

http://www.landpro.com.au/Windows_7_Install_PHPMyAdmin.php**IIS 7: Install phpMyAdmin on Windows 7****Introduction**

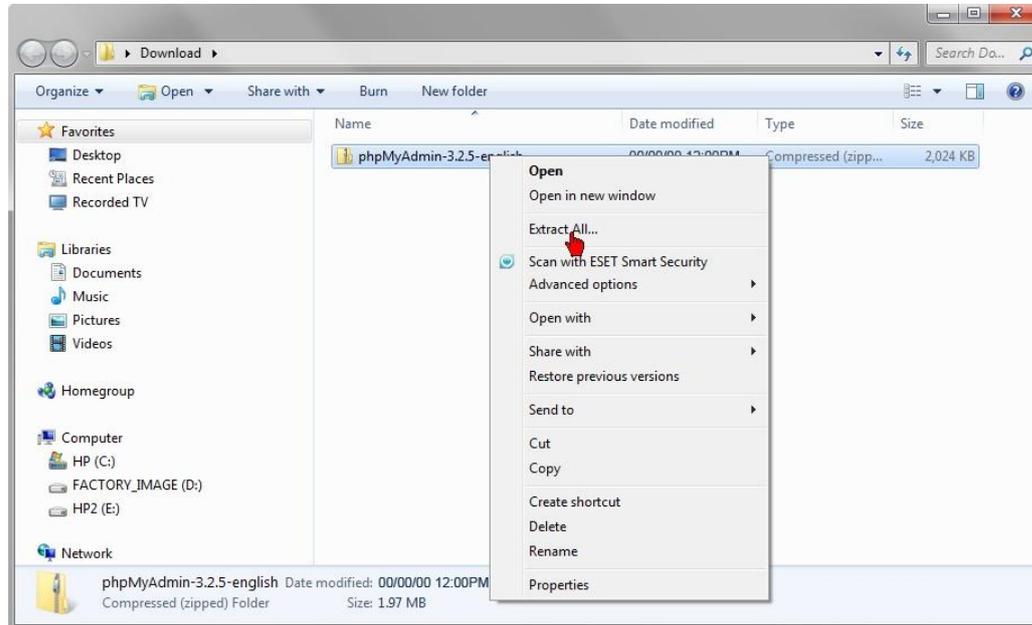
phpMyAdmin is a free software tool written in PHP intended to handle the administration of MySQL over the World Wide Web.

You can download phpMyAdmin at http://www.phpmyadmin.net/home_page/downloads.php You can choose from 'All Languages' or 'English' versions. The latest version (currently 3.2.5) is found at the top of the page. It may be downloaded in various compression formats, being .7z or .tar.bz2 or .tar.gz or .zip. In this guide we will download the English zip file, which can be easily extracted on a Windows 7 machine without additional downloads.

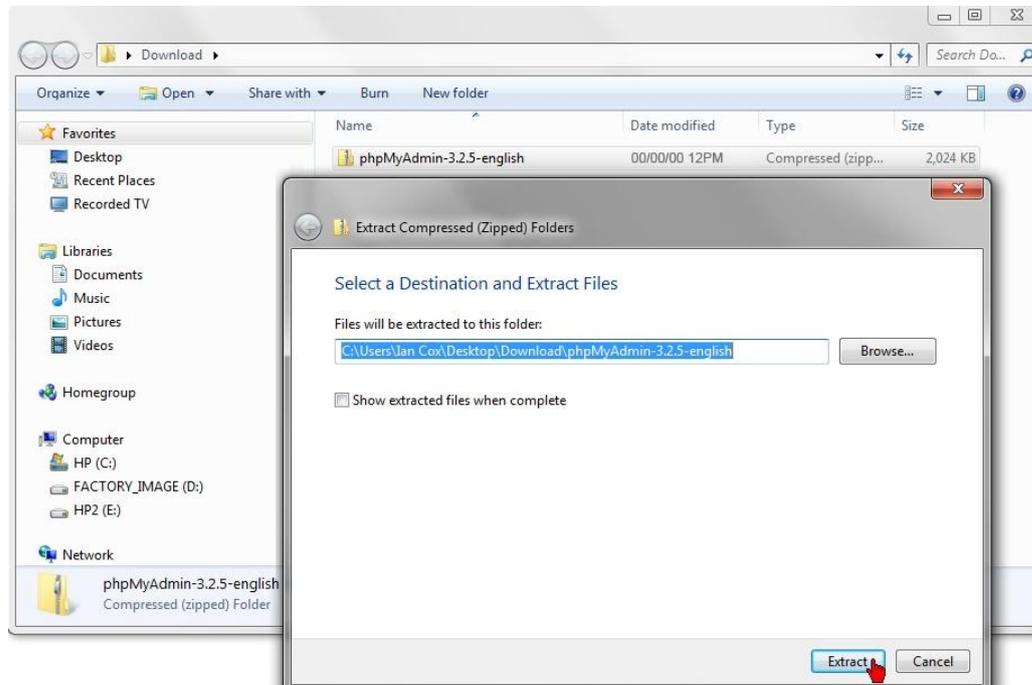
Once you have downloaded the zip file and turned off any antivirus or firewall you are ready to start

STEP 1

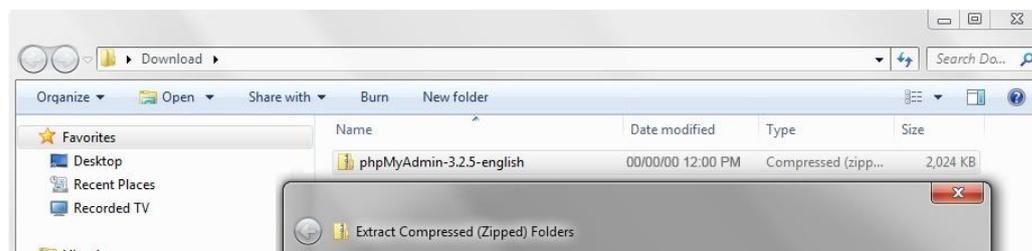
Open the folder you downloaded to and **right click** and click **Extract All...**

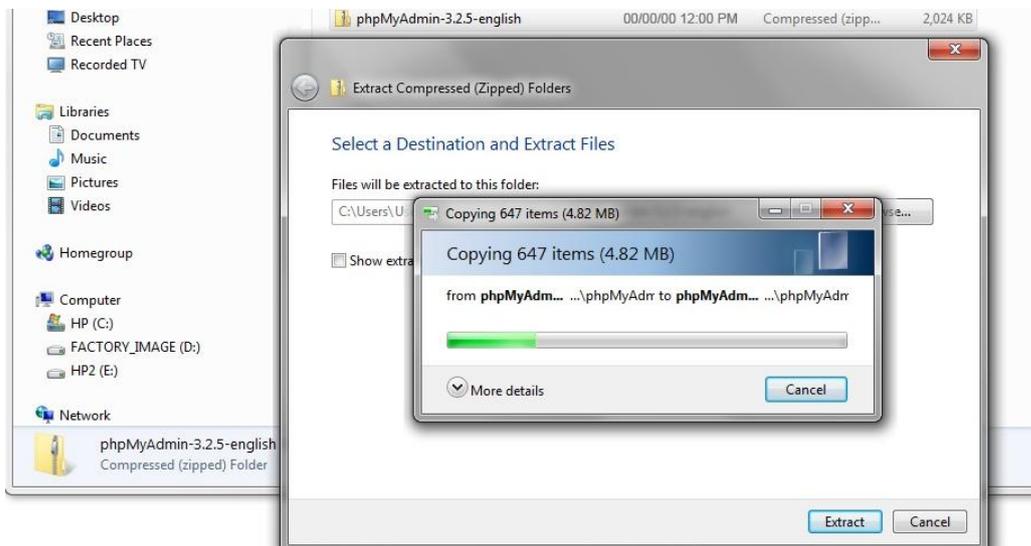
**Step 2**

Select a destination folder.
I have used the default folder which is the same folder the zip file was downloaded to
Click on **Extract**

**Step 3**

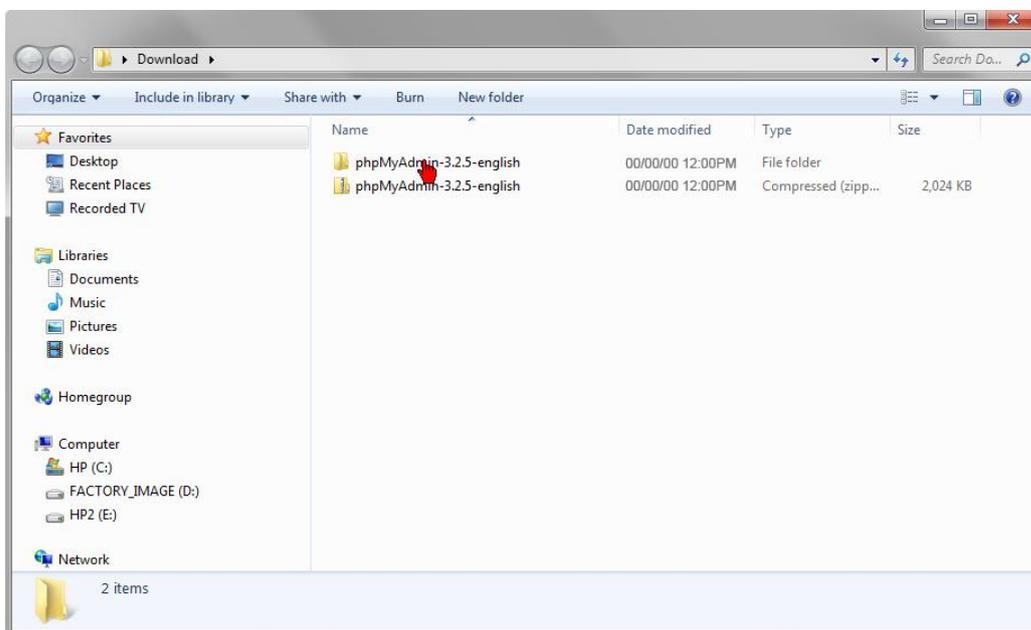
Screen shot below shows file being extracted by Windows 7





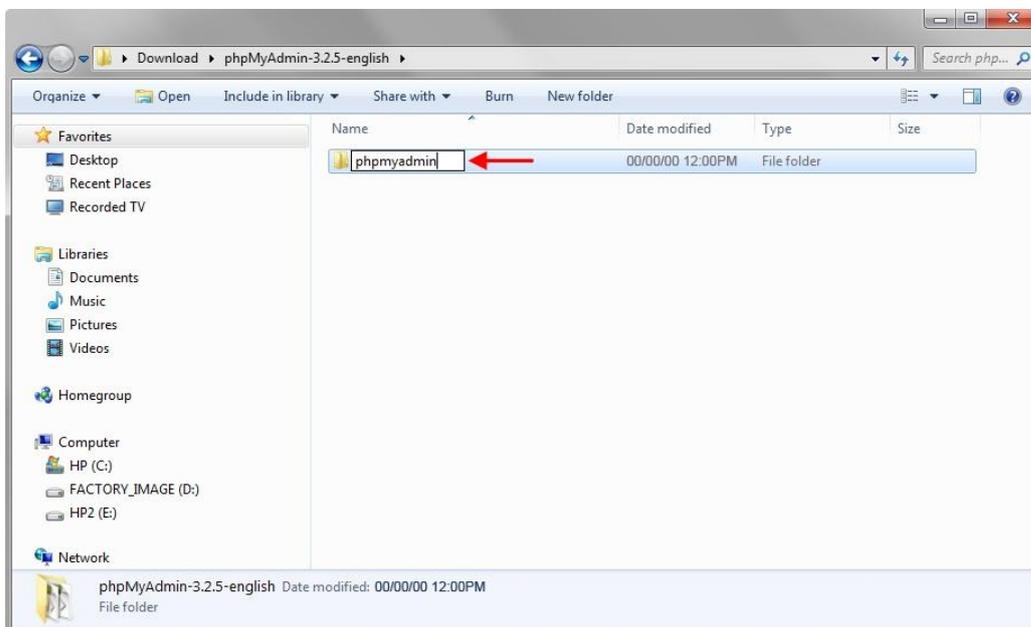
STEP 4

Open the location where you extracted the file
 Open the folder phpMyAdmin-X.X.X-english (where X is the version number)



Step 5

The file you find in there will have the same file name.
 You need to rename it **phpmyadmin**

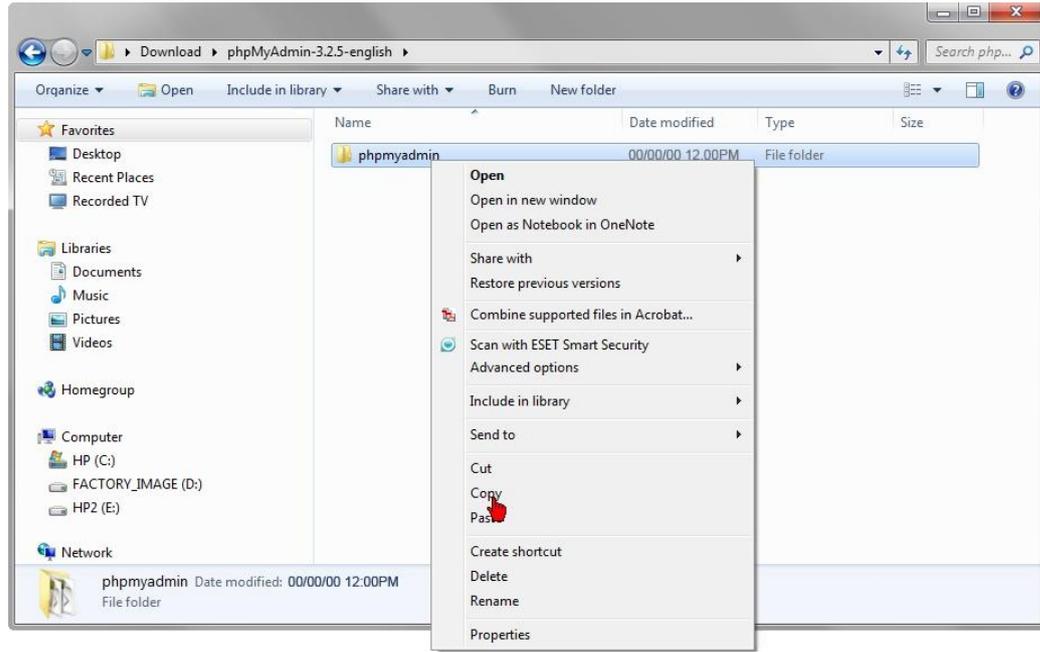


Step 6

Right click the renamed file and **Copy** it to clipboard - right click and select **Copy** from list

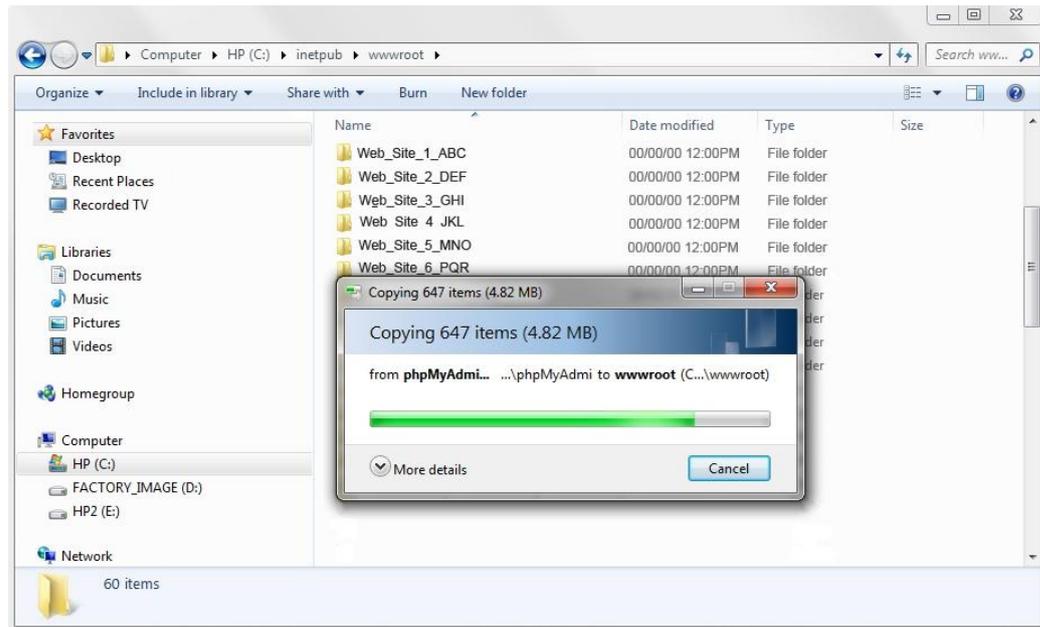
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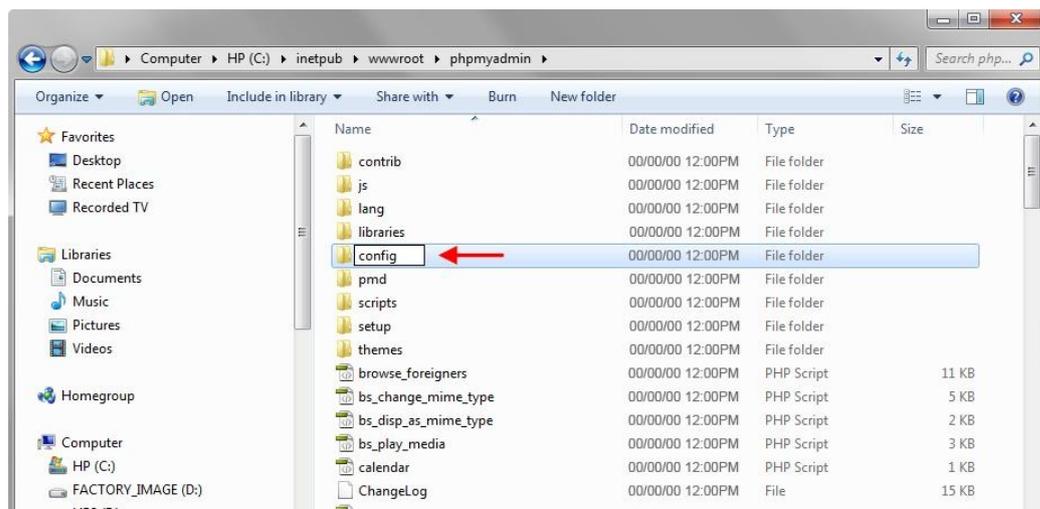
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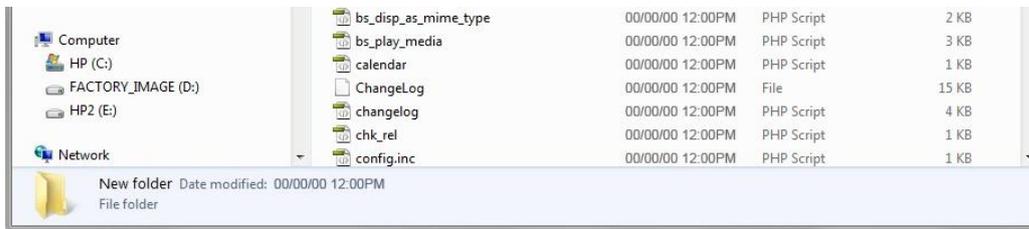
Navigate to your web server root (**C:\inetpub\wwwroot**) and paste the file there



Step 8

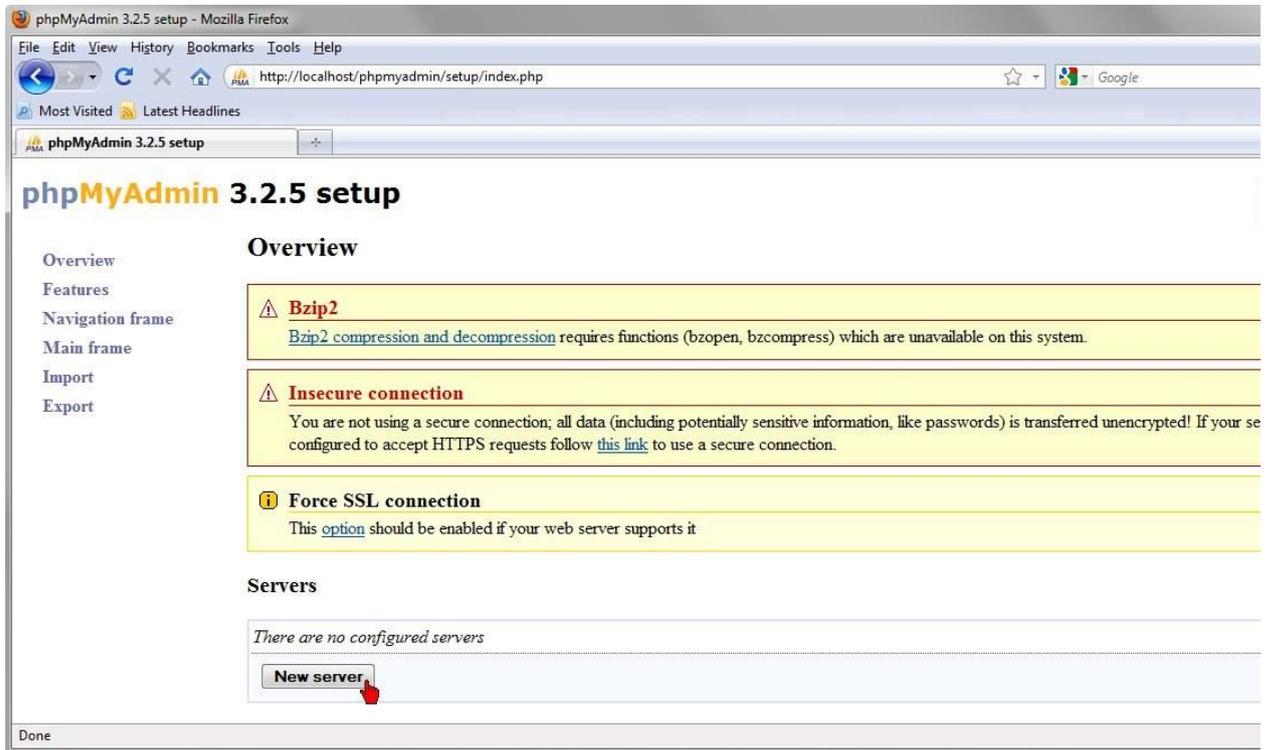
Open the phpmyadmin folder you pasted and create a new folder and name it **config**
Now close all open folders





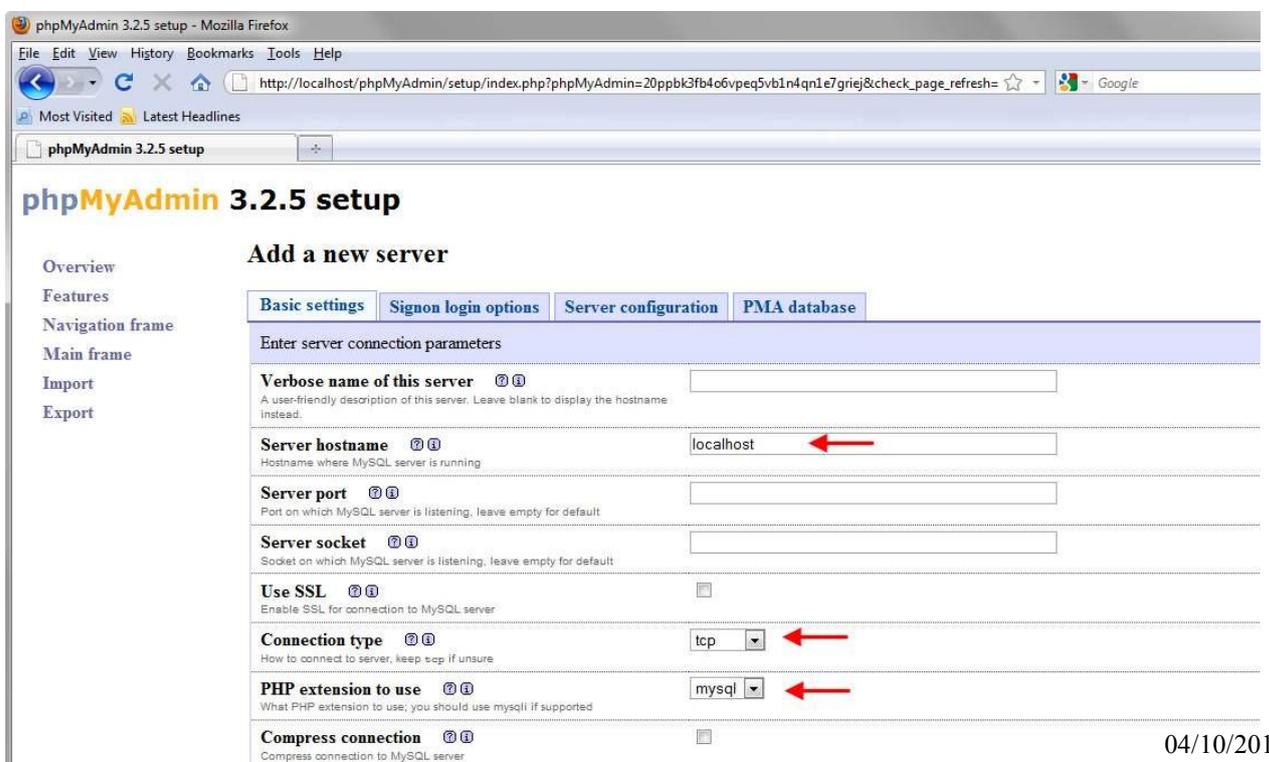
Step 9

Open your Browser and type <http://localhost/phpmyadmin/setup/index.php>
 This opens the configuration page
 Ignore the security warnings as they are intended for server administrators installing phpMyAdmin on an internet server
 On the bottom of the page click on **New Server**



STEP 10

You are required to set up the php configuration for your computer as follows
 Check the following settings, some of which are entered by default
 Server hostname: **localhost**
 Connection Type: **tcp**
 PHP extension to use: **mysql**
 Authentication type: **config**
 User for config auth: **root**
 Password for config auth: **Your MySQL root password**
 Scroll down and click **Save**



PHP extension to use ←

Compress connection

Authentication type ←

User for config auth ←

Password for config auth ←

Connect without password

SweKey config file

Step 11

- The phpMyAdmin Overview page opens
- Ignore any warnings
- Under **Servers** ensure localhost appears under Name
- Now close browser

phpMyAdmin 3.2.5 setup - Mozilla Firefox

http://localhost/phpmyadmin/setup/index.php

phpMyAdmin 3.2.5 setup

Overview

Authentication type (localhost [1])
You set the config authentication type and included username and password for auto-login, which is not a desirable option for live hosts. Anyc knows or guesses your phpMyAdmin URL can directly access your phpMyAdmin panel. Set authentication type to cookie or http. If you fee necessary, use additional protection settings - host authentication settings and trusted proxies list. However, IP-based protection may not be reli IP belongs to an ISP where thousands of users, including you, are connected to.

Use SSL (localhost [1])
You should use SSL connections if your web server supports it

PHP extension to use (localhost [1])
You should use mysql for performance reasons

[Show hidden messages \(3\)](#)

Servers

#	Name	Authentication type	DSN
1	localhost	config	mysql://root***@localhost Edit Delete

Configuration file

Default language

Default server

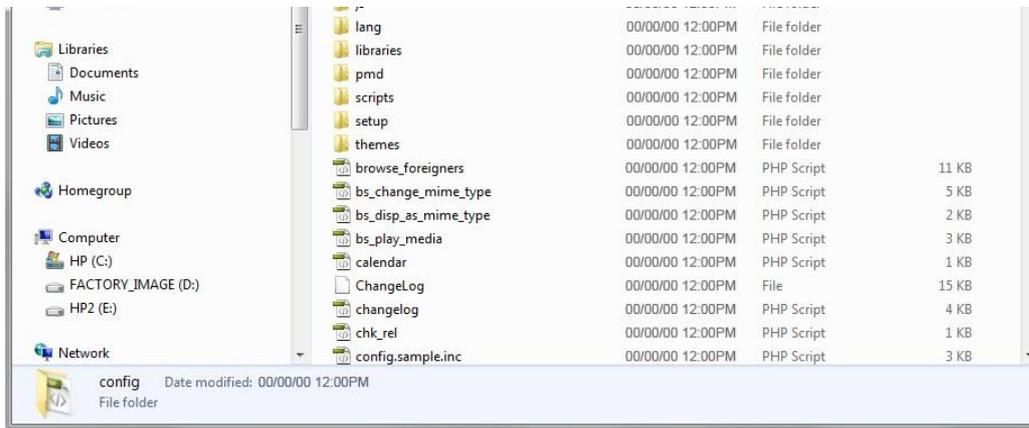
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Step 12

- Navigate to your phpmyadmin folder (C:\inetpub\wwwroot\phpmyadmin)
- Open the config folder

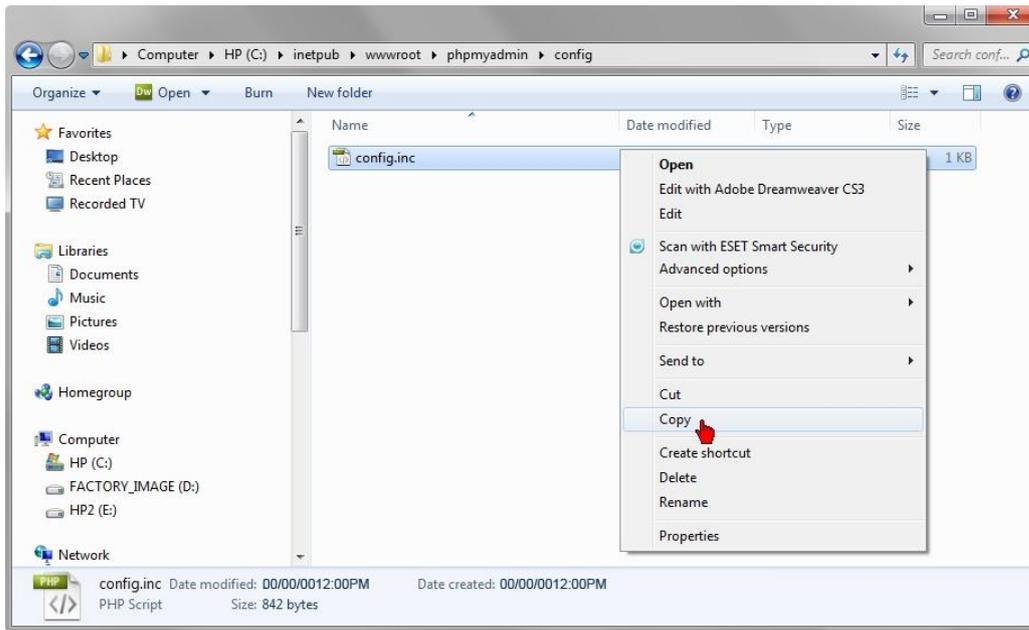
Computer > HP (C:) > inetpub > wwwroot > phpmyadmin

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
config	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
contrib	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
js	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
lang	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
libraries	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
pmd	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	
scripts	00/00/00 12:00PM	File folder	



Step 13

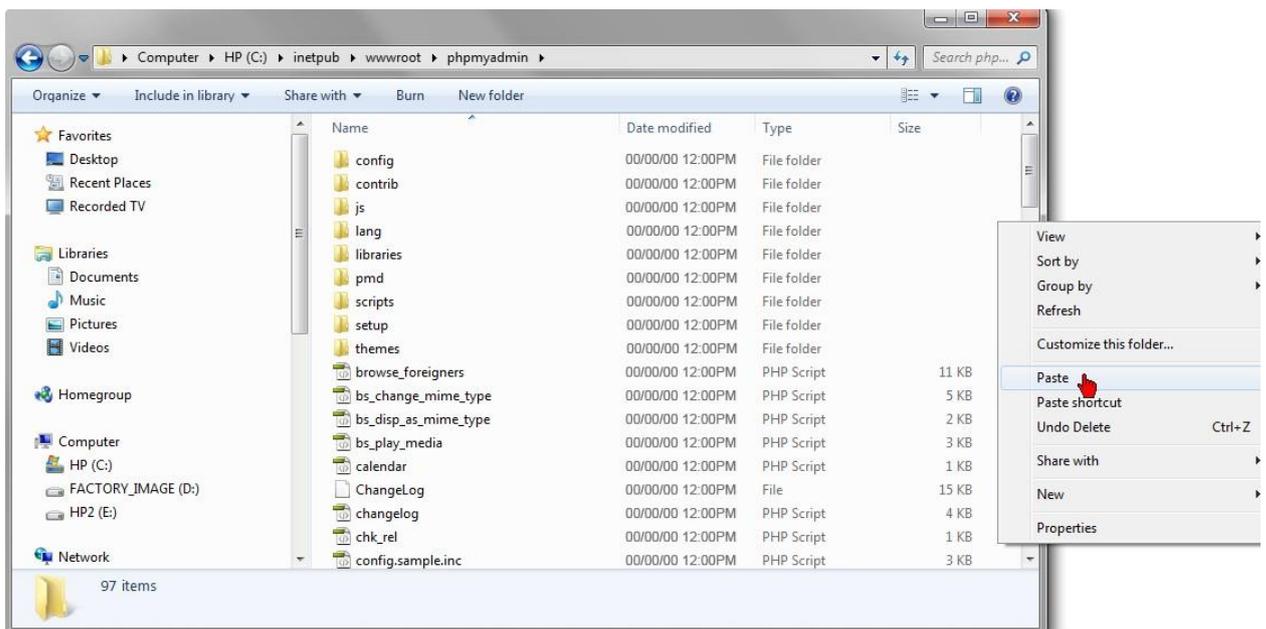
Right click and copy the file *config.inc*



Step 14

Paste the config file to *phpmyadmin folder* (C:\inetpub\wwwroot\phpmyadmin)

The official instructions instruct you to delete the config folder, however this is not necessary in a local testing environment



Step 15

Close all folders
Open Web Browser and type in <http://localhost/phpmyadmin/> to start setting up your databases

Congratulations! - you have now created a PHP development environment.

NOTES: If you can not connect to MySQL and receive an error message from <http://localhost/phpmyadmin/> it is more than likely an error in config.php file

[Click here](#) to download a very basic text file example

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It would be prudent to first rename the existing config file configOLD.php prior to saving file, just in case you need it later.

There is a more detailed sample file already in your **phpmyadmin folder** (C:\inetpub\wwwroot\phpmyadmin) that can also be used called config.sample.inc.php (just rename config.inc.php)