How to upgrade PHP to 7.4 on Centos 7

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Overview: This article describes the steps to upgrade the PHP version to 7.4 in Cent os.

Enter the following commands on the terminal to upgrade PHP:

1 . To install the latest **PHP 7**, you need to turn on EPEL and Remi repository.

```
root@gateway:~# yum install epel-release
root@gateway:~# yum install  http://rpms.remirepo.net/enterprise/remi-release-7.rpm
```

2. Next, you need to install yum-util packages

```
root@gateway:~# yum install yum-utils -y
```

3. Enable the remi repo as per the desired PHP version, For PHP 7.4.

If you want to install PHP 7.3, you can use the following command,

root@gateway: ~ # yum-config-manager --enable remi-php73

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root@gateway:~# yum-config-manager --enable remi-php74
root@gateway:~# yum update
```

4. Now install **PHP 7.4** with all necessary modules with the command below:

```
root@gateway:~# yum install php php-mcrypt php-cli php-gd php-curl php-mysql php-ldap php-zip php-process php-ldap
```

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