

## How to Enable or Disable Real Servers

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You can change the state of a Real Server to either **Enable**, **Disable** or **Maintenance**. **Enable** a Real Server to make it accept new requests, connections or sessions. **Disable** a Real Server to terminate all existing connections immediately or put it into **Maintenance** mode to allow existing connections to terminate naturally.

Disabling your Real Servers allows you to perform maintenance or to temporarily disassociate them from a Service. A Real Server that is in disabled or maintenance mode will not accept any new connections or requests until it is enabled.

There are two ways to change the status of a Real Server:

- Use the Disable/Maintenance/Enable actions on the **BASIC > Server Health** page.
- Edit the Real Server on the **BASIC > Services** page.

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