

# Multiuser Debugging via XDebug Proxies

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When using Xdebug, you can debug PHP applications in the multiuser mode via [Xdebug proxy](#) servers.

## To enable multiuser debugging via an XDebug proxy server

1. Open the active `php.ini` file, locate the `xdebug.idekey` setting and assign it a value of your choice.
2. Configure access to the required Xdebug proxy server from your IDE:
  - To register your IDE to the server choose **Tools | Xdebug Proxy | Register IDE** on the main menu. In the [Xdebug Proxy](#) dialog box, that opens, specify the `xdebug.idekey`, the host on which the Xdebug proxy server resides, and the port which IntelliJ IDEA will listen to during a proxy debugging session.

When you click **OK**, IntelliJ IDEA connects to the specified proxy server and sends the specified credentials. The server registers the credentials and sends a confirmation.

- To update the credentials, choose **Tools | Xdebug Proxy | Configuration** on the main menu. In the [Xdebug Proxy](#) dialog box, that opens, edit the IDE key, the host, and the port settings.
- To discard the current credentials, choose **Tools | Xdebug Proxy | Cancel IDE Registration** on the main menu.

## See Also

Procedures:

- [Configuring XDebug](#)

Reference:

- [DBGp Proxy](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#)