

# Saving a text file in PHP

**file\_put\_contents**(\$filename, \$src) is useful function if you want to save a text file in PHP

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<?php

$json = '{ "a":1, "b":2, "c":3, "d":4, "e":5 }';

file_put_contents( "foo.json", $json);

?>
```

If you want to read the file, you can also use **file\_get\_contents**( \$filename).