

# i-MSCP Installer - Preseeding Feature

## Introduction

The preseeding feature allows to pre-set answers for the i-MSCP installer. This allows to make unattended installations. This feature is best suitable for ISPs that want offer their customers a server with i-MSCP pre-installed, or to developers that want setup their i-MSCP development environment using Vagrant.

## Creating the preseed file

The preseed file is a simple Perl script containing variables that must be filled with all needed answers.

When creating a preseed file, you should start from a known good, default preseed file. A preseed file for the i-MSCP version you are using is located in the docs directory of the archive.

## Adding the preseed file to the installer

Once the preseed file is ready for use, you must tell the installer to use it. This is achieved by running the i-MSCP installer as follows:

```
# perl imscp-autoinstall --debug --verbose --noprompt --preseed  
path/to/preseed.pl
```

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