

Re: How to get php4 extensions to "show up"?

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Matthew Seaman wrote:

> On Wed, Aug 18, 2004 at 08:46:58AM -0700, Mike wrote:
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>>I'm running 4.10. And I just and ran portupgrade and got php-4.3.8. I
>>read the UPDATING file and noticed that the php4 extensions are now
>>installed separately [/usr/ports/lang/php4-extensions].
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>>Note: I'm running Apache-1.3.31
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>>So I installed (make install && make clean) the php4 extensions using
>>the curses based screen. Aside from MySQL support (a default) I choose
>>bz2, gettext, IMAP, calendar, ftp, zlib, xml, and imagick support.
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>>The install and registration seemed to work without any errors. And all
>>possible php extensions are listed in /usr/local/etc/php/extensions.ini
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>>However,
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>>When I check php (phpinfo.php) with
>>"<http://192.168.1.40/~test1/phpinfo.php>", I get this from the "Configure
>>Command" portion of the resulting php output:
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>>[Configure Command]
>> './configure' '--enable-versioning' '--enable-memory-limit'
>> '--with-layout=GNU' '--with-config-file-scan-dir=/usr/local/etc/php'
>> '--disable-all' '--with-regex=php' '--disable-cli'
>> '--with-apxs=/usr/local/sbin/apxs' '--prefix=/usr/local'
>> 'i386-portbld-freebsd4.10'
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>>Question: Where are the extensions I selected for installation???
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>>I'm trying to install a CMS (MamboServer) and the CMS install routine
>>reports that php DOES NOT have MySQL, zlib, or xml support.
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>>I've had previous success installing this CMS using an older version of

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>> *php4* that did not have the extensions installation seperate.
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>> *What am I missing?*
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> *Check your /usr/local/etc/php.ini file and make sure that the*
> *'extension_dir' property is commented out:*
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> *; Directory in which the loadable extensions (modules) reside.*
> *; extension_dir = "./"*
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> *If you're running using mod_php4, make sure to restart apache so that*
> *changes to php.ini are picked up.*
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> *That will let PHP use the correct, compiled in value (which should be*
> */usr/local/lib/php/20020429 for PHP4, or /usr/local/lib/php/20040412*
> *for PHP5) All of your extensions should be visible in that directory*
> *as dynamically loadable .so shared objects.*
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> *Cheers,*
>
> *Matthew*

Matthew,

BINGO! That did it. Thank you.

I THOUGHT I had read the UPDATING file pertaining to PHP but I missed the sentence on commenting out the "extension_dir" [sigh].

Michael

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