

One of the
challenges moving
from Wordpress to
Drupal is migrating
all the content

See how Wordpress Migrate SQL
automates the whole move →

A WordPress site built over the years can hold thousands of posts and pages

Migrating to Drupal means accounting for every one of them: redesigning the site if needed, building the new architecture, and then creating a Drupal node for **each existing post or page**.

1,000s
of posts and pages a single WordPress site may hold

Doing it manually is slow and easy to get wrong

- **Manual uploads:** every image uploaded by hand, every user recreated, every translation managed manually.
- **Format mismatch:** content needs adapting to a new site architecture as it comes over.
- **Human error:** a single mistake is easy to fix, but a systematic one can cost more time than automating the whole migration would have taken.

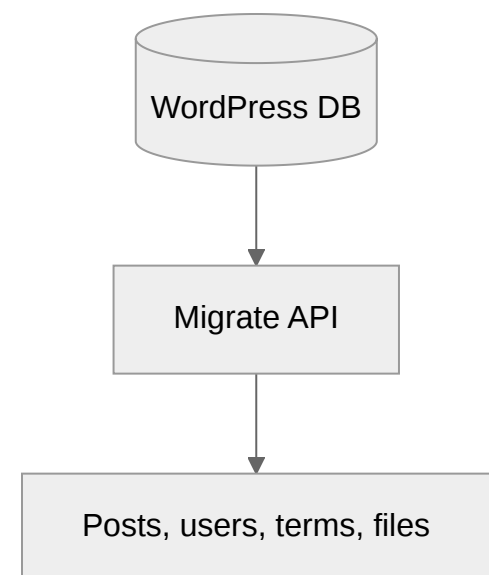
Wordpress Migrate SQL migrates your content, and lets you customize the migration too

Wordpress Migrate SQL is the module built specifically for automating WordPress-to-Drupal migrations.

The base module already ships a ready-to-use migration of WordPress posts as Drupal articles, plus users, terms, and files.

The module reads straight from your WordPress database

Once Drupal can connect to the WordPress database, the module reads it directly, through the Migrate API, table by table. That is different from a WordPress XML export: it can gather everything, filter only what's needed, and pull extra data added by plugins, like translations.



Two ways to migrate

- The module offers two methods, choose the one that best fits your needs.
- **Basic:** run everything straight from the UI.
- **Customized:** start from a base migration and extend it.

Basic migration: Import everything using the UI

- Enable **Wordpress Migrate SQL** and its **Basic** submodule.
- Fill in the WordPress database credentials and files URL.
- Click **Import all**. Users, categories, images, and posts import in the right order.
- **Rollback all** undoes everything if something looks wrong.

Customized migration: Migration ready to be extended

- Run `drush generate wordpress-migration`, which asks for the module name, target node bundle, image field, and taxonomy vocabularies and fields.
- Scaffolds four migrations: users, terms, attachments, and posts.
- Ready to extend for custom code like markup specific from the site, content translation done with specific wordpress plugins, or shortcodes.

Already proven on real WordPress migrations

The module has migrated WordPress sites for NGOs and other organizations. The process stays the same every time: enable Wordpress Migrate SQL, prepare a custom base migration, and use it as the starting point, so the work goes straight to the project's specific needs instead of relearning WordPress's base tables.

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One module covers both ends of the migration

Wordpress Migrate SQL automates a WordPress-to-Drupal migration directly from the database, covering posts, users, terms, and files.

It works as a one-click **basic import** for standard sites, and as a fully customizable, Drush-scaffolded module for legacy content and plugin-specific needs, already proven on real migrations averaging 500 to 2000 posts.



Ready to move your WordPress content to Drupal?

At **Metadrop** we maintain Wordpress Migrate SQL
and can help scope your migration from day one.

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on Drupal and content migrations.



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