

# Troubleshoot Apache Startup Problems

Are you having difficulty getting your Apache server started? Here is a list of common problems and their solutions.

#### NOTE

The information in this document is based on [this ApacheFriends community forum thread](#).

## Another Web Server Daemon is Already Running

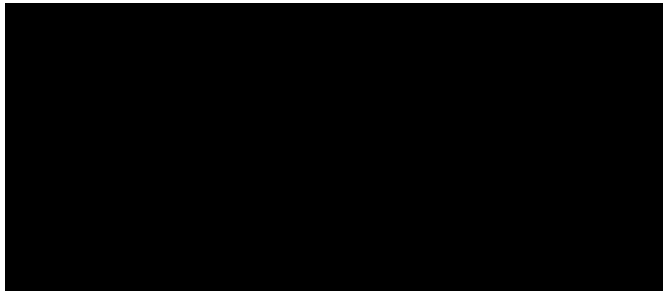
XAMPP displays a message like:

```
Another web server daemon is already running.
```

To solve this problem, follow these steps:

1. Open a new Linux terminal.
2. Use the `netstat` command to identify which other service is currently using port 80 and/or 443.

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sudo netstat -tunap | grep LISTEN
```



3. Terminate services currently using those ports - for example, using a command like `service [process-name] stop`.

You should now be able to start Apache successfully.

#### TIP

If the problem persists even after performing these steps, refer to [this source thread](#) and [this forum post](#) for alternative solutions.