



INSTALLATION MANUAL

EPHORUS PLUGIN FOR ILIAS

version 1.0

INTRODUCTION

Dear Sir, Madam,

Thank you for downloading this manual. This manual contains all the information you need to install the Ephorus plugin for Ilias.

Important: The Ephorus plugin for Ilias was developed in PHP 5. To view the Ephorus reports, the XSL extension must be enabled.

If you have any questions, please contact integrations@ephorus.com.

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1. GLOSSARY

<iliasroot>	-	The folder containing the Ilias files.
<iliasurl>	-	Ilias base url
<ephorusroot>	-	The folder containing the Ephorus files (<iliasroot>/Customizing/global/plugins/Services/Repository /RepositoryObject/Ephorus/)

2. BEFORE YOU START

To install the plugin, you will need:

.zip file containing the plugin, which consist of

- Ephorus\ (folder);

Introduction email containing:


- Hand-in code
- Hand-in service address
- Index service address

If you miss any of the above, please contact integrations@ephorus.com.

3. INSTALLATION

To install the Ilias plugin, follow the steps below:

1. Place the 'Ephorus' folder in
< iliasroot> /Customizing/global/plugins/Services/Repository/RepositoryObject/.
(Folder path in zip)
2. Go to Administration > Plugins, Modules and Services.
3. Go to Administrate at the Ephorus Plugin.
4. Click Update.
5. Click configure to configure the plugin.

 **Plugin: Ephorus**

◀ Plugin Slot

Ephorus Exercise Plugin Configuration Save

Enable Ephorus Logging ☐

Ephorus Logging enables extra logging.

Hand-in Code *

Hand-in Adress *

Index Address *

Default Processtype

Private ▼

There are two default upload options when sending documents to Ephorus:

- Default: The documents you send in will be checked for plagiarism and will be used as reference material in the future.
- Private: Your document will be checked for plagiarism but won't be used as reference material.

Disclosure

* Required

Save

4. SENDING DOCUMENTS

To send documents to Ephorus the hand-in service needs to be called. The hand-in service is located at

```
< ephorusroot> /include/handinservice.php
```

Cron (Linux)

In Linux, you can add a line to the crontab. The hand-in service can be run using lynx, the php module, or as a CLI_Script.

Open a console and run **\$ crontab -e** in. This command opens the crontab and allows you to change the settings;

Call hand-in service every 10 minutes

```
* /10 * * * * lynx < iliasurl> /Customizing/global/plugins/Services/Repository/RepositoryObject/  
Ephorus/include/handinservice.php
```

or

```
* /10 * * * * php < ephorusroot> /include/handinservice.php
```

Call hand-in service every hour

```
0 * * * * lynx < iliasurl > /Customizing/global/plugins/Services/Repository/RepositoryObject/  
Ephorus/include/handinservice.php
```

or

```
0 * * * * php < ephorusroot> /include/handinservice.php
```

Call hand-in service daily at 00:00

```
0 0 * * * lynx < iliasurl > /Customizing/global/plugins/Services/Repository/RepositoryObject/  
Ephorus/include/handinservice.php
```

or

```
0 0 * * * php < ephorusroot> /include/handinservice.php
```

Task Scheduler (Windows)

There is no cron in Windows, but a Task scheduler, which can be accessed via the configuration screen. A 'wizard' will guide you through the process of planning a task.

You can open cron.php via a browser or via php.exe – **we recommend using php.exe**. This can also be called via < ephorusroot> /include/handinservice.php.

Important: If you use Windows XP, it is possible to run the script more than once per day. Set up a task that runs daily and then edit it via Schedule – Advanced.