

Web hosting features

Diskspace

Diskspace refers to the amount of space that has been allocated to your hosting account. We provide high amounts of disk space with our hosting packages this means that even the large websites can be catered for.

Data transfer

Data Transfer refers to the amount of data that has actually been sent from the server to the client or vice versa. An analogy would be a road, the number of lanes on a road would represent Bandwidth, the number of cars that travel along that road over a given period of time would represent Data Transfer.

Instant backups

Our control panel gives you the option to make an 'instant' backup of your entire cPanel account. It will archive your account and provide you with a link to download the backup. You can then use this backup file to restore your account on our servers if need be.

This backup gets everything associated with your account: e-mail accounts (including the passwords and messages still on the system), FTP accounts, add-on/sub/parked domains, databases, mailing lists, EVERYTHING that is setup with the account.

No contract

We have no contracts and no hidden fees! You are free to cancel your web hosting at any time without cancellation fees.

Uptime guarantee

We guarantee that your site will be up 99.9% of the time we host it. This guarantee includes both network and server failures. If your site isn't up 99.9% in any one month we will issue a full refund for the month.

PHP

PHP is a scripting language and interpreter that is freely available and can be used to generate dynamic content on websites. PHP can interact with server databases that allow websites using it to provide functionality that would not be available with a standard HTML website. PHP is often used in the creation of blogs, e-commerce and content management systems.

Perl

Perl is a script programming language that is similar in syntax to the C language and that includes a number of popular Unix facilities such as SED, awk, and tr. Like PHP, Perl is often used when writing applications for the Web. It is regarded as a good choice for developing common gateway interface (CGI) programs because it has good text manipulation facilities.

MySQL

A MySQL database is available for use with all our hosting packages. A MySQL database maximises speed and customisability.

CGI

CGI stands for Common Gateway Interface. CGI is one method by which a web server can obtain data from (or send data to) databases, documents, and other programs, and present that data to viewers via the web.

More simply, a CGI script is a program intended to be run on the web. A CGI program can be written in any programming language, but Perl is one of the most popular. On our servers you will get a cgi-bin directory that your scripts should normally be uploaded to, however your CGI scripts will work both inside and outside of this directory.

What is Ruby on Rails?

Ruby On Rails is an open-source web framework that's built for productivity.

Below are some of the gems we have installed with our setup.

rake

- actionmailer
- actionpack
- actionwebservice
- activerecord
- activesupport
- gnuplot

mongrel
mysql
tidy
xml-simple
payment
BlueCloth
feedtools
htmltools

SSH

We allow you to use the OpenSSH Protocol (using Jailed Shell) on all of our Shared servers to make it easier to develop and debug your files with such text editors as vim and nano. To request OpenSSH access, please send us an e-mail

Python

Python is a programming/scripting language that can be used on many different computers and operating systems.

SSI

Server Side includes, refers to Perl based HTML commands that direct a server to generate on-the-fly content for web pages.

Cron

Crontab is a process in Unix systems that uses a Daemon called cron to execute commands for the user at a certain time.

FrontPage

We support all versions of Microsoft FrontPage. Frontpage is a website creation tool that can be used to both create and upload your site when FP extensions are installed.

Curl

Curl is a command line tool for transferring files with url syntax.

GD

GD is an ANSI library dynamic creation of images. GD creates PNG and JPEG images, among other formats. We stay up to date with the latest GD version.

Image Magick

ImageMagick is a robust collection of tools and libraries to read, write, and manipulate an image in many formats. We stay up to date on the latest version.

Webmail

Webmail provides a way of checking your email over the Web from anywhere in the world. You can use Webmail to simply check your e-mail while you are on the road, or as a complete replacement to your off-line email client.

Pop 3 Accounts

This is the number of POP accounts you get. POP accounts are used to send and receive emails through programs such as Outlook Express or Eudora.

E-mail alias

Mail box aliases will allow you to setup multiple email addresses to go to a single mail box.

Mailing lists

Have a group of people you regularly mail? Add them to a mailing list so you can email them faster and easier.

Catch alls

A catch all email address will receive all emails delivered to non-existent email addresses. If you would like this feature enabled, please e-mail support.

Spam Assassin

If you enable Spam Assassin it will block most spam from reaching your e-mail.

Mail forwarding

You can setup a mail forwarder. Doing this will forward all your mail to any email address you wish.

IMAP

We support Internet Message Access Protocol. "IMAP permits a "client" email program to access remote message stores

as if they were local."

SMTP

We allow you to use our servers to send outgoing mail.

cPanel

cPanel will be your hosting control panel. cPanel allows you to monitor the amount of bandwidth used, space used, create e-mail addresses, MySQL databases, and much more instantly!

Fantastico

Fantastico DeLuxe will allow you and your customers to install over 50 scripts instantly. To use fantastico you or your client will just login to their control panel click fantastico, and then click one of the 50+ scripts to be installed such as....

Blogs, Portals/CMS, Customer Support, desks, shopping carts, Image Galleries, Mailing Lists

Blogs:

- b2evolution (1.9.3)
- Nucleus (3.24)
- pMachine Free (2.3)
- WordPress (2.2.1)

Portals/CMS:

- Drupal (5.1)
- Geeklog (1.4.1)
- Joomla! (1.0.13)
- Mambo Open Source (4.6.2)
- PHP-Nuke (7.9)
- phpWCMS (1.1-RC4 Rev. A)
- phpWebSite (0.10.2)
- Post-Nuke (0.764)
- Siteframe (3.2.2)
- Typo3 (4.1.1)
- Xoops (2.0.16)

Customer Support:

- Crafty Syntax Live Help (2.14.4)
- Help Center Live (2.1.2)
- osTicket (1.3.1)
- PerIDesk (3.09 [Patched-1]) (Commercial, needs license)
- PHP Support Tickets (1.9)
- Support Logic Helpdesk (1.2)
- Support Services Manager (1.0b)

Discussion Boards:

- Invision Board (Disabled)
- phpBB2 (2.0.22)
- SMF (1.1.3)
- YaBBSE (Disabled)

E-Commerce:

- CubeCart (3.0.15)
- OS Commerce (2.2 MS2 (060817) + buySAFE)
- Zen Cart (1.3.7.1)

FAQ:

- FAQMasterFlex (1.51)

Guestbooks:

- ViPER Guestbook (X1.1)

Hosting Billing:

- AccountLab Plus (2.8 r11) (Commercial, needs license)
- phpCOIN (1.2.5)

Image Galleries:

4images Gallery (1.7.4)
Coppermine Photo Gallery (1.4.12)
Gallery (2.2.2)

Mailing List:
PHPlist (2.10.4)

Polls and Surveys:
Advanced Poll (2.03)
phpESP (1.8.2)
PHPSurveyor (1.0)

Project Management:
PHProjekt (5.2.2)
dotProject (2.0.4)

Site Builders:
Soholaunch Pro Edition (4.9.1 r10) (Commercial, needs license)
Templates Express

Wiki:
PhpWiki (1.2.10)
TikiWiki (1.9.7)

Other Scripts:
Dew-NewPHPLinks (2.0.1.0b SEF w/Thumbshots)
Moodle (1.8.2)
Noahs Classifieds (1.3)
Open-Realty (2.4.1)
phpAdsNew (2.0.9-pr1)
PHPauction (2.1)
phpFormGenerator (2.09c)
phpLinks (Disabled)
WebCalendar (1.0.5)

What is Soholaunch Pro?
Soholaunch Pro Edition is website creation software made for people of all experience levels.

Hotlink Protection
Hotlinking is when another site is linking to your images or files. Hotlink protection will stop them from stealing your bandwidth.

IP deny manager
IP deny manager allows you to block whoever you want from being able to visit your site.

Custom Error Pages
Allows you to make a custom error page for anyone who visits a not existant page of your site.

Instant Blogs
The below blogs (journals) can be installed with a click of the mouse.

b2 (0.6.1)
b2evolution (0.8.6)
Nucleus (2.0)
pMachine Free (2.3)
WordPress (1.0)

Streaming
We support Windows Media, Quicktime, and Real Media player allowing you to run streaming audio and video.

Module installation
Need a special module for your program to work? We will review requests for custom modules within 24 hours.

FTP

FTP stands for file transfer potocol. It is a service that gives you direct access to where your website files are hosted. FTP can be used for the uploading, downloading and editing of website files.

Web Stats

Web Statistics are generated from the web server log files for your hosted domain name. They give you highly detailed usage reports in a user friendly HTML/graphical format rather than just raw data, which you can view with a standard web browser.

Email accounts

Each email account provided allows users to create personalised email addresses at their domain name and send/receive email from that account via the web or via their own email client such as Windows Mail, MS Outlook and MacMail.

Email forwards

Email Forwarders allow you to continue using an existing email account (e.g. an account provided by your Internet Service Provider or a Freemail account like hotmail or yahoo mail to recieve email sent to your domain name.

Auto-responders

With out Auto-responder service you can respond to incoming emails automatically without needing to be at a computer. Ideal if you are going on holiday and want to inform anyone who emails you that you will not be accessing your mailbox for a while.

Control panel

Our powerful My Account control panel gives you full control over your domain name portfolio. Whether you are an expert or a first-time user, with your control panel you can easily configure and manage your domains with point and click simplicity.