

# The Apache Xerces™ Project - Mailing Lists

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Every volunteer project obtains its strength from the people involved in it. Mailing lists provide a simple and effective communication mechanism.

You are welcome to join any of these mailing lists (or all of them if you wish). You can choose to lurk, or actively participate. It's up to you. Before you join these lists, you may want to look over the resources in the [Reference Library](#) section. As with any mailing list, you should probably read any FAQ postings or simply read a sampling of postings on the list before posting your first question.

## 1 Usage Notes

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Archives are generally named after the project they're about (duh!) with a suffix that denotes the subjects covered. Common suffixes are:

- \*-dev Developer list - for technical questions about the product, code patches, bug submissions about advanced functionality, etc.
- \*-users Users list - for general usage questions about the product from an end-users perspective
- \*-commits commit list - this is a read-only list that sends out email with details of all changes to that project's CVS, SVN or Wiki repository

The ezmlm mailing list controller accepts commands by sending emails to <listname>-command, generally like the following:

- \*-subscribe Subscribe your current email address to the list
- \*-unsubscribe UnSubscribe your **current** email address from the list
- \*-help get Help on mailing list commands

### Example

If you want to unsubscribe from the Xerces General mailing list you send an empty mail to [general-unsubscribe@xerces.apache.org](mailto:general-unsubscribe@xerces.apache.org).

## 2 Public Archives

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Archives of all public mailing lists can be found here:

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/> (gzipped mbox files)
- Some lists are also available from <http://marc.info/>, [The Mail Archive](#), [GMANE](#), [Nabble](#) and [MarkMail](#).

## 3 The Xerces General Discussion List

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This list is for issues that span across all xerces.apache.org projects, whether technical or organizational. Discussions about specific code bases should be redirected to one of the Xerces sub-project-specific lists below.

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-general/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-general/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/general/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-general.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

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## 4 The Xerces C++ Users List

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This is the list where users of the Xerces C++ XML parser can meet and discuss questions, raise issues, etc.

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-c-users/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-c-users/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/c-users/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-c-users.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

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## 5 The Xerces C++ Developers List

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This is the list where participating developers of the Xerces C++ XML parser meet and discuss issues, code changes/additions, etc. This list currently also discusses the COM bindings to the Xerces C++ parser as well. The Perl binding now has a separate mailing list (see below).

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-c-dev/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-c-dev/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/c-dev/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-c-dev.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

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## 6 The Xerces Java Users List

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This is the list where users of the Xerces Java XML parser can meet and discuss questions, raise issues, etc.

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-j-users/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-j-users/) (mod\_mbox archives)

- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/j-users/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-j-users.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

## 7 The Xerces Java Developers List

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This is the list where participating developers of the Xerces Java XML parser meet and discuss issues, code changes/additions, etc.

### Archives:

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-j-dev/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-j-dev/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/j-dev/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-j-dev.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

## 8 The Xerces Perl Developers List

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This is the list where participating developers of the Xerces Perl binding for XML parsing meet and discuss issues, code changes/additions, etc.

### Archives:

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-p-dev/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-p-dev/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/p-dev/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-p-dev.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

## 9 The Xerces Commits List

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This is a read-only list that sends out e-mail notifications with details of all commits to the Apache Xerces Java, Xerces C++ and Xerces Perl code repositories as well as notifications for updates to the Xerces Wiki.

### Archives:

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-commits/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-commits/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/commits/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xerces-commits.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

## 10 The XML Commons Developers List

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This is the list for those interested and involved with the active development of the XML Commons sub-project.

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xerces-xml-commons-dev/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xerces-xml-commons-dev/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xerces.apache.org/mail/xml-commons-dev/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xml-commons-dev.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)

## 11 The XML Commons Commits List

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This is a read-only list that sends out e-mail notifications with details of all commits to the XML Commons code repository.

**Archives:**

- [http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod\\_mbox/xml-commons-cvs/](http://mail-archives.apache.org/mod_mbox/xml-commons-cvs/) (mod\_mbox archives)
- <http://xml.apache.org/mail/commons-cvs/> (gzipped mbox files)
- <http://xml-commons-cvs.markmail.org/> (MarkMail archives)