



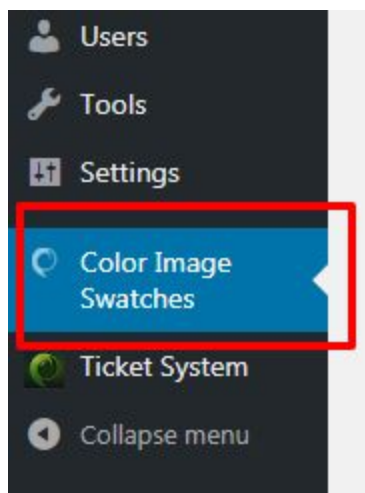
## Documentation of Color and Image Swatches for woocommerce

### Installation of Color and Image Swatches for woocommerce

#### Activation

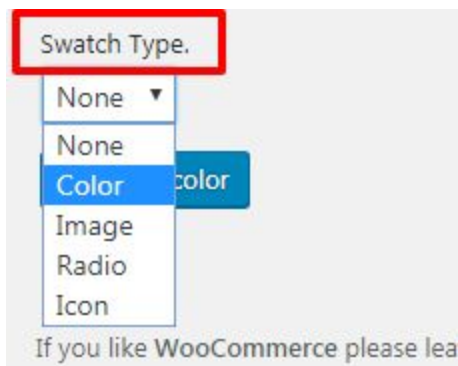
Once you have uploaded the **plugin**, activate your plugin in **Plugins** → **Installed plugins**.

If it has been activated correctly, plugin control panel is available in the tab **Color image swatches** in WordPress dashboard.



## Types of swatch options

- Option to create swatches using **Colors or Bicolors**.
- Option to create swatches using **Images**.
- Option to create swatches using **Icons**, grid of 300 icons library is available with this option.
- Option to create swatches using **Radio**.
- Option to create swatches using **Text**.
- Attributes can be shown in the **Dropdown** by choosing option **None**.



## Color Swatches Plugin Settings

### General Settings :

- **Enable plugin** : This option is for enabling the plugin on the site.
- **Enable on shop page** : If this option is enabled then user can see the swatches on the shop page also.
- **Enable hide attributes on shop page** : This option provides the feature of showing a selected number of attributes on shop page and rest will be hidden. It adds an addition button i.e '+' on shop page to show rest of the attributes.
- **Show default variation dropdown in select2** : If this option is enabled then on the shop page attributes will show in a select2 type when attribute control type is none.
- **Add to cart button on shop page** : This option provides the facility to adjust the add to cart/select options button either above or below the variations on the shop page.
- **Show attribute term label** : This is used to select the attribute term label representation type i.e tooltip or label type.
- **Show attribute term tooltip position** : This option is used to set the tooltip position.
- **Clear selection text** : This option is for the text which can be used to deselect the selected items.

- **Reset:** It will reset all the values of the general tab to default values.

**General** Styling default settings of the general settings

Enable plugin :

Enable on shop page :   
*It will display all the attributes on shop page.*

Enable hide attributes on shop page :  Attribute Count  
*It will show only given number of attributes on shop page and rest will be hidden.*

Show default variation dropdown in select2 :   
*It will show all the attributes in select2 when attribute control type is none.*

Add to cart button on shop page : Below ▾  
*Select the position of add to cart/select variations on shop page.*

Show attribute term label : Tooltip ▾  
*Select attribute term label representation type.*

Show attribute term tooltip position : Below ▾  
*Select attribute term tooltip position.*

Clear selection text : clear selection

Save **Reset**

## Styling Settings:

You can change the following styling options according to your site content.

- **Swatch style** : Option is available in square and circle style.
- **Square swatch style** : This is to set the edges of the square swatch. It can be round edge or sharp edge.
- **Radio swatch alignment** : This is to set the alignment of radio swatch. It can be vertical or horizontal.



Logos



\$54.00 - \$423.00

- Rectangle
- Round
- Square

- **Show more button style on shop** : Style of show more button (+ sign) can be set from here. It can be square, circle or none.



- **Attribute term label font size** : Font size of attribute term label can be set from here. It is default value is 15px (font size cannot be less than 15 px).
- **Attribute term label font weight** : Font weight of label can be set from here. It cannot be less than 400.
- **Margin between attribute term label and swatch** : Margin between attribute term label and swatch can be set from here.
- **Price label font size** : Font size of price label can be set from here. It cannot be less than 15px.
- **Radio label font size** : This is to set the font size of the label written with radio button.
- **Show more button size on shop page** : Show more button size can be set from here.
- **Price label font weight** : Font weight of price label can be set from here. It cannot be less than 400.
- **Tooltip background color** : Background color of tooltip can be set from here.
- **Tooltip text color** : Tooltip text color can be set from here.
- **Sizes of all the swatches can be adjusted.**
- **Color of all the swatches can be adjusted.**
- **Reset:** It will reset all the values of the styling tab to default values.

General

Styling

default values of styling

Swatch style :

Square ▾

Square swatch style :

Sharp edge ▾

Radio swatch alignment :

Horizontal ▾

Show more button style on shop :

Square ▾

Attribute term label font size :

15

px

Show more button font size on shop :

15

px

Attribute term label font weight :

400

Highest 900

Margin between attribute term label and swatch :

1

px

Price label font size :

15

px

Radio label font size :

15

px

Show more button size on shop :

15

px

Price label font weight :

400

Highest 900

Swatch radio thumbnail size :

  
Height(px)

Swatch image thumbnail size :

 X   
Height(px) Width(px)

Swatch color thumbnail size :

 X   
Height(px) Width(px)

Swatch icon thumbnail size :

 X   
Height(px) Width(px)

Swatch text thumbnail size :

 X   
Height(px) Width(px)

Tooltip background color :

 Select Color

Tooltip text color :

 Select Color

Default swatch border color :

 Select Color

Active swatch border color :

 Select Color

Swatch text color :

 Select Color

Swatch hover color :

 Select Color

Show more button text color :

 Select Color

Show more button background color :

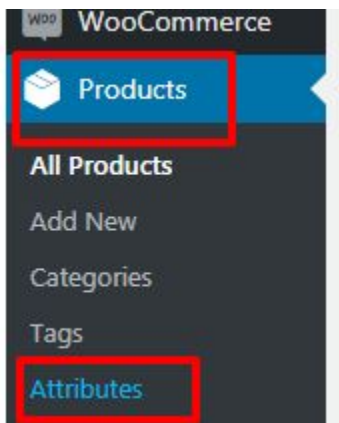
 Select Color

**To create the swatches Globally you need to generate variations using attributes:**

**Steps to be followed to add swatches globally:**

- Go to **wordpress admin> Products> attributes>Create the label of the attribute> add attributes> select the swatch type> click on Save.**

1.






2.

## Attributes

**Add new attribute**

Attributes let you define extra product data, such as size or color. You can use these attributes in the shop sidebar using the "layered nav" widgets.

**Name**  
color  **add name of attribute**

Name for the attribute (shown on the front-end).


**Slug**

Unique slug/reference for the attribute; must be no more than 28 characters.


**Enable Archives?**  
Enable this if you want this attribute to have product archives in your store.

**Default sort order**  
Custom ordering ▾

Determines the sort order of the terms on the frontend shop product pages. If using custom ordering, you can drag and drop the terms in this attribute.

**Add attribute**  **click here**

3.

Name	Slug	Order by	Terms	
color	color	Custom ordering	<a href="#">- Configure terms</a>	 <b>click here</b>

4.

**Add new Color**

**add color name here**

Name  
Red

*The name is how it appears on your site.*

Slug

*The "slug" is the URL-friendly version of the name. It is usually all lowercase and contains only letters, numbers, and hyphens.*

Description

*The description is not prominent by default; however, some themes may show it.*

Swatch type.  
Color ▾

**select swatch here**

Color:  
 Select Color

*Enable for bicolor*

**click here**

Add new Color

## 5. To make bicolor swatch:

**Add new Color**

Name **add color here**

grey/black

*The name is how it appears on your site.*

Slug

*The "slug" is the URL-friendly version of the name. It is usually all lowercase and contains only letters, numbers, and hyphens.*

Description

*The description is not prominent by default; however, some themes may show it.*

Swatch Type **select swatch here**

Color

Color:

Select Color

**Enable for bicolor** **for bicolor enable bicolor option**

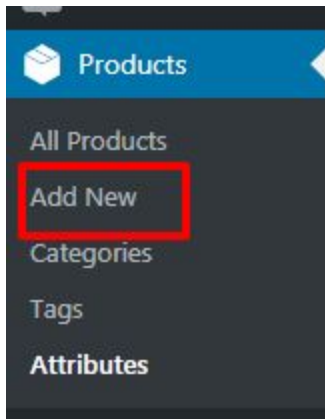
Select Color **select second color here**

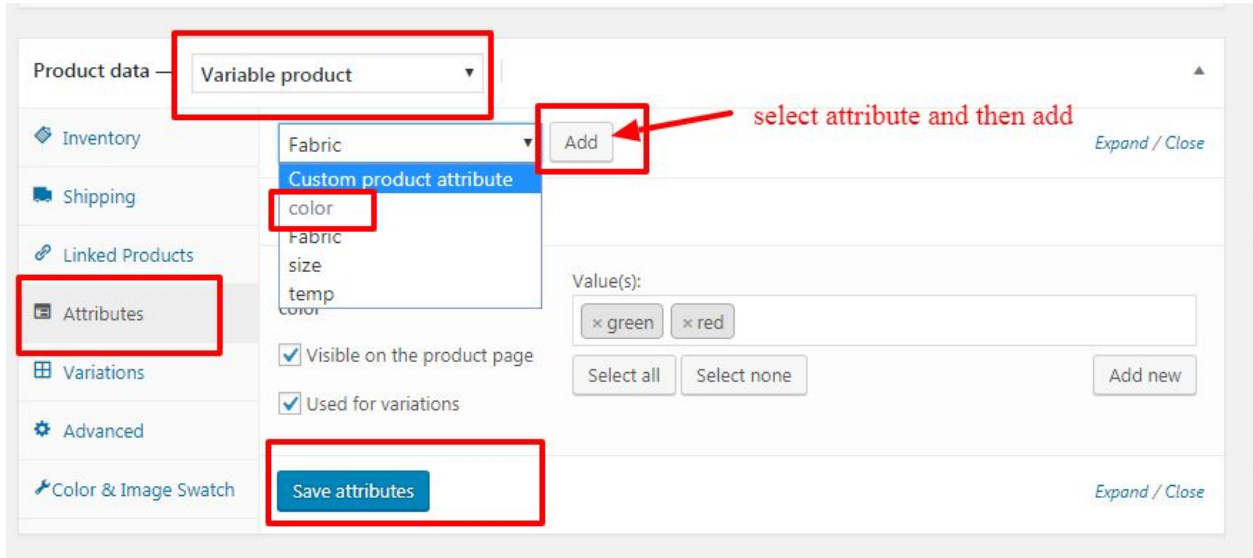
**Add new Color** **click here**

## Attributes using different swatch types:

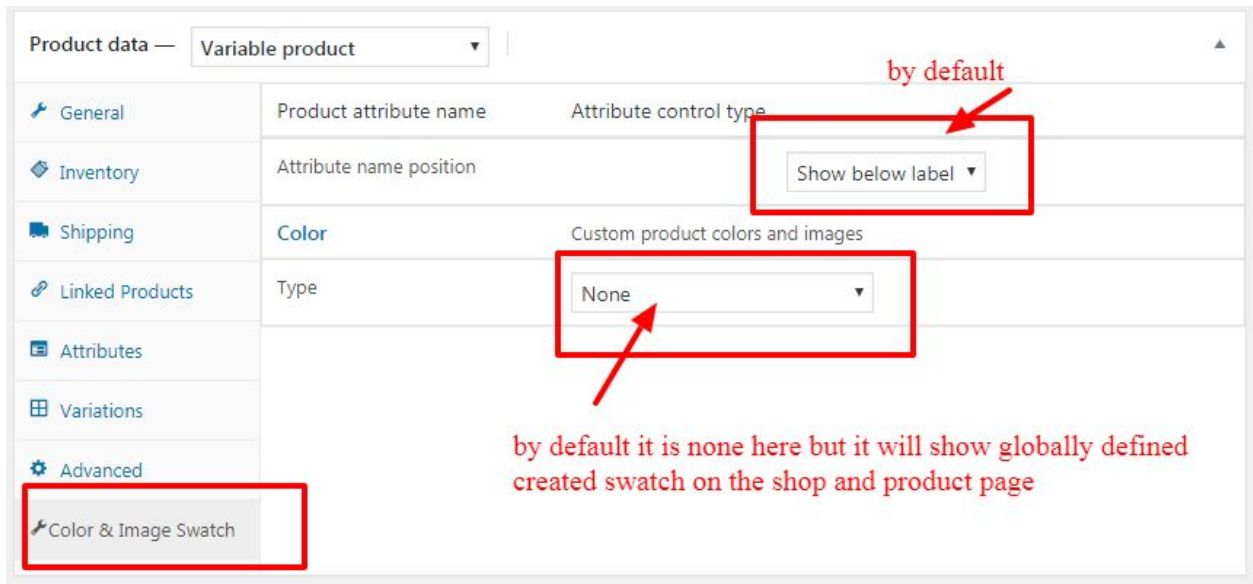
Name	Slug	Order by	Terms
Color	color	Custom ordering	black, Blue, Gray, green, grey, pink, red, white, Yellow <a href="#">Configure terms</a>
fabric	fabric	Custom ordering	cotton, linen, rubber, silk <a href="#">Configure terms</a>
Logo	logo	Custom ordering	adidas, reebok <a href="#">Configure terms</a>
mobile	mobile	Custom ordering	redmi 5a, samsung <a href="#">Configure terms</a>

- Go to the **backend of products**> choose **variable product**>go to **attributes**> **select** the attribute of which you want to create variations> click on **add**.





- Go to **variations**. Once **created variations**, click on **publish** button.
- Once the product is **published**, it will automatically show the **globally** created **swatch type** on both the pages i.e shop and product page and **attribute name position** is **below the label**.



**Attribute name position** can be changed according to the admin.

Product data — Variable product

General	Product attribute name	Attribute control type
Inventory	Attribute label position	None
Shipping	Color	Custom product colors
Linked Products		
Attributes		
Variations		

None  
None  
Show below label  
Show above label

**None:** It will not show the attribute name either on shop page or on product page.



**Show below label:** It will show the attribute name below the swatch label.

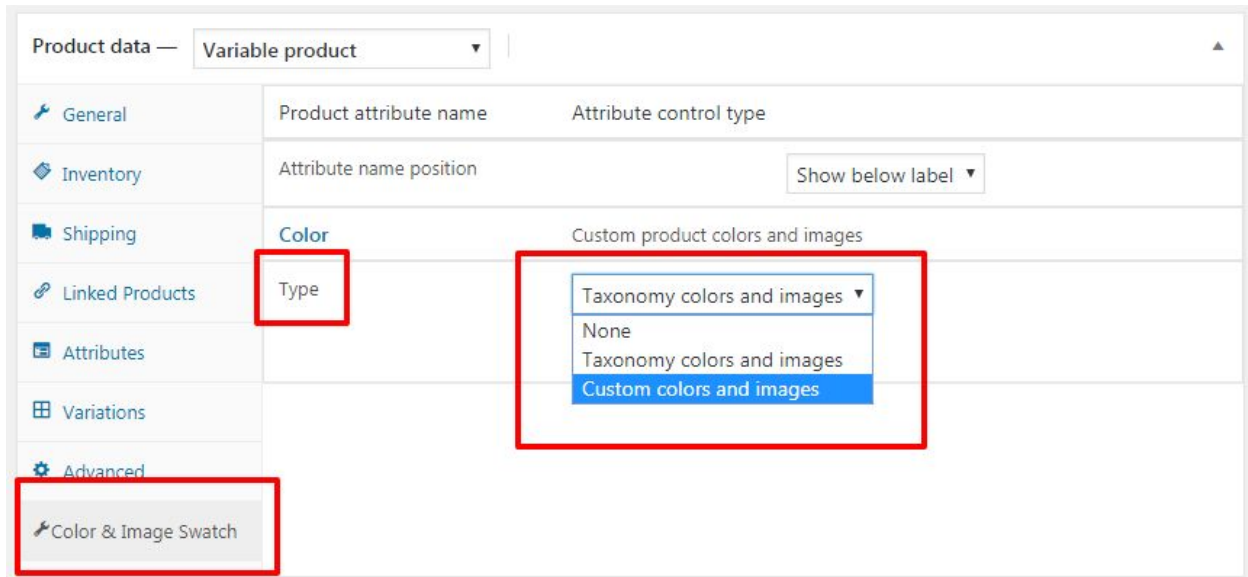


**Show above label:** It will show the attribute name above the swatch label.



### To create the swatches on per product basis

- Follow the above steps.
- Then go to **color and image swatch tab**> select the **type**.



There are three types available in **Type**.

- **None:** If selected type is None, then the attributes will show in **dropdown**.



The screenshot shows a product page for 'Books'. On the left is a light blue polo shirt. To the right, the product name 'Books' is displayed above the price range '₹11.00 - ₹321.00 \$'. A red annotation 'select type none' with an arrow points to a dropdown menu for 'Color'. The dropdown is open, showing options: 'green' (selected), 'Choose an option...', 'black', 'Blue', 'Gray', 'green', 'grey', 'pink', 'red', 'white', and 'Yellow'. Below the dropdown, there is a 'Add to cart' button and a 'categorized' label. At the bottom left, there are links for 'Additional information' and 'Reviews (0)'.

- **Taxonomy colors and images:** If selected type is Taxonomy colors and images then globally created swatches will show on both the pages shop and product.



The screenshot shows a product page for 'Books'. On the left is a light blue polo shirt. To the right, the product name 'Books' is displayed above the price range '₹11.00 - ₹321.00 \$'. A red annotation 'globally created swatch' points to a row of color swatches. The swatches include black, blue, grey, green, grey, pink, red, and white. Below the swatches is a 'clear selection' link. The current price is '₹67.00 \$'. At the bottom, there is a quantity input field with '1' and an 'Add to cart' button.



- **Custom colors and images:** If selected type is Custom colors and images then the swatches can be created on the basis of per product.

The screenshot displays a product configuration interface with a sidebar on the left and a main configuration area. The sidebar includes options like Shipping, Linked Products, Attributes, Variations, and Advanced, with 'Color & Image Swatch' selected and highlighted in a red box. The main area shows two attribute configurations: 'Color' and 'size'. Both are set to 'Custom product colors and images'. The 'Color' attribute configuration table is highlighted with a red box and has a red arrow pointing to it with the text 'can set swatch on per product basis'. The 'Color' table lists swatches for Blue, green, pink, red, and Yellow. The 'size' attribute configuration table lists swatches for L, M, and S.

Preview	Attribute	Type
	Blue	image Swatch
	green	radio Swatch
	pink	color Swatch
	red	color Swatch
	Yellow	color Swatch


  


Preview	Attribute	Type
	L	icon Swatch
	M	icon Swatch
	S	icon Swatch

## Frontend view of the product with different swatches used in it

- On shop page:

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Winter Hoodies

★★★★☆


\$12.00 - \$434.00

+

Reebok

Winter Wears

\$12.00 - \$545.00



L

M

S

Rectangle

Round

Square

✕ clear Selection

- On product page:



Color  
  ← color swatch

Size  
   ← icon swatch

Logo  
  ← radio swatch

Occasion  
  ← text

Fabric  
   ← image swatch

Mobile  
 ▾ ← dropdown  
[clear selection](#)