

# How can I change session timeout value?

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Check the following values in your [php settings](#).

## 1. **session.cookie\_lifetime**

- session.cookie\_lifetime specifies the lifetime of the cookie in seconds which is sent to the browser.

- a value of 0 means "until the browser is closed"

## 2. **session.gc\_maxlifetime**

- session.gc\_maxlifetime specifies the number of seconds after which data will be seen as 'garbage' and cleaned up.

- garbage collection occurs during session start.

Try to set **session.gc\_maxlifetime** to 7200. You must restart your server for this to take effect.

Online URL:

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