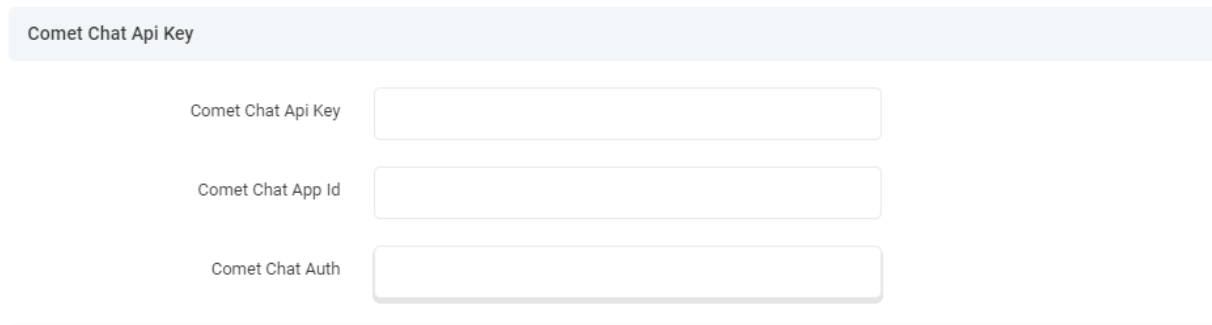


CometChat Keys Setup Guide

Configure 'CometChat' keys under **Settings->General settings->CometChat Api Keys.** (fig 1)



The screenshot shows the 'Comet Chat Api Key' settings in the admin panel. It features three input fields: 'Comet Chat Api Key', 'Comet Chat App Id', and 'Comet Chat Auth'. Each field is currently empty and has a light gray border. The title 'Comet Chat Api Key' is displayed in a light gray header bar at the top of the form area.

Fig. 1: CometChat keys Settings (Admin panel)

To collect these keys, Follow below steps:

1. Visit <https://www.cometchat.com/>.(fig 2)

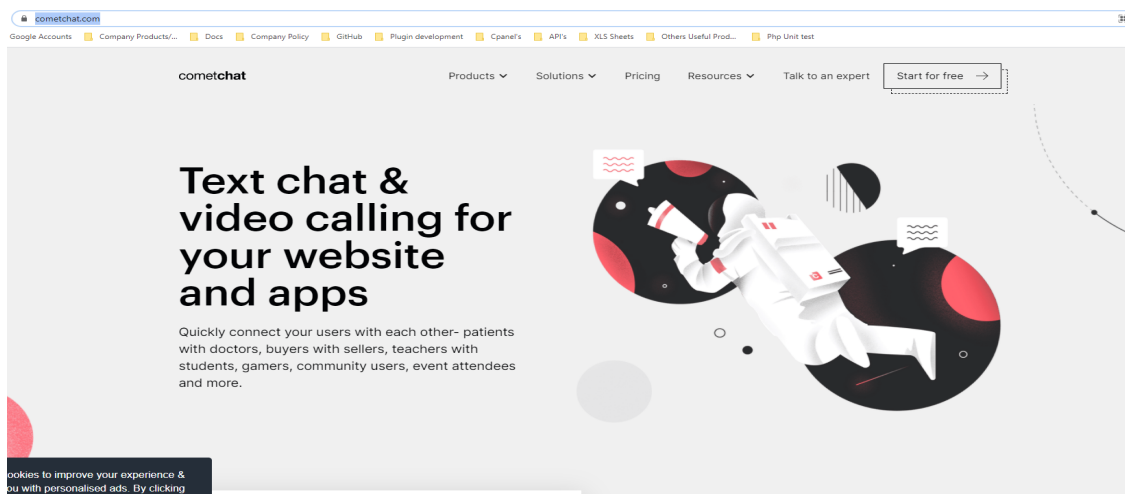


Fig. 2: CometChat website Homepage

2. Click on **Strat for free > cometchat go.** (fig 3)

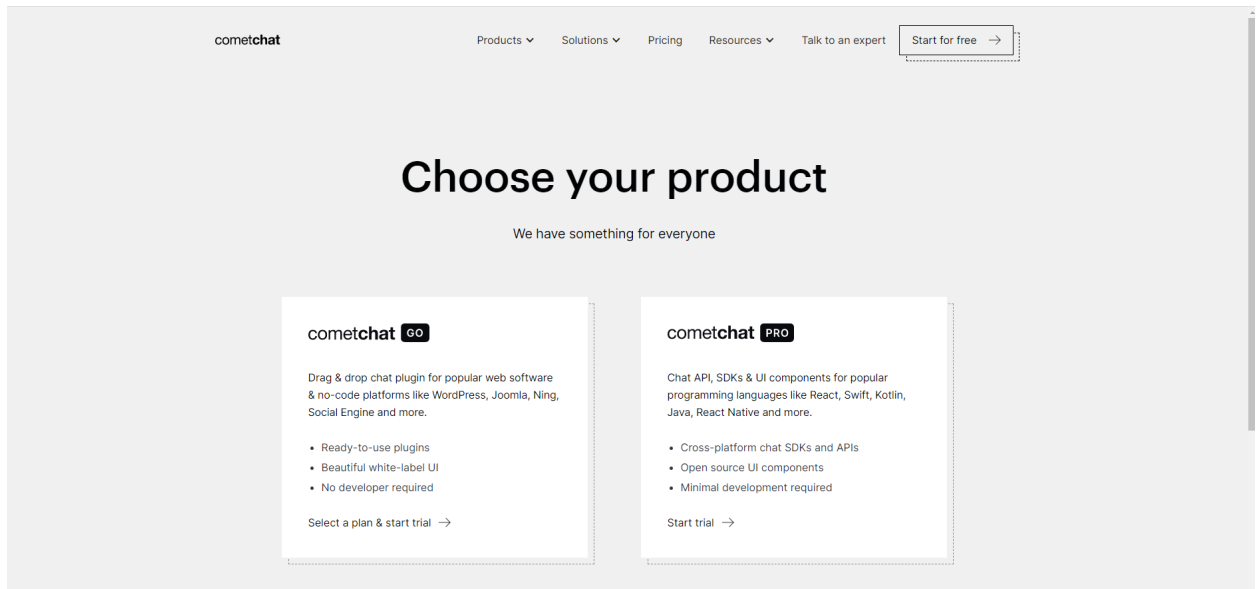


Fig. 3: CometChat choose product page.

3. Now product different pricing plan pages will open, Choose any plan and click on **'Start for free'**. (fig 4)

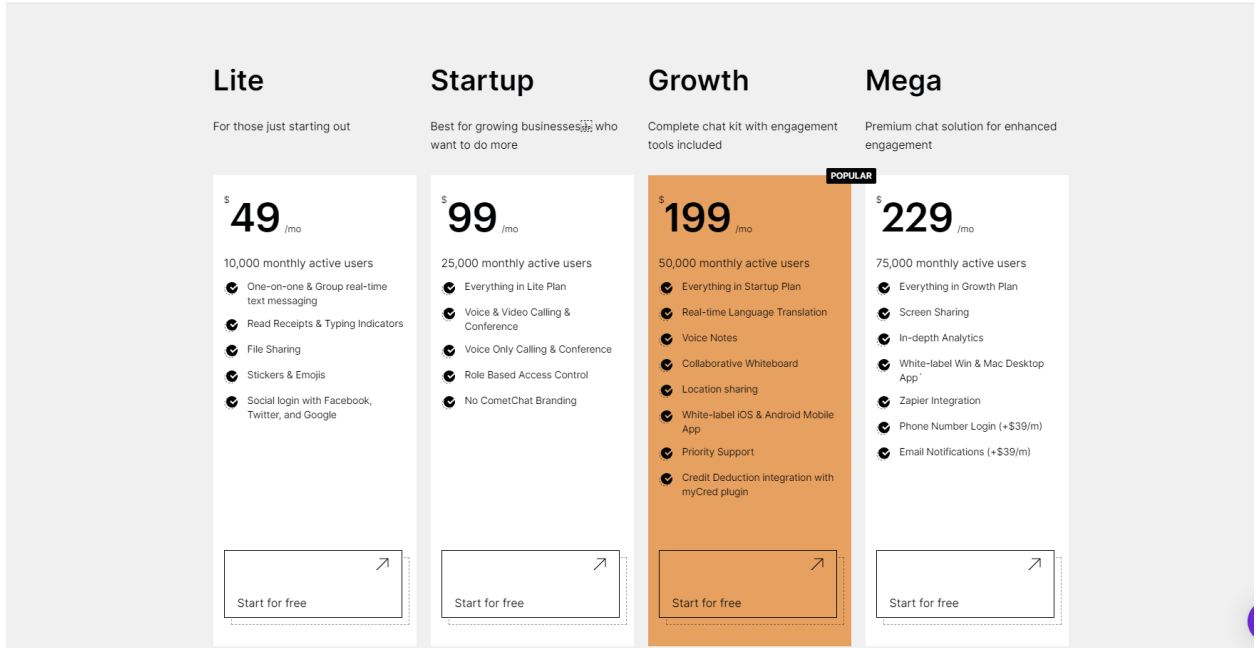


Fig. 4: CometChat product pricing page.

4. Add an email address and click on continue.(fig 5)

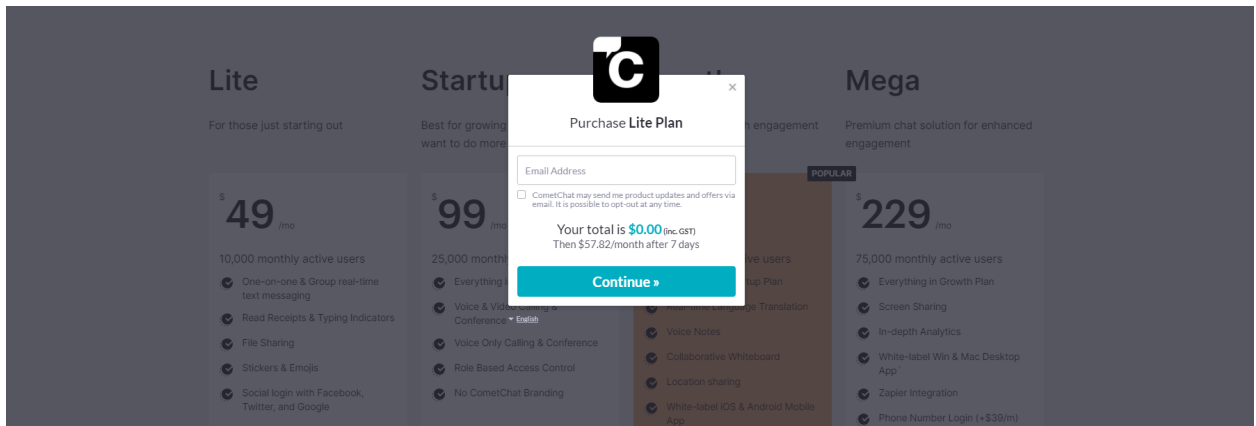


Fig. 5: CometChat add email pop-up

5. Form will open in the same pop-up to add country and pincode.(fig 6)

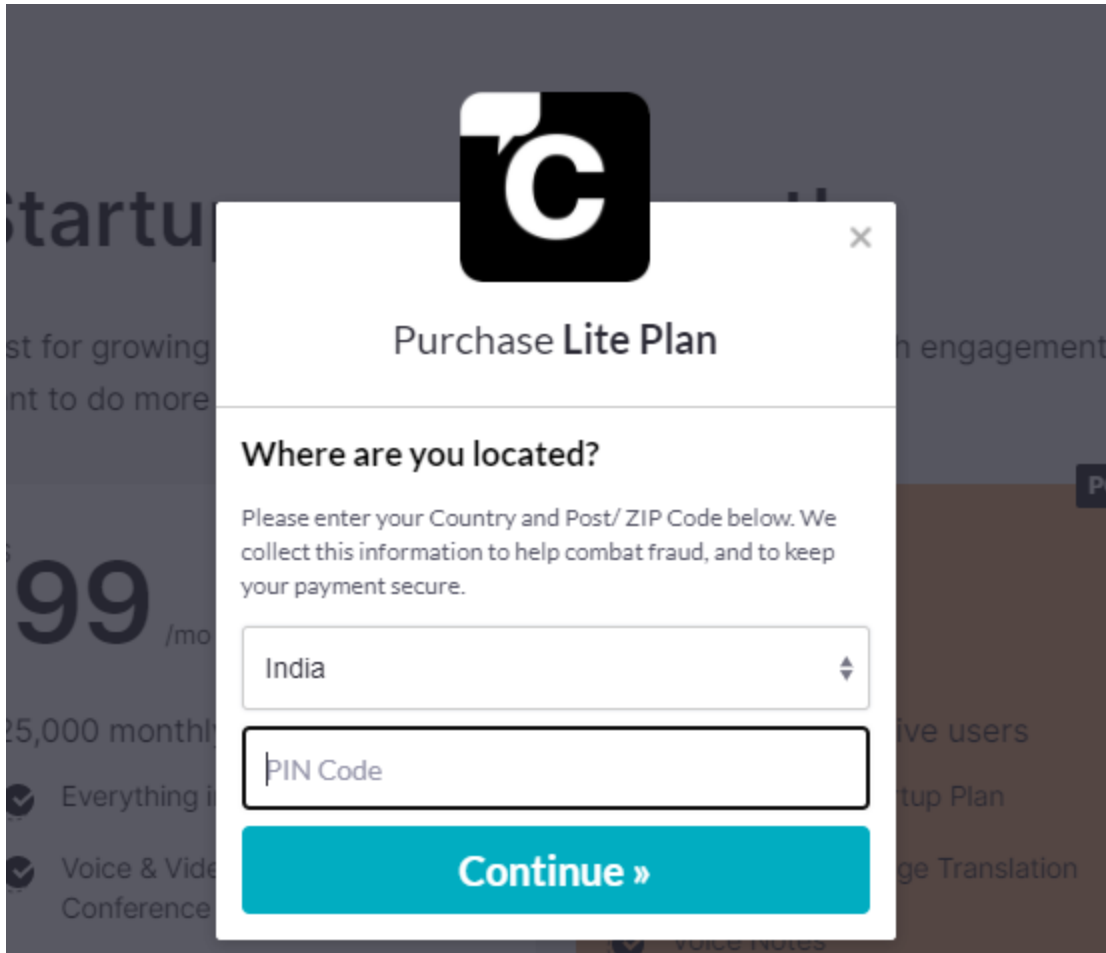


Fig. 6: CometChat Enter country and pincode page

6. In the same pop-up, the payment page will open (fig 7) where different payment options are given, click on the one based on your preference.

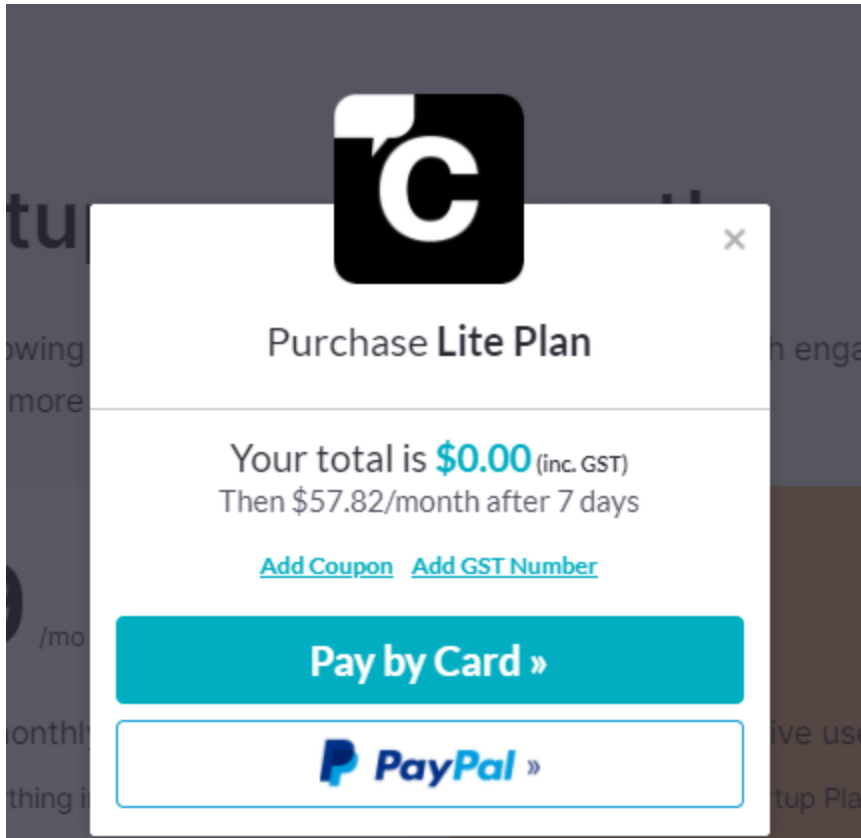


Fig. 7: CometChat payment pop-up

7. Once payment is done, the account is set up. Details(password) will be sent on the mail id that was used initially to purchase the plan. Now click on <https://secure.cometchat.com/users/login> . (fig 8)

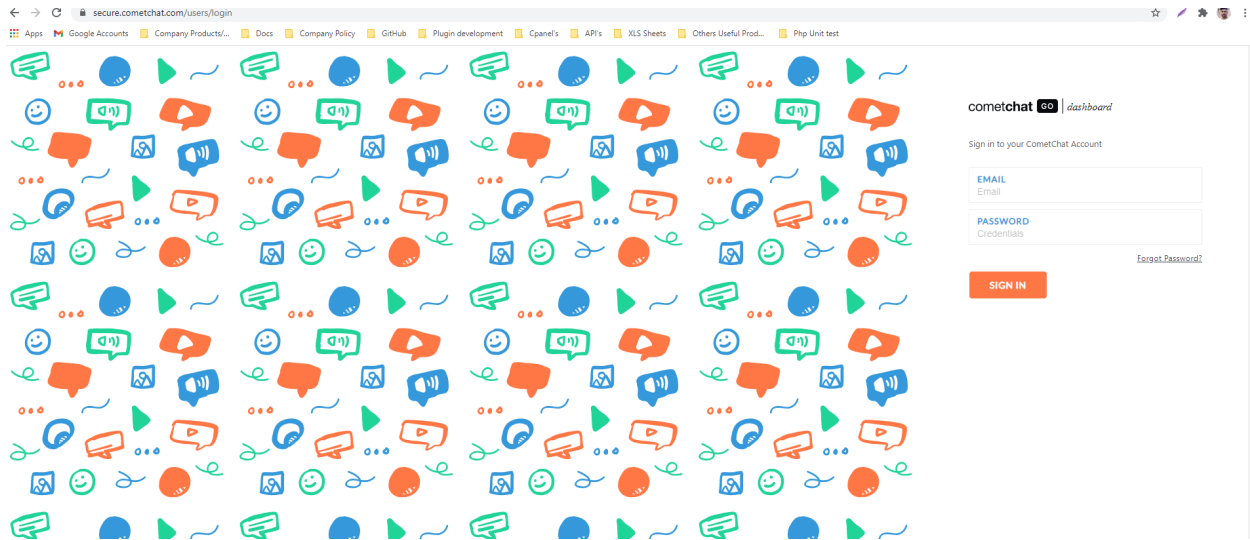


Fig. 8: CometChat go login page

8. After login, the dashboard page will open. Click on **Manage > Setting->Api keys.** (fig 9, 10)

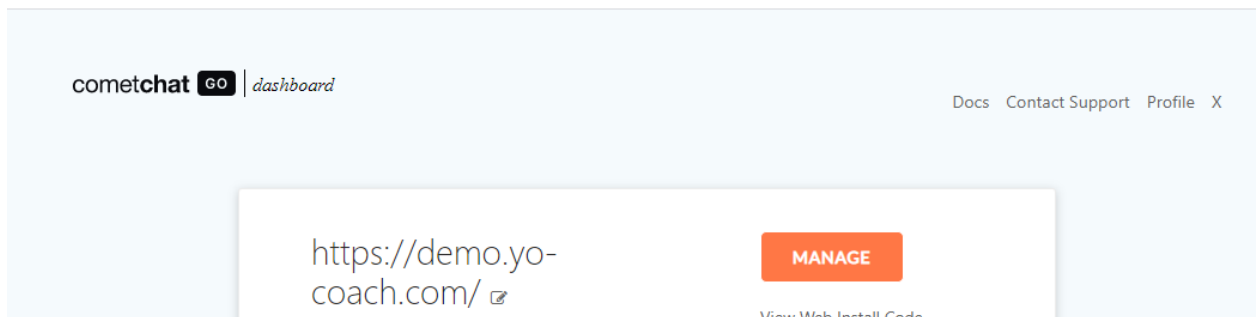


Fig. 9: CometChat go account landing dashboard page.

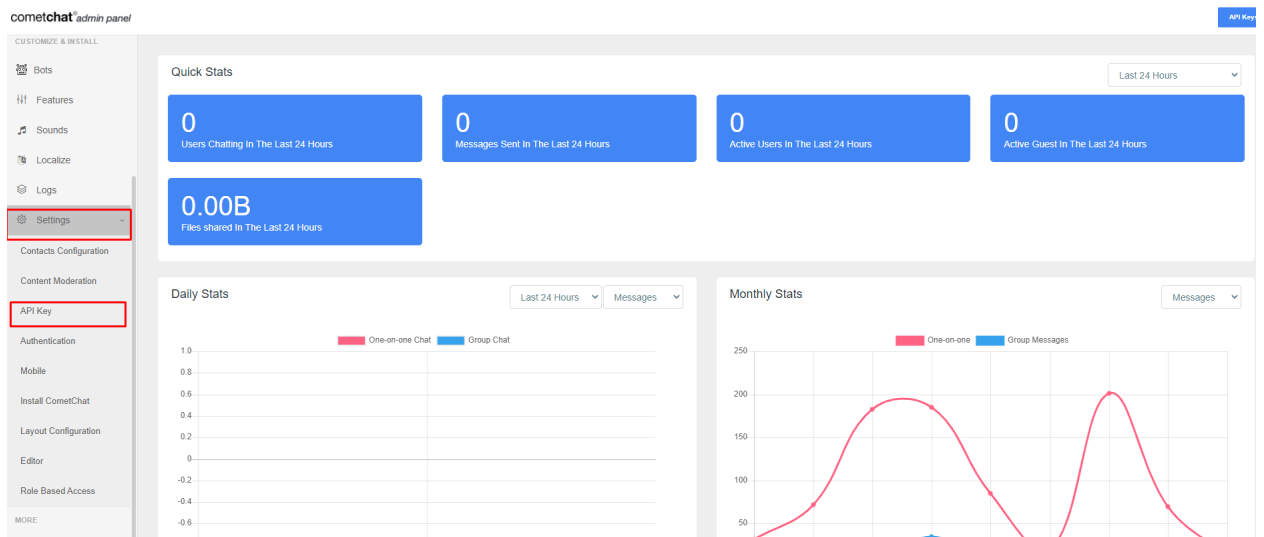
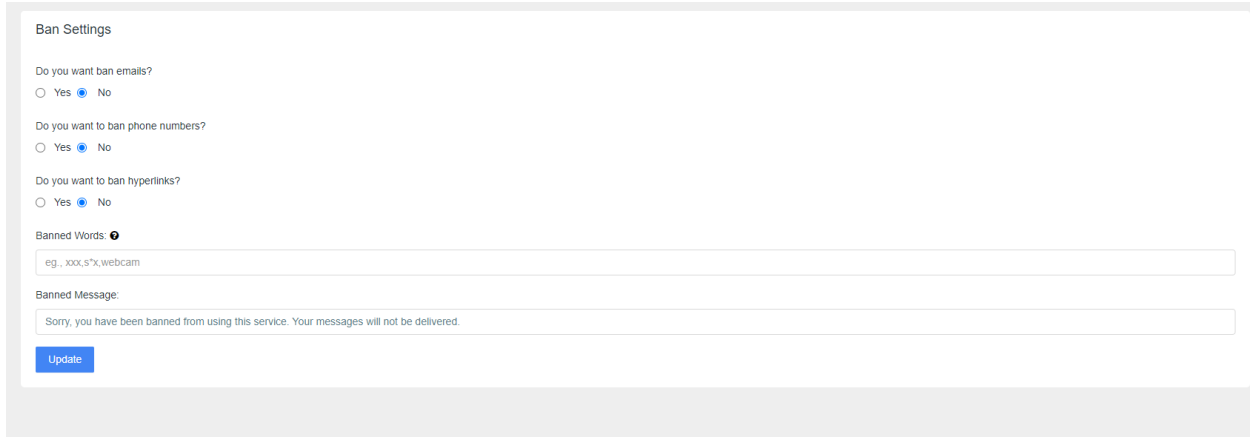


Fig. 10: CometChat account dashboard page.

9. Copy **Api Key,App Id,Auth key** and paste it to the corresponding section in admin panel ([fig 1](#)) and click on **save. Cometchat** setup is done now.
10. Different configurations can be set in the cometchat dashboard under different settings. (So that same setting will be reflected over the website while using Cometchat for online live classes). Some of them are given below.
11. Content Moderation **section (Setting->Content Moderation)**. Set what different settings can be banned while live classes. (fig 11)



Ban Settings

Do you want ban emails?
 Yes No

Do you want to ban phone numbers?
 Yes No

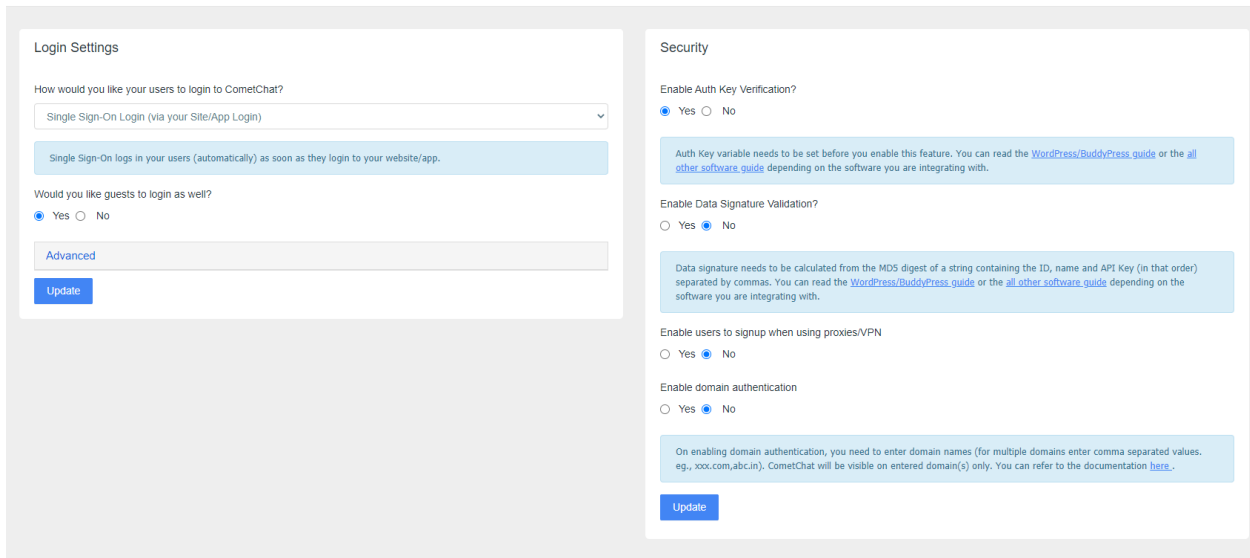
Do you want to ban hyperlinks?
 Yes No

Banned Words ⌵

Banned Message:

Fig. 11: CometChat content moderation settings page.

12. Authentication (**Settings->Authentication**). Set login and security settings. (fig 12)



Login Settings

How would you like your users to login to CometChat?

Single Sign-On logs in your users (automatically) as soon as they login to your website/app.

Would you like guests to login as well?
 Yes No

Security

Enable Auth Key Verification?
 Yes No

Auth Key variable needs to be set before you enable this feature. You can read the [WordPress/BuddyPress guide](#) or the [all other software guide](#) depending on the software you are integrating with.

Enable Data Signature Validation?
 Yes No

Data signature needs to be calculated from the MD5 digest of a string containing the ID, name and API Key (in that order) separated by commas. You can read the [WordPress/BuddyPress guide](#) or the [all other software guide](#) depending on the software you are integrating with.

Enable users to signup when using proxies/VPN
 Yes No

Enable domain authentication
 Yes No

On enabling domain authentication, you need to enter domain names (for multiple domains enter comma separated values. eg., xxx.com,abc.in). CometChat will be visible on entered domain(s) only. You can refer to the documentation [here](#).

Fig. 12: CometChat Authentication settings page.

13. Layout Configuration (**Settings->Layout Configuration**). Set layout for live classes ChatBox.(fig 13)

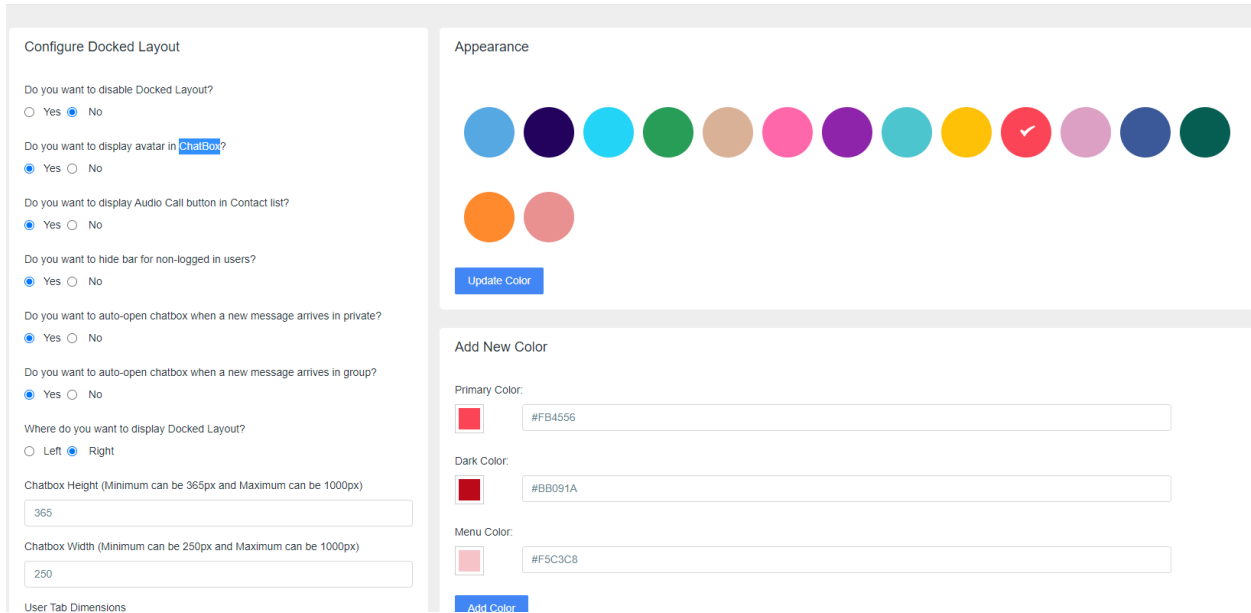


Fig. 13: CometChat Layout configuration settings page.

14. Role based access (**Settings->Role based access**). Set different permission based on multiple roles.(fig 14, 15)



Fig. 14: CometChat Role based permission listing page.

Role Based Permissions

User (Logged-in)

Disable CometChat completely for this role

Yes

Disable Specific Features of CometChat for this role

<input type="checkbox"/> Text Chat	<input type="checkbox"/> Save Conversation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Offline Email Notifications	<input type="checkbox"/> Share This Page
<input type="checkbox"/> Audio Chat	<input type="checkbox"/> Share Your Screen	<input type="checkbox"/> Location Sharing	<input type="checkbox"/> Translate This Page
<input type="checkbox"/> Audio/Video Chat	<input type="checkbox"/> Emoji	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Announcements	<input type="checkbox"/> Twitter
<input type="checkbox"/> Block User	<input type="checkbox"/> Stickers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Broadcast Message	<input type="checkbox"/> Advertisements
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Audio/Video Broadcast	<input type="checkbox"/> Color Your Text	<input type="checkbox"/> Groups	<input type="checkbox"/> Bots
<input type="checkbox"/> Chat History	<input type="checkbox"/> Write In Your Language	<input type="checkbox"/> Facebook Fan Page	
<input type="checkbox"/> Send A File	<input type="checkbox"/> Share Whiteboard	<input type="checkbox"/> Single Player Games	
<input type="checkbox"/> Handwrite A Message	<input type="checkbox"/> Share Collaborative	<input type="checkbox"/> Home	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Report Conversation	<input type="checkbox"/> Share Voice Note	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Translate Conversations	

Disable Specific Feature for Group

Create Group

Fig. 15: CometChat Setting different permission for a particular role.