

# Managing MailEnable from Parallels Plesk Automation

This document describes the requirements for configuring a MailEnable server so that it is able to be managed by Parallels Plesk Automation.

## Preparation

Remotely managing a MailEnable server from Parallels Plesk Automation utilises the MailEnable WebServices API. The WebServices API requires authentication from a SYSADMIN MailEnable account.

To prepare a MailEnable server to be managed by Parallels Plesk Automation, follow the procedure below.

1. Create a SYSADMIN account in MailEnable.
  - a. Open the MailEnable administration console.
  - b. Either select an existing mailbox, or create a new one.
  - c. Open the properties of the mailbox, select SYSADMIN from the **Mailbox Type** drop down list, and click **OK**.
2. Enable WebServices.
  - a. Open the MailEnable administration console.
  - b. Open the properties of the **Servers > localhost** node.
  - c. On the **Web Services** tab, place a tick in the **Enable Web Services** box, and click **OK**.

## Verification

Once the preparatory configuration above is complete, the configuration may be verified by following the procedure below.

1. Open a browser on the server which is hosting Parallels Plesk Automation.
2. Enter the following URL: `http://[MailEnableHostAddress]/WebServices/Mailbox.asmx`, replacing the domain name with the address of the machine on which MailEnable is installed.
3. Enter the authentication credentials of the SYSADMIN account when prompted. Note that you must enter the fully qualified user name in the form of *mailbox@postoffice*.
4. Verify that the browser shows a page titled "Mailbox Web Service".

## Configuring Parallels Plesk Automation

Finally, Parallels Plesk Automation must be configured to remotely access the MailEnable server through the WebServices API.

After installing the MailEnable APS Connector, configure Parallels Plesk Automation to manage MailEnable by following the procedure below.

1. Open Parallels Plesk Automation.
2. Go to the **Infrastructure > APS Applications** node.
3. Select the **MailEnable APS Connector** from the list.
4. Click the **Settings** button.

5. Enter the MailEnable WebServices URL in the form `http://[MailEnableHostAddress]`, replacing the domain name with the address of the machine on which MailEnable is installed.
6. Enter the authentication credentials of the SYSADMIN account. Note that you must enter the fully qualified user name in the form of *mailbox@postoffice*.