

Theming



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The theming feature lets you customize the look and feel of your Nextcloud instance to match your organization's design (or - if for personal use - your own style). You can replace the Nextcloud logo and background images with your own assets, customize colors and slogans, and add dedicated legal and privacy links.

Theme customization is provided by the shipped and always-enabled `theming` app. Use the **Theming** section within the *Administration settings* menu to access all theming-related settings.

Customize the appearance of Nextcloud

You can change the following aspects of your instance's appearance:

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Theming makes it possible to easily customize the look and feel of your instance and supported clients. This will be visible for all users.

Name

Nextcloud

Web link

<https://nextcloud.com>

Slogan

a safe home for all your data

Primary color



#00679e



The primary color is used for highlighting elements like important buttons. It might get slightly adjusted depending on the current color schema.

Background color



#00679e



Instead of a background image you can also configure a plain background color. If you use a background image changing this color will influence the color of the app menu icons.

Logo



Upload

Background and login image



Upload



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- **Name** (e.g., ACME Inc. Cloud).
 - **Web link** (e.g., <https://acme.inc/>).

- **Slogan.**
- **Primary color:** Used for important buttons, checkboxes, and folder icons.
- **Background color:** Used when no image is set; header bar icon color is also derived from this.
- **Logo:** Appears in the header and on the login page (default size: 62x34 px).
- **Background and login image:** Sets the page background.

Advanced options

Legal notice link

Privacy policy link

Header logo

Favicon

User settings

☐ Disable user theming

Although you can select and customize your instance, users can change their background and colors. If you want to enforce your customization, you can toggle this on.

- **Additional legal links:** Legal notice and privacy policy.
- **Custom header logo and favicon:** Optionally override the auto-generated favicon based on your logo.
- **Disable user theming:** Prevent users from changing backgrounds and colors. Toggle this to enforce your custom theme.

Configure theming via CLI

You can also configure theming using the `occ theming:config` command.

Available settings include:

- name, url, imprintUrl, privacyUrl, slogan, background_color, primary_color. Example: `occ theming:config name "My Example Cloud"`
- background, logo, favicon, logoheader. Example: `occ theming:config logo /tmp/mylogo.png`

- disable-user-theming (yes/no). Example: `occ theming:config disable-user-theming yes`

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Images must be read from a local file on the Nextcloud server.

To use a color (instead of an image) for the background:

```
occ theming:config background_color "#0082c9"
occ theming:config background backgroundColor
```

Icon theming

Based on your settings, Nextcloud will automatically generate favicons and a header logo using your logo and theme color.

This requires:

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- The PHP `imagick` module.
- SVG support for imagick (e.g., `libmagickcore-7.q16-10-extra` on Debian 13 and `libmagickcore-6.q16-7-extra` on Ubuntu 24.04).

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In the advanced options of the theming app, you can set a custom favicon if you do not want to use auto-generated resources or install the above dependencies.

Branded clients

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Nextcloud GmbH - the company that employs Nextcloud's core maintainers - offers branding services, providing sync clients (mobile and desktop) that use

your corporate identity and are pre-configured for your users. For more information on advanced branding and enterprise support offerings, [contact Nextcloud GmbH](#).

The theming app supports changing the URLs for the mobile apps (Android and iOS) that appear when users access the web interface from mobile devices. By default, these links point to the official Nextcloud apps, but you can set them to branded versions.

Set custom app links using the `occ` command:

```
occ config:app:set theming AndroidClientUrl --value
"https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.nextcloud.client"
occ config:app:set theming iTunesAppId --value "1125420102"
occ config:app:set theming iOSClientUrl --value
"https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/nextcloud/id1125420102?mt=8"
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📄 cocobook-sync 📄 2026-10-29 01:09:17 UTC