

Creating and Managing Cron Jobs

Schedule scripts and commands to run automatically at set intervals.

Cron jobs run commands on a schedule — perfect for maintenance scripts, report generation, or CMS tasks.

Create a cron job

1. Go to **Advanced Features → Cron Jobs**.
2. Click **Add Cron Job**.
3. Set the schedule using minute, hour, day, month, and weekday fields (or use a preset such as daily).
4. Enter the command — often a PHP script path such as `/usr/local/bin/php /home/user/domains/example.com/public_html/cron.php`.
5. Save the job.

Best practices

- Use full paths to PHP and scripts.
- Redirect output to a log file for debugging.
- Avoid running intensive jobs every minute.

Many applications provide the exact cron command in their documentation — copy it exactly.

