

# explode

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Turn a **string** into an **array**

## Description

**array** **explode** ( **string** **\$value**, **string** **\$delimiter** )

Turn a **string** into an **array** by separating out the elements as bounded by a delimiter character

## Parameters

**\$value**: **String** to be separated into elements in the **array**

**\$delimiter**: Character to use for separation

## Return Value

**Array** of elements

## Example

```
<pre><?
    $mylist="one,two,three,four";
    $myarray=explode($mylist,",");
    print_r($myarray);
?></pre>
```

The above example will output:

```
[$myarray] = Array (
    (string) [0] => one
    (string) [1] => two
    (string) [2] => three
    (string) [3] => four
)
```

## See Also

**implode()** - Turn an **array** into a **string**

**print\_r()** - Dump the contents of an **array** to the current output

[sizeof\(\)](#) - Return the number of elements in an **array**

[uPHP Variable Types and Limits](#)

## Additional Information

Note that there is an important difference in the parameter order between mainline PHP and Wattmon uPHP. In the mainline PHP function the delimiter comes first, but in uPHP the **string** to be exploded comes first:

PHP `explode(delimiter, string)`

uPHP `explode(string, delimiter)`

Wattmon uPHP's parameter order is easier to remember and more consistent: The delimiter parameter comes last in both [explode\(\)](#) and [implode\(\)](#).

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