

# The Task Concept

## 0.1 Overview document

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In Lenya CMS, a **task** is used to implement a process which can be invoked by the user. Tasks are triggered from the sitemap using a [TaskAction](#) or [scheduled](#) using a TaskJob.

Typical tasks are

- publishing a page,
- exporting a page to a live server,
- manipulating a file,
- sending an e-mail, or
- creating a backup of your site.