modoboa-postfix-autoreply Documentation

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This extension lets users define an auto-reply message (vacation). It is based on Postfix capabilities.

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Setup

The user that executes the autoreply script needs to access settings.py. You must apply proper permissions on this file. For example, if settings.py belongs to www-data:www-data, you can add the vmail user to the www-data group and set the read permission for the group.

To make Postfix use this feature, you need to update your configuration file as follows:

/etc/postfix/master.cf:

```
autoreply unix - n n - - pipe flags= user=vmail:<group> argv=python <modoboa_site>/manage.py autoreply 
→$sender $mailbox
```

Replace <driver> by the name of the database you use. <modoboa_site> is the path of your Modoboa instance.

Note: Auto-reply messages are just sent once per sender for a pre-defined time period. By default, this period is equal to 1 day (86400s), you can adjust this value by modifying the **Automatic reply timeout** parameter available in the online panel.