



Addon Domains

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Addon domains are useful for having more than one website per hosting account without using a full multiple domains package. A subdomain is used to park the other domain onto and in doing so a separate FTP account and email system can be used with the extra domain.

Please note: to use addon domains you must own the other domain name(s) and also change the nameservers to ns1.spectulise.com and ns2.spectulise.com

To begin, login to your control panel and click the button marked 'Addon Domains' shown in the screenshot below.



Creating a new addon domain

1. When in the subdomain admin section you need to fill in the three field shown to add the domain:

- Where you see "New Domain Name:" you need to type the domain name that you would like to addon to your hosting account (eg. otherdomain.com)
- In the "UserName/SubDomain Name:" field, you will put the directory that you would like to domain to point to (ex. otherdomain.com could point to domain.com/foldername, where domain.com is your current hosting package).
- In the "Passworld:" field, you will enter the password that would be used for things such as FTP. It is recommended that you write this password down.
- When done, click the button marked 'Add'.

The screenshot shows a form titled "Current Addon Domains" with the following fields and callouts:

- Current Addon Domains:** A list of existing domains.
- New Addon Domain:** A text input field containing "otherdomain.com" with callout "a. Enter domain here".
- Username/directory name:** A text input field containing "foldername" with callout "b. Enter subdomain/ folder here".
- Password:** A text input field containing "password" with callout "c. Enter password here".
- Add:** A button with callout "d. Click 'Add' button".

Below the form, a note states: "Addon Domains will not be functional unless the domain name is registered with a valid registrar and configured to point to our DNS servers."

2. After a short delay you should see a confirmation message on the next screen to confirm that the domain has been added successfully.

The screenshot shows a confirmation message with the following text:

Created DNS entry for otherdomain.com
Setup Mail forward otherdomain.com
Setup otherdomain.com OK
Adding httpd.conf entry for otherdomain.com to point to foldername.domain.com

otherdomain.com has been setup. It can be accessed via the subdomain **foldername.domain.com** . Ftp access has been granted with the username **foldername** and th password **password** .

A callout box says: "Note confirmation message"

Delete an addon domain

1. To remove an addon domain previously created, select it from the drop down list and click the 'Delete' button as shown below.

Domains will not be functional unless the domain name is registered with a valid registrar and configured to point to our DNS servers.

a. Select the addon domain

b. Click 'Delete' button

Remove Addon Domain:

2. After a short delay you should see a confirmation message on the next screen to confirm that the domain has been deleted successfully.

Addon Domain Maintenance

Addon Domain Addition
The subdomain, otherdomain.com, has been added.

otherdomain.com -> deleted
Updating Mail Routes...Done
Removing localdomains...Done
Removing ServerAliases...Done
Parked Domain otherdomain.com Unparked!

Note confirmation message