

# Index Manager

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## For cPanel & WHM 11.48


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## Overview

When a visitor accesses a directory (rather than a page) on your web site, the browser typically displays the directory's index page. If no index page exists, the browser displays a list of the files in that directory.

## Manage a directory's index

Use the *Index Manager* to define how the server displays a specific directory's index to a visitor, or to disable index display for a directory.

1. In the Directory Selection window, select one of the following locations in which to begin navigation:
  - *Web Root* — The `public_html/www` directory for the account's primary domain.
  - *Document Root for:* — Select the domain in which to begin navigation.
2. Navigate to the desired folder with the following:
  - To navigate into a folder, click the folder's icon ().
  - To navigate up one level of the directory tree, click the *Up One Level* folders icon.
  - To select a directory, click that directory's name.
3. Select one of the following options:
  - *Default System Setting* — cPanel uses the default that your hosting provider defines.
  - *No Indexing* — The server does not list the contents of the directory. Browsers display a message that states that the contents are forbidden.
  - *Standard Indexing* — The server lists the directory's contents as filenames only.
  - *Fancy Indexing* — The server lists file names and additional information, such as file size and time last modified.
4. Click *Save*.