

Plesk Preparations

Create a SSH account

Create an SSH account before you try to connect. Go to your domain and click on Webhosting Access:

The screenshot shows the Plesk control panel interface. On the left is a dark sidebar with the 'METANET' logo and a menu containing: Websites & Domains, E-Mail, Anwendungen, Dateien, Datenbanken, Statistiken, Benutzer, Konto, and WordPress. The main area is titled 'Websites & Domains' and includes a search bar. Below the title are three buttons: 'Domain hinzufügen', 'Subdomain hinzufügen', and 'Domain-Alias hinzufügen'. The domain 'meineseite.ch' is listed with a status of 'Aktiv'. Below the domain name, it shows 'Website unter [httpdocs/](#)', 'IP-Adresse: 80.74.128.3', and 'Systembenutzer: metanetff'. There are links for 'Hosting-Einstellungen', 'Im Browser öffnen', 'Vorschau', and 'Beschreibung'. Below this, there are three main service tiles: 'Dateimanager' (with a folder icon), 'E-Mail' (with an envelope icon), and 'Datenbanken' (with a database icon). The 'Datenbanken' tile has a sub-button 'Datenbank hinzufügen' and a link 'oder Vorhandene D. auswählen'. At the bottom, there are two tiles: 'Webhosting-Zugang' (with a globe icon and a red border) and 'FTP-Zugang' (with a computer icon). A link 'Weniger anzeigen' is visible on the right side of the bottom row.

There you can define a user or use your existing login to connect via SSH.

To connect via SSH you need to connect through port 2121.

```
ssh username@yourwebsite.com -p2121
```

Check for PHP version

Check the PHP version. It can be that it's a lower version than showing on the Control panel. This because the linux alias "php" is directing to the older version. Make sure your PHP is running minimum 7.4 or above.

<https://www.metanet.ch/support/713#10224-php>

```
php --version
```

If your version is below 7.4 do the following:

```
alias php='/opt/php80/bin/php'  
echo "alias php='/opt/php80/bin/php'" >> ~/.bash_profile  
  
export PATH=/opt/php80/bin:$PATH  
echo "export PATH=/opt/php80/bin:\$PATH" >> ~/.bash_profile
```

After that check the php version again in the command line.

Create Database

Before you install BookStack you need to make sure you have already a database created.

Use the **MySQL Database Wizard** to create a database and database user with all privileges to the database you've created. Take note of the full database name and user credentials for a later step.

Datenbank hinzufügen

Allgemein

Datenbankname *

Datenbankserver

localhost:3306 (Standard für MariaDB, v10.3.32)

Zugehörige Website

Keine zugehörigen Websites ▾

Benutzer

Erstellen Sie einen Standard-Datenbankbenutzer. Plesk greift im Namen dieses Benutzers auf die Datenbank zu. So

☒ Datenbankbenutzer erstellen

Datenbankbenutzername *

Passwort *

Sehr stark

(?)

Generieren

Anzeigen

Passwort bestätigen *

☐ Der Benutzer hat Zugriff auf alle Datenbanken innerhalb des ausgewählten Abonnements

Zugriffssteuerung

- ☐ Nur lokale Verbindungen zulassen
- ☒ Remoteverbindungen von beliebigem Host zulassen
- ☐ Remoteverbindungen zulassen von

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