Cron

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Add/Modify Cron Jobs

Update Cron to mail to a particular user

> *crontab -e*

Adding Path to Cron

Cron runs with a very limited shell. You may find that you need to set the path for certain things to work. You can add this to the beginning of the crontab.

> *crontab -e*

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PATH=/usr/bin:/bin:/usr/sbin:/sbin:/usr/local/bin
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MailTo

If you want to get cronjob emails, set MAILTO in the crontab:

> *crontab -e*

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MAILTO="xxx@yahoo.com"
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If you don't want to receive any emails from cron, set the MAILTO=""

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MAILTO=""
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If you are using Ssmpt with cron, you will also need to replace the symlink for sendmail with a script.

> *rm /usr/sbin/sendmail*
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> *vi /usr/sbin/sendmail*

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#!/bin/sh
ARGS=$@
sed -r -e 's/^From: root \(Cron Daemon\)\s*$/From: Cron Daemon <xxx@yahoo.com>/' | /usr/sbin/ssmtp $@
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> *chmod +x /usr/sbin/sendmail*

References

Reference	URL
sSMTP tips & tricks	https://www.axllent.org/docs/ssmtp/