

# System Requirements

If you are unsure if your web server meets our products requirements, simply contact your host and send them this page.

| Linux OS                      | Recommended             |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Web Server                    | Apache or (NginX + fpm) |
| PHP Version                   | 5.5 or higher           |
| MySQL Version                 | 4.1 or higher           |
| MySQLi Extension              | Required                |
| PHP EXEC function             | Required                |
| PHP GD                        | Required                |
| PHP CURL                      | Required                |
| PHP ZipArchive                | Required                |
| PHP Multibyte String          | Required                |
| PHP XML extension             | Required                |
| PHP memory_limit              | 64M or higher           |
| Apache mod_rewrite (optional) | Required for Short URLs |

## Additional Requirement for the [Video App](#)

If you want to allow users to ***upload videos from their computer***, your server must be able to encode / transcode videos so that they can be displayed on your website properly. So:

- You can either use the [Zencoder video encoding service](#)
- OR you must have [FFMPEG](#) installed on your server. Be aware that **video encoding/transcoding is a CPU-intension task** and can take a long time to run, you should only install it on a dedicated environment such as a dedicated server. If you are using Shared Hosting or VPS / Cloud Hosting environments, be sure to check with your hosting provider to see if they allow this encoding task.

## Testing Server Requirements

1. [Download](#) our test script.
2. Unzip and upload the **phpfox.php** to your web server.
3. Visit the script via your web browser. (e.g. <http://www.yoursite.com/phpfox.php>)