

Compute Number of Days - Current Date to the MySQL Inputed Date Function

Category :

Date Function

Description :

This function will compute and output the number of days from a MySQL date inputed and today date. It will return an integer of number of days.

Function:

```
function DiffDays($MySQLDate)
{
    #      this function will compute and output the number of days from a
    #      MySQL date inputed and today date. It will return an integer of number of days

    $date_array=explode("-", $MySQLDate);
    $var_type="integer";
    $star_year=$date_array[0];
    $star_month=$date_array[1];
    $star_day=$date_array[2];

    $star_stamp=mktime(0,0,0,$star_month,$star_day,$star_year);
    $star_stamp=$star_stamp/86400;
    settype($star_stamp,$var_type);

    $today1=strtotime('now');
    $cur_year=date("Y",$today1);
    $cur_month=date("m",$today1);
    $cur_day=date("d",$today1);

    $cur_stamp=mktime(0,0,0,$cur_month,$cur_day,$cur_year);
    $cur_stamp=$cur_stamp/86400;
    settype($cur_stamp,$var_type);

    $date_diff=$star_stamp-$cur_stamp;
    return($date_diff);
}
```

Application:

```
Today's Date 2007-09-01
$date_in='2007-09-03';
$days_out = DiffDays($date_in);
print $date_out;
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