

Re: PHP saying I have an undefined variable?

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If you dont want to define the variable first – you can always use a conditional to act if it doesnt exist:

```
if(!isset($varname))  
{  
do something  
}
```

Or to supress the notices you can set the PHP error level reporting at runtime using:

```
error_reporting(E_ALL ^ E_NOTICE);
```

That is; if you dont have access to your PHP.ini!

Regards

– FrobinRobin

ECRIA Public Mail Buffer wrote:

- > Note that this is not an error but a notice – there's a difference. Errors
- > will stop execution of your script, while warnings and notices are there to
- > inform you of possible faulty code. Depending on your error_reporting
- > setting in php.ini, you may or may not see warnings and notices. Your script
- > has an undefined variable on your server but your server is just not telling
- > you, because error_reporting is set to off or warn (not all).
- >
- > It is likely that you are using \$end_while in a conditional statement before
- > you have defined it, leading to the notice. You should set it to a default
- > value at the beginning of your script, or before you use it.
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- > ECRIA
- > <http://www.ecria.com>

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