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Step 1: Update your CodeIgniter files[**¶**](#30j0zll)

Replace all files and directories in your *system/* directory.

Note

If you have any custom developed files in these directories, please make copies of them first.

Step 2: Check your PHP version[**¶**](#1fob9te)

We recommend always running versions that are [currently supported](https://secure.php.net/supported-versions.php), which right now is at least PHP 5.6.

PHP 5.2.x versions are now officially not supported by CodeIgniter, and while 5.3.7+ may be at least runnable, we strongly discourage you from using any PHP versions below the ones listed on the [PHP.net Supported Versions](https://secure.php.net/supported-versions.php) page.

Step 3: If you’re using the ‘odbc’ database driver, check for usage of Query Builder[**¶**](#3znysh7)

[Query Builder](http://docs.google.com/database/query_builder.html) functionality and escape() can no longer be used with the ‘odbc’ database driver.

This is because, due to its nature, the [ODBC extension for PHP](https://secure.php.net/odbc) does not provide a function that allows to safely escape user-supplied strings for usage inside an SQL query (which our [Query Builder](http://docs.google.com/database/query_builder.html) relies on).

Thus, user inputs MUST be bound, as shown in [Running Queries](http://docs.google.com/database/queries.html), under the “Query Bindings” section.

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