

I created a post:

The screenshot shows the WordPress 'Add New Post' editor. At the top, the title 'Test Revisions' is entered in the title field. Below it, the permalink is 'https://webresearchtech2.com/test-revisions/' with an 'Edit' link. A blue 'Edit with Elementor' button is visible. An 'Add Media' button is also present. The main content area contains the text 'This is a test of revisions'. The right sidebar has a 'Publish' section with 'Save Draft', 'Preview', 'Status: Draft Edit', 'Visibility: Public Edit', and 'Publish immediately Edit' options. Below that is a 'Move to Trash' link and a 'Publish' button. The 'Format' section is expanded, showing 'Standard' as the selected format, along with other options like Gallery, Image, Link, Quote, Video, and Audio.

I published it. Then I made a change to the post:

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Test Revisions

Permalink: <https://webresearchtech2.com/test-revisions/> Edit

Edit with Elementor

Add Media

Visual Text

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This is a test of revisions...and a mistake

Publish

Preview Changes

Status: **Published** Edit

Visibility: **Public** Edit

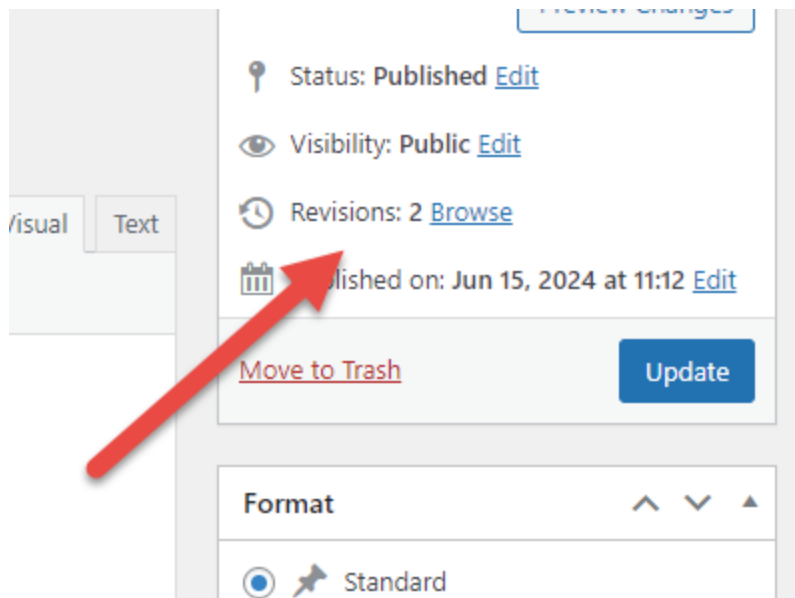
Published on: Jun 15, 2024 at 11:12 Edit

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Format

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I updated it. Then I went to the Revisions:



At this point, I see the revised text, and the previous text. Here is where I made the mistake, but I think an honest one. I ASSUMED that the revision that I am looking at is the one that I want to restore. BUT, the “Restore This Revision” button is not active. I think it should be active since it is defining the change that I made.

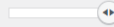
I now realize that I have to go back to the “Previous” revision to be able to restore the original text. This is NOT obvious. The revision that is showing is not really a revision; just a reiteration of the changes.

Compare Revisions of "Test Revisions"

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Current Revision by webre...htech.com
31 seconds ago (15 Jun @ 11:13)

Restore This Revision

Title

Test Revisions

Test Revisions



Content

Removed

Added

- This is a test of revisions

+ This is a test of revisions...and a mistake