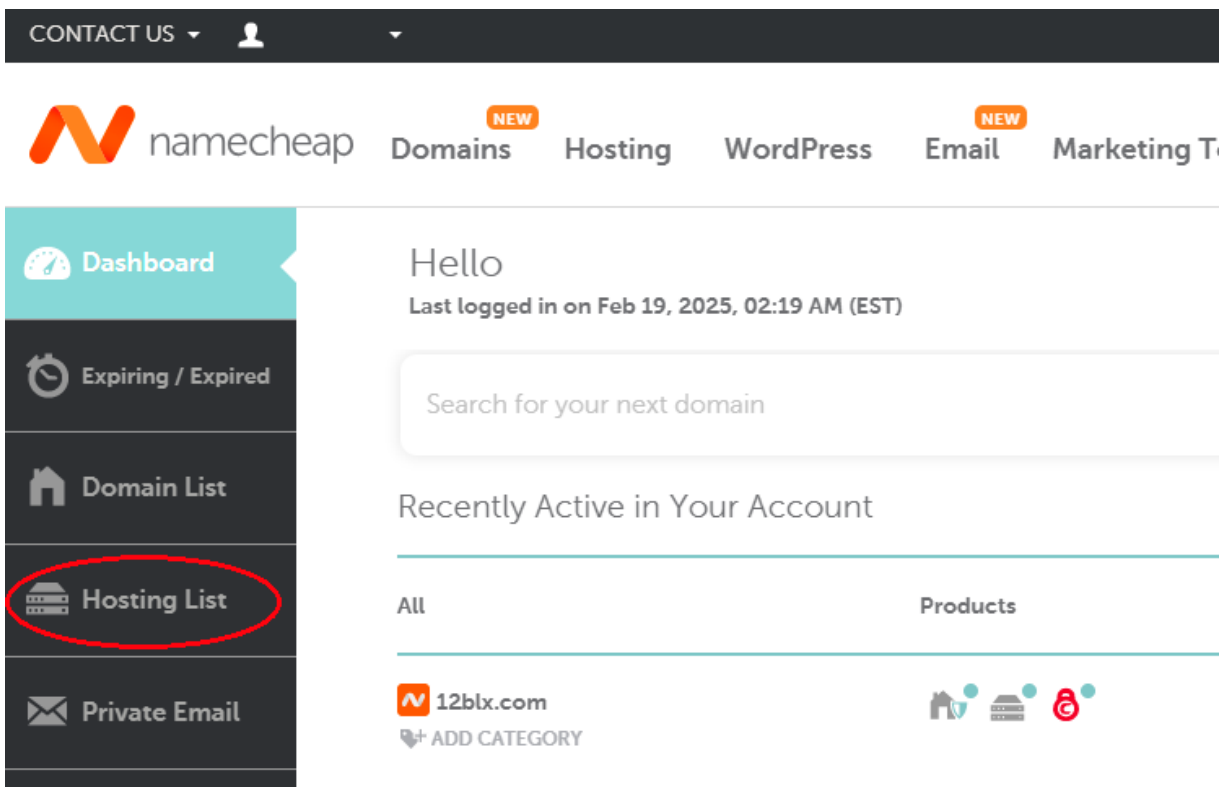
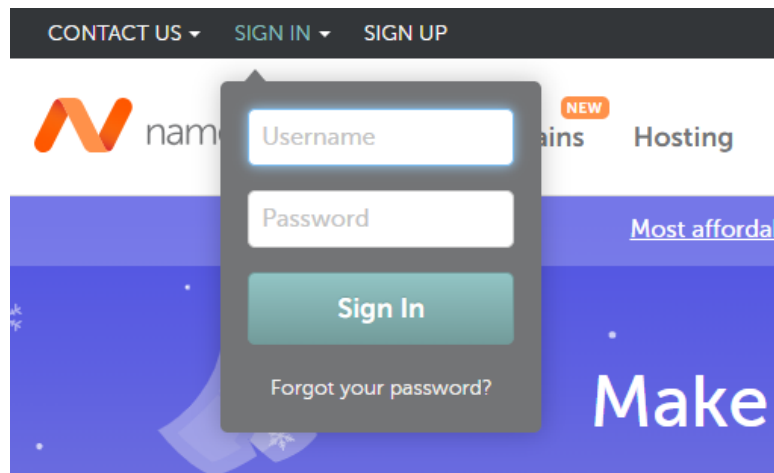




## Install 12blx To Web Hosting Account Using cPanel

(The illustrations used are from the 12blx Web Hosting Account with NameCheap, other hosting provider administration areas may look a little different)

1. Login to your web hosting account, you will be taken to your account dashboard.
2. Click on the "Hosting" list/account menu option.



3. Find and click on the "GO TO CPANEL" link.

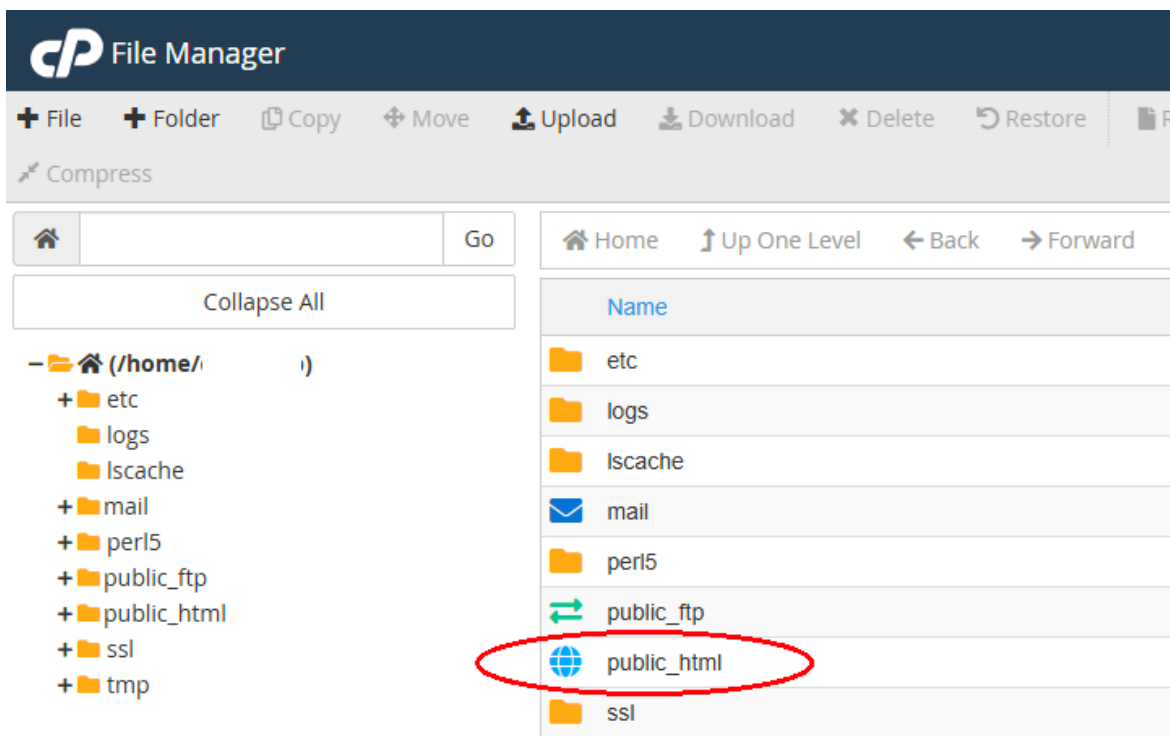
The screenshot shows the Namecheap website's 'Hosting Subscriptions' page. On the left is a dark sidebar with navigation links: Dashboard, Expiring / Expired, Domain List, Hosting List (highlighted), and Private Email. The main content area has a header with the Namecheap logo and navigation links for Domains, Hosting, WordPress, Email, Marketing Tools, and Security. Below the header is a table titled 'Hosting Subscriptions' with columns for Subscription, Plan, and Status. A single row is visible for '12blx.com' on the 'Stellar' plan, with a status of 'ACTIVE'. To the right of this row is a button labeled 'GO TO CPANEL' with a dropdown arrow, which is circled in red. A mouse cursor is pointing at the button.

Subscription	Plan	Status
12blx.com	Stellar	✓ ACTIVE

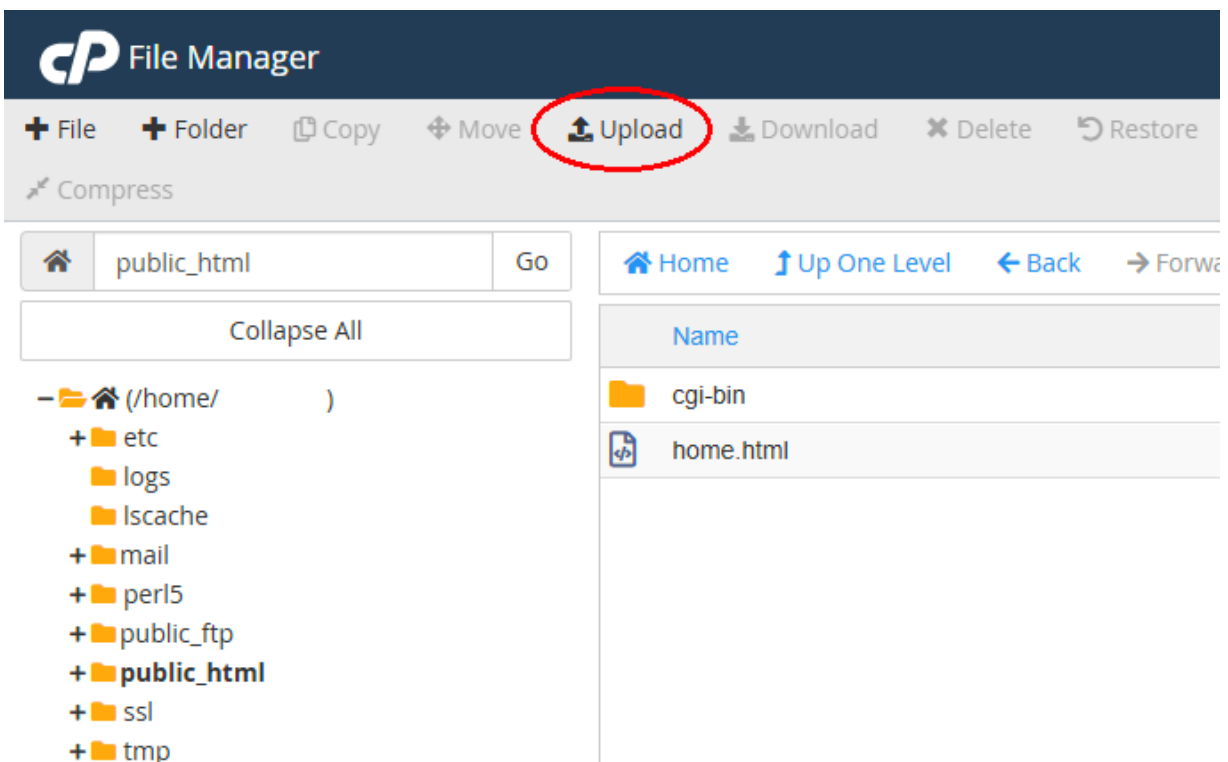
4. From the cPanel "Tools" page, scroll to the "Files" heading, click on "File Manager."

The screenshot shows the cPanel interface. On the left is a dark blue sidebar with the cPanel logo and a 'Tools' section containing links for Sitejet Builder, WordPress Manager by Softaculous, and others. The main content area is titled 'Tools' and contains several utility links: Jellyfish Spam Protection, Setup Python App, Namecheap Knowledgebase, Select PHP Version, Setup Ruby App, and Manage Shell. Below these is a section for 'Softaculous Apps Installer'. Further down is a 'Files' section, which is highlighted with a red oval. Inside the 'Files' section, the 'File Manager' link is circled in red. Other links in the 'Files' section include Images, Disk Usage, and Web Disk.

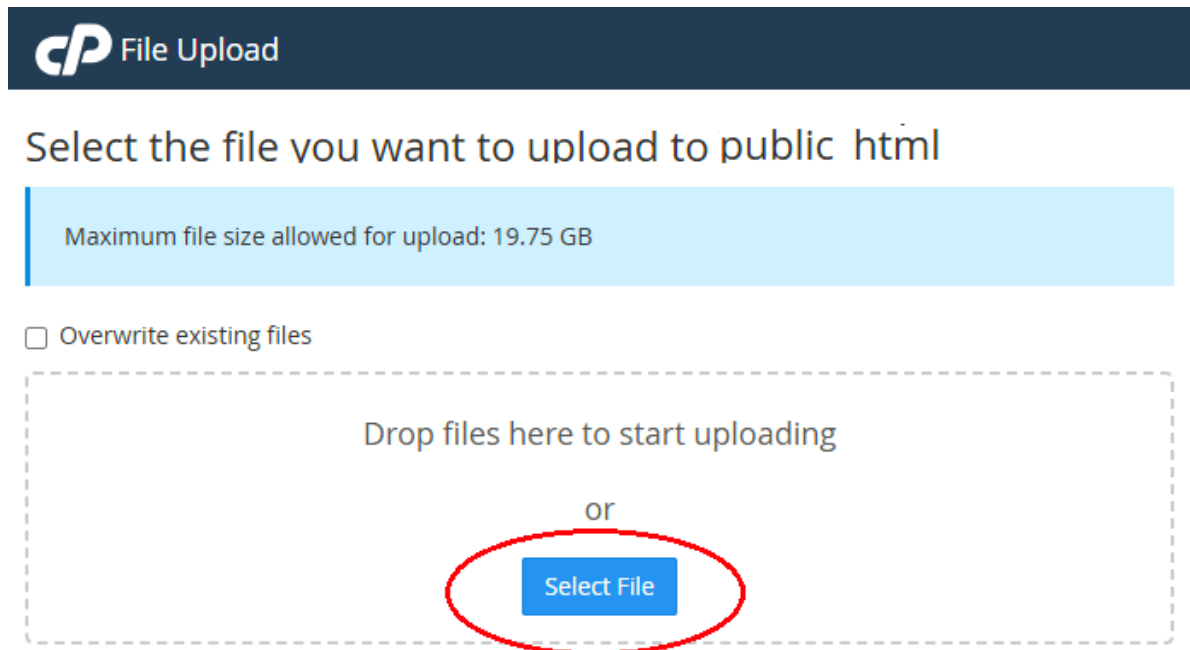
5. The "File Manager Home" displays a list of system folders, Click On the "**public\_html**" folder.



6. The **public\_html** folder is your website's home, inside you will see a couple of system folders/files and a placeholder/temporary homepage, like a page named "**home.html**".
7. Click the "**Upload**" link to select and upload the "**12blx-INSTALL-File.zip**" file.



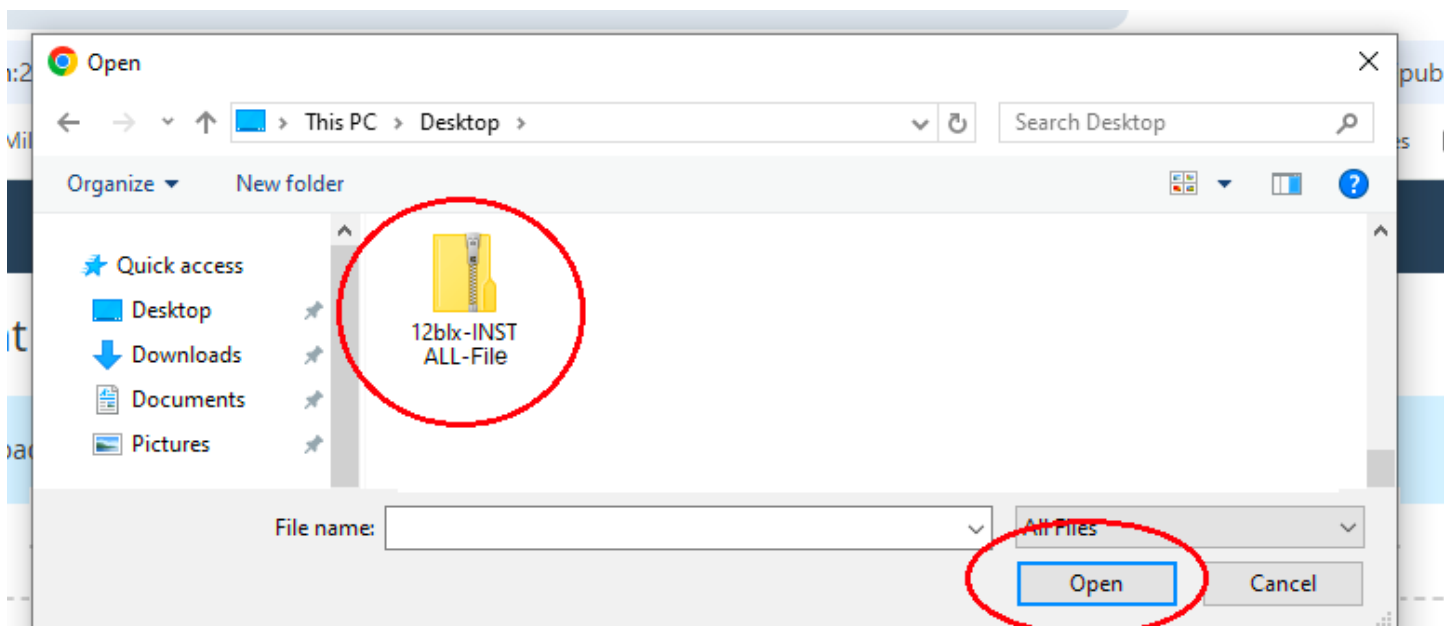
8. The **"File Upload"** form will be displayed.



The image shows a web interface for file upload. At the top, there is a dark blue header with the 'cp' logo and the text 'File Upload'. Below this, the instruction 'Select the file you want to upload to public html' is displayed. A light blue box contains the text 'Maximum file size allowed for upload: 19.75 GB'. Underneath, there is a checkbox labeled 'Overwrite existing files'. A large dashed box contains the text 'Drop files here to start uploading' and the word 'or' above a blue button labeled 'Select File'. The 'Select File' button is circled in red.

9. Click the **"Select File"** button to find and select the 12blx install file on your computer.

10. An "Open" dialog box will appear, select the **"12blx-INSTALL-File.zip"** from your computer and click the **"Open"** button.



11. The **12blx-INSTALL-File.zip** file will now appear in the File Manager Home folders/files list (You may need to hit the **"Reload"** link to refresh the list).
12. Next, select/highlight the **12blx-INSTALL-File.zip** and click the **"Extract"** link. This will unpack the contents of the install .zip file.

The screenshot shows the cPanel File Manager interface. The top navigation bar includes a search box and a 'Settings' button. Below the navigation bar is a toolbar with various actions: File, Folder, Copy, Move, Upload, Download, Delete, Restore, Rename, and Edit. A secondary toolbar contains HTML Editor, Permissions, View, Extract (circled in red), and Compress. The left sidebar shows a directory tree with 'public\_html' selected. The main content area displays a table of files and folders. The file '12blx-INSTALL-File.zip' is highlighted in blue, and its name is also circled in red. The table has columns for Name, Size, and Last Modified.

Name	Size	Last Modified
cgi-bin	4 KB	Oct 4, 2024, 1:50 PM
12blx-INSTALL-File.zip	35.28 KB	Today, 2:36 PM
home.html	0 bytes	Today, 2:37 PM

13. You will now see the **12blx folders and files** in your File Manager Home list. (Again, you may need to click the "Reload" link to refresh the list.)

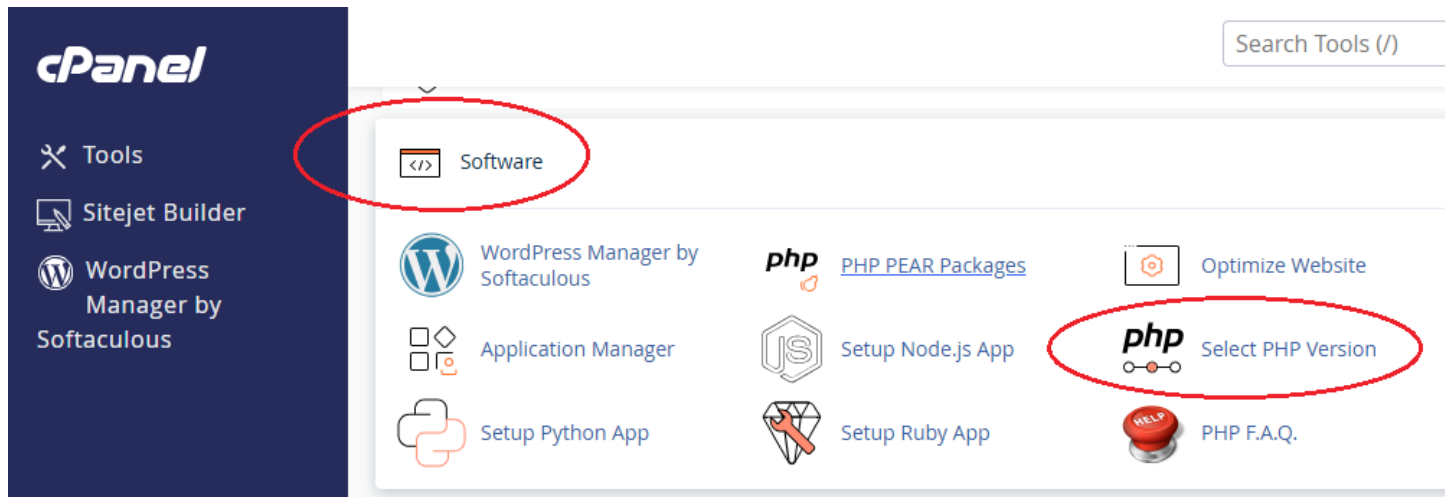
The screenshot shows the cPanel File Manager interface after the zip file has been extracted. The '12blx-INSTALL-File.zip' file is no longer present. Instead, the contents of the zip file are shown: a folder named 'db' (circled in red), a folder named 'lib' (circled in red), a file named 'home.html' (0 bytes), a file named 'index.php' (29.93 KB, circled in red), and a file named 'login.php' (20.16 KB, circled in red). The table has columns for Name and Size.

Name	Size
cgi-bin	4 KB
db	4 KB
lib	4 KB
home.html	0 bytes
index.php	29.93 KB
login.php	20.16 KB

## ALMOST FINISHED! A final task before installation is complete.

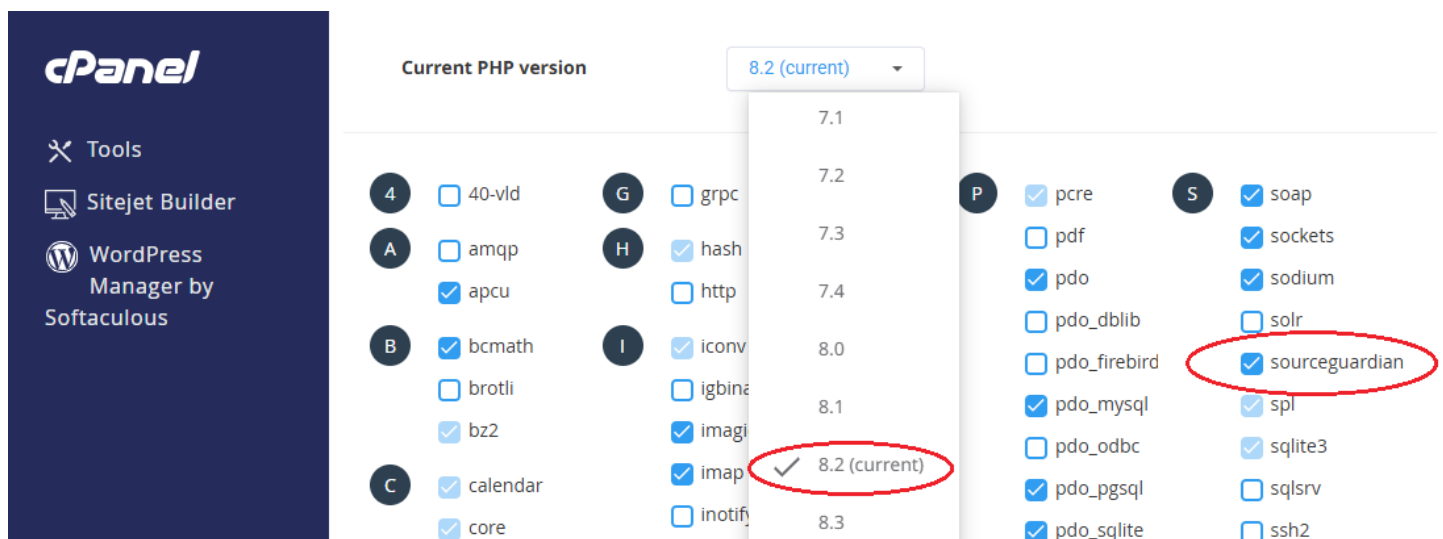
You need to check the PHP version that is currently selected on your host server is one of the following four versions: 8.0 / 8.1 / 8.2 / 8.3. To do this you need to go back to the cPanel Tools page.

**Scroll down to Software** heading, and click the **Select PHP Version** link.



14. On the **PHP Selector** page, the **PHP Extensions** list will display.

Select one of the **12blx compatible ( 8.0 / 8.1 / 8.2 / 8.3 ) PHP versions** from the drop-down list, **AND** make sure to check/enable the ☒ **sourceguardian** extension in the list.

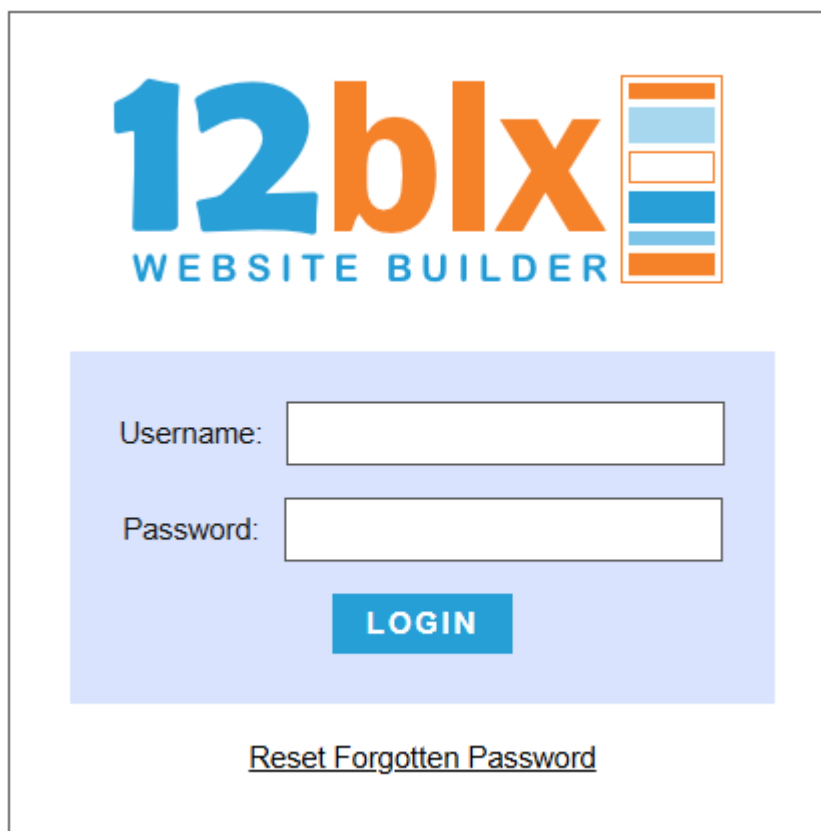


15. Once the 12blx installation is complete, you can **delete** the **12blx-INSTALL-File.zip** file from the hosting account public\_html folder. You can now logout of your web hosting account.

16. You should now be able to see your website. Open a new browser window and enter your website address, for example, if **the domain name you registered is JoesLawns.com**, you would enter **JoesLawns.com -OR- JoesLawns.com/index.php**.

(The **index.php file is the actual website** – whether named index.php, index.html, index.asp, or with another file extension – the “index” file is the file the browser searches for and loads as the domain homepage. There should only be one file with the name “index”)

17. Your new one-page website will display some sample data including a temporary logo, a large intro image, and footer text. The first 3 body content blocks will also contain sample data.
18. Now you can login to the 12blx administration area to begin building your website.  
(Again, if the domain you registered is JoesLawns.com, the login page is at JoesLawns.com/login.php)
19. The temporary login credentials are:  
**Username:** 12blxUser, **Password:** 12blxPass, **Security Code:** NewWebsite  
You should immediately login and change them to unique, personally selected values.



The image shows the login page for 12blx Website Builder. At the top, the logo "12blx" is displayed in blue and orange, with "WEBSITE BUILDER" in blue below it. To the right of the logo is a vertical stack of five colored squares (orange, light blue, white, dark blue, orange). Below the logo is a light blue rectangular box containing the login form. The form has two input fields: "Username:" and "Password:". Below these fields is a blue button with the text "LOGIN" in white. At the bottom of the page, there is a link that says "Reset Forgotten Password".