
Question about deleting some data through cron

Posted by Giorgos93 - 2024/02/19 20:29

Hi, a long time ago I asked you a question about my DB becoming big because of wp_asq_quiz_sessions. And you gave me this code, so I can put it in my cron. And it works:

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"DELETE FROM wp_asq_quiz_sessions WHERE created < DATE_ADD(CURDATE(), INTERVAL -2 DAY)"
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However, I have this cron working once every 7 days. And now too many people are passing quizzes, so the db becomes heavy very quickly.

My question is: if I'll make the cronjob to work once a day (every day), then the code above will work normally? Or should I choose bigger interval? If yes, then what is a minimal interval?

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Re:Question about deleting some data through cron

Posted by admin - 2024/02/21 11:07

Hello,

This query deletes records older than 2 days. You can increase "2" in the query If it is not enough.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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Re:Question about deleting some data through cron

Posted by Giorgos93 - 2024/02/22 09:02

No, I am asking "if I'll make the cronjob to work once a day (every day), then the code above will work normally?". I don't need these records at all, because I don't collect any data from users, that pass my quizzes.

Tbh, I don't understand, what records are making the db grow, if I don't collect any data. And it would be useful, if you add autodeletion of this records in your plugin's settings.

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Re:Question about deleting some data through cron

Posted by admin - 2024/02/27 11:02

Yes, the code will work fine if run query once a day. It seems in some cases (depend on plugin/quiz configuration) don't need add a record to "session" DB table. We will investigate it.

Regards,
ARI Soft

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