

# Maintenance of a Large Existing Web Project

You might get a lot of PHP companies for making a new website but you will find a very few of them who provide proper maintenance support in the long term. Because most new companies develop projects with newbies, but maintenance of a large web application requires experts.

If you have any PHP application running over years and facing maintenance issue, or simply want to outsource the work to a reliable hand to cut the cost you must contact us. It is not an issue with us how much complex it is. It might be connected to multiple systems, it might have PHP android/iPhone client - we will take the maintenance contract after just ensuring that the codes written has maintained quality standard to an acceptable level.

However, please note, we will not accept any contract for any application that was never been successfully launched. In most cases, those projects are done by inefficient people and went unmanageable at some point of the SDLC.

We have several teams comprising 3-10 years senior programmers and architects who can take this responsibility.

## How to move forward?

Working on a project written by a 3<sup>rd</sup> party is not an easy job. But it is not impossible either. However, we will not be in a position to give you any fixed cost estimate as we have no knowledge of your project. It is never possible by us to know what was in the mind of the developers and project managers. It requires a gradual transfer of knowledge. Here are the steps that worked in the past

1. We discuss about the existing project and the future tasks those needs to be done
2. You send us all possible documents/details of the project that includes database structure, sample codes, access details to explore different part of the applications and documentation done by the developer if any.
3. We will review and tell you whether we will serve you or not. We will simply say no, if we see that we will not be able to give the right service. No cost so far.
4. We will suggest you to hire a part time senior or specialist developer of XX hours in a month depending on your requirement
5. After you bought, he will start working on your project. In the first month he may take 5 hours to fix 1 hour work, because a lot of time will go in making the knowledgebase. To offset the cost, we will give 30% discount on the first month bill.
6. From the 2<sup>nd</sup> month things will start become normal.
7. After some months you will hardly believe that we did not develop the system originally.

We provide long term support so you can avoid the hassle of maintaining in-house and save a lot of money. You can contact us anytime online.

## How does it cost?

To maintain an existing large website you need to hire a senior or specialist developer. Here is the cost table

## Dedicated Hiring Rates

Type of developer	Exp Level	Monthly Cost in \$
Project manager cum Analyst	5 to 10 years	1500 to 2000
Senior Developer	3 to 5 years	1200 to 1400

## Part Dedicated Hiring Rates

You must have a commitment for a month in advance (say \$x number of hours).

Resource Type	Hourly Rate in \$		
Monthly Hours->	10 to 19	20 to 49	50 or More
Senior Developer	12	10	9
Project Manager / Analyst	16	14	12