you.