

Change Mambo/Joomla Administrator Login

If you've installed Mambo or Joomla CMS and you've forgot admin password you can change it from mysql database for your Mambo / Joomla instalation, table mos_users (jos_users in Joomla), field password. You have two choices:

1. Changing Mambo / Joomla admin password to default (which is 'admin' too)

Update mos_users table (jos_users, in Joomla) with password:

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21232f297a57a5a743894a0e4a801fc3
```

(this is encrypted 'admin' password)

2. Generate your encrypted password with a one line php script:

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<?  
// ----- passwd.php file  
php echo md5($password);  
>
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Then from your browser open http://localhost/passwd.php?password=new_pass

Put the result into your Mambo / Joomla database, table mos_users (jos_users for Joomla), field 'password'.

Comments:

The default password of Mambo / Joomla CMS is 'admin', taken at instalation from mambo.sql file. To change password use PhpMyAdmin tool or mysql client from shell.