

DSpace Release 1.7.3 Notes

Version 1.7.3



DSpace 1.7.3 was officially released to the public on July 25, 2013.

DSpace 1.7.3 can be downloaded immediately at either of the following locations:

- SourceForge (Zip): <https://sourceforge.net/projects/dspace/files/Dspace%20Stable/1.7.3/>
- GitHub: <https://github.com/DSpace/DSpace> (tag 'dspace-1.7.3')



All DSpace 1.7.x JSPUI users should upgrade to 1.7.3

DSpace 1.7.3 includes a security fix for the JSPUI. Although there are no known exploits, we recommend all 1.7.x JSPUI users upgrade to 1.7.3 (or [1.8.3](#) or [3.2](#)) in order to fix this vulnerability.

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Summary

DSpace 1.7.3 is a security fix release to resolve a JSPUI security vulnerability in the 1.7.x platform.

This security release includes the following fixes:

- Resolved security issue in JSPUI ([DS-1603](#) - requires a JIRA account to access). This fix has been backported from the [DSpace 3.2](#) release.
- Minor cleanup of the 1.7.x codebase so that it is Git/GitHub friendly. This means that 1.7.3 can now be forked or checked out from GitHub, using either Git or [Subversion](#)
- Updated 1.7.x codebase to build properly when using Maven 3

We highly recommend all 1.7.x JSPUI users upgrade to 1.7.3.

Upgrade Instructions

- For upgrade instructions for 1.7.x to 1.7.3, please see [Upgrading From 1.7 to 1.7.x](#).
- For upgrade instructions for 1.6.x to 1.7.3, please see [Upgrading From 1.6.x to 1.7.x](#)
- For general upgrade instructions, please see [Upgrading a DSpace Installation](#)

No new features in DSpace 1.7.3



1.7.3 is a security fix release. This means it includes **no new features**.

For a list of all new 1.7 Features, please visit the [DSpace Release 1.7.0 Notes](#).

Bug Fixes

Changes

The following fixes were released in 1.7.3.

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This release also included a security fix (which requires a JIRA account to view):

- [DS-1603](#) - Resolves a security issue in JSPUI

Organizational Details

Release Coordination

- Release Coordinator: Committers Team (shared coordination) led by [Hardy Pottinger](#)

Timeline and Proceeding

Release Timeline:

- Release Date: July 25, 2013.

Release Process will proceed according to the following Maven release process: [Release Procedure](#)