

NICEPHOTOGS' FREWARE MASSMAIL AND

EMAIL ADDRESS SOLICITING SCRIPT SET

is a set of PHP scripts designed to obtain email addresses on request from within websites and to send mass quantities of email (from the list of submitted addresses gained through time) when promotional mailing is required by businesses or personal or non profit organisations require. The script will fire around 100 email messages in 30seconds to 1 minute depending server loading.100 email messages at a time is a sensible quantity per send to use in the address file p/fire set.

The set of scripts and required associate files have been designed to be easily integrated into any website using a server running PHP 4.

SINCE 26-7-2005: The file "solcmail.php" has had the image path changed to the relative directory. This will be more convenient with the path being

Instructions of how to SETUP the package

1. Go to the download page here [PHP Massmail Download Request](#) and read the agreement carefully then fill in the form after which when you have agreed and sent it you will be emailed a download link and number to the email box you filled in to obtain the zip file "niceph-php.zip".

2. After you have downloaded the zip,drag out the folder containing the scripts and associate files and DO NOT change the folder name(it should be the same name as the zip "niceph-php").Some files inside it will require minor adjustments and have some code for you to test the mailer and get you started quickly.

3. One script named "freemassmailgt.php" requires you to write In your business or organisations email name subject and reply information for the massmailer. Those three variables can be found at the top and are quite self explanatory. EXAMPLE:

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$whoweare="nicephotog@www.nicephotog.net"; # SET BY USER
$subject="NICEPHOTOG TEST FREMASSMAILER"; # SET BY USER
$reply="nicephotog@www.nicephotog.net"; # SET BY USER
save your changes.
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In "solcmail.php" you can change this to your domain path for a link back away from the script
\$domainnamepath="http://www.nicephotog.net"; # SET BY USER IMPORTANT NOTE: USE A COLOUR SYNTAX EDITOR THAT KNOWS/HAS THE .php EXTENSION TO CHANGE THESE SETTINGS.

4. After making these adjustments you should be ready to embed the email address collection form in a page. Just for safety it would be best to upload the folder to your server now so there will be the script able to take any test clicks if the address collection form is triggered.

Upload it to the same directory your "index.html" domain pointer page is in. When the folder and contents reach the server with your FTP programme check your platform didn't change any filenames or folder names and that all files are present in the folder also. An important note in FTP to do this requires using AUTO mode not ascii or binary or you will require making a folder on the server of the same container name the carefully FTPing the files one by one into it with then appropriate transfer type(ascii).

5. To embed an email address collection form you will need to use one of the tables from inside the file EMAIL-COLLECTION-FORM-HTML.txt.

Below is how the path to the script is set and should not require changing if you have done what you should. Don't forget that as a requirement you should have the link to www.nicephotog.net operating on any form that uses these scripts.

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<form name="pstname" method="post" action="/niceph-php/solcmail.php">
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6. To operate some points and check all is ok you require to call down a list of collected names. It would be wise at this point to open the file "[solevylist.log](#)" and starting at the top put in three email addresses of your own of different email box type software e.g someone@hotmail.com then someone@bigpond.com then someone@yahoo.com.au This is for two reasons... (1)note the different domains used, those are lethally different in there treatment of any HTML produced for email messages as a production.(2) You will want something to see in your file you call down from the viewing link in "http://yourdomainname/niceph-php/caller.html" to know it is operating.

Put each address name on a new line with no spaces either side starting from the top ,do not end the file with a new line either, then save the file.

Put the file back in the folder on the server(FTP download-edit/FTP upload-overwrite).

After,you can then test send some emails.

Note: all ".log" files should be set to "permission 666" and ".php scripts 775" to successfully operate.

7.Messages themselves are placed in a div system of html inside the file called "messagediv.log" Your html is not the only html present in messages sent to email boxes and is often chopped to pieces by email box protection software that attempts to find javascript to delete and destroys <form> html elements often enough to not bother to use forms in emails.

When constructing emails it is best if it is graphic in appearance to put each section in an image,that includes text written onto images as a readable journalist article(e.g. a ".gif").Text and text decoration html is alike damaged often. Images can hold together better if both align=,valign= with width and height in style and in in-element attributes match and are set.

note: IMAGES ARE NOT SENT IN AN EMAIL MESSAGE ONLY THE HTML so put your domain name in the image src path

example

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<img src=http://www.mydomain/msgosodium.gif width=50 height=20 border=0
style="width:50px;height:20px;border:0px;">
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Start and end each container tag on a new line helps too.

The image called "ncph600.gif" you can open in an images editor and paint over to suite but don't forget to FTP(binary transfer) it back into the "niceph-php" directory on your server. Only the link on the email address collection form is required as the reference to www.nicephotog.net("ncph600.gif" is only a call down header with "solcmail.php", it "is not transferred with any emails").

8. Finally read all the information in the **CONFIGURATION** section about setup inside the file "Download-License-agreement.html".

Also read **Permission values and file settings** in the section in the file "Download-License-agreement.html".

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ONE FINAL THING TO REMEMBER, before firing call down the address file with the link on "caller.html" and check the addresses for bad syntax carefully. There is no serious guard against badly formed addresses in the collection. Unknown addresses though are sent back to the origin mail server.

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