

PHP Codeigniter - ftp_nlist(): Unable to create temporary file. Check permissions in temporary files directory

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I'm trying to display the files from my FTP server. But before that I'm checking if the folder location exists. If not, I'll create this directory. I was able to create a folder but in my page, an error occur.



A PHP Error was encountered



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Severity: Warning



Message: ftp_nlist(): Unable to create temporary file. Check permissions in temporary files directory.

Filename: libraries/Ftp.php

Line Number: 551

Backtrace:

File: /Applications/XAMPP/xamppfiles/htdocs/mr-janus/application/controllers/Pages.php

Line: 41 Function: list_files

File: /Applications/XAMPP/xamppfiles/htdocs/mr-janus/index.php Line: 315 Function: require_once

This is my code block:

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$data['category'] = $this->uri->segment(2);

$config['hostname'] = 'myftp.server.com';
$config['username'] = 'username';
$config['password'] = 'password';
$path = '/files/' . $data['category'] . '/';
$connected = $this->ftp->connect($config);

if($connected){

    $files = $this->ftp->list_files($path);
    if($files == FALSE){
        $this->ftp->mkdir($path, 0777);
        $files = $this->ftp->list_files($path);
        $this->ftp->chmod('/public_html/foo/bar/', 0775);
        $this->ftp->close();
    }

}
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That means PHP temporary directory does not exist or the local account that runs PHP does not have a write access to the directory.



The temporary directory is set by [sys_temp_dir directive in php.ini](#) .

If the directive is not set, PHP will fall back to system temporary folder.



Basically, your problem has nothing to do with your FTP code, but with your PHP configuration.

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