

Joomion Countdowner – Frequently asked questions

FAQ · Digital countdown with fully customisable border and font (Joomla 5/6)

General

What does the module do?

It shows a **digital countdown** (days/hours/minutes/seconds) to a configurable target date, optionally with a second phase and a text shown after expiry.

What do I need to set at minimum?

Only the **target date/time** – without it the module stays hidden.

Can I style the border and font of the digits?

Yes: border width, border style (solid/dashed/dotted), border colour, font colour, font (including a digital-clock look) and font style (bold/italic/underline, combinable) are all freely configurable.

What happens once the countdown expires?

The freely configurable **text after expiry** appears. If a second target date/time is also set, a second countdown phase runs automatically beforehand.

Can I link the digits?

Yes, via the **link target** – all four countdown fields then become clickable, opening in the same or a new window.

Licence, updates & donations

Do I need a licence or a licence key?

No. The extension is **free software (GPL v2+)** and free of charge – **no licence key** required. All features run permanently.

How do I get updates?

Normally through the **Joomla updater** (System → Update → Extensions) – without any licence check. **No update guarantee.**

Is there support?

No guaranteed support, use at your own risk. Support requests are welcome at info@joomion.de.

Can I support the project?

Yes – via a **voluntary donation** on joomion.de. Thank you!

Does the extension work in Joomla 5 and 6?

Yes, it is built for **Joomla 5 and 6** (namespaced, current Joomla API).

Security

Is the extension safe – is any code injected?

Yes. Colour values are checked with a whitelist regex, the border width is clamped to a sensible numeric range, border style/font are only accepted from a fixed list of values – no CSS/JavaScript can be injected via the module parameters. The link target is checked against `javascript:/data:/vbscript:.` No malicious code.