

# Transactional Email Providers

New in [Tiki24](#)

Leveraging [SlmMail](#), Tiki can send transactional emails (Password reset, notification of a wiki page update, etc.) via services such as:

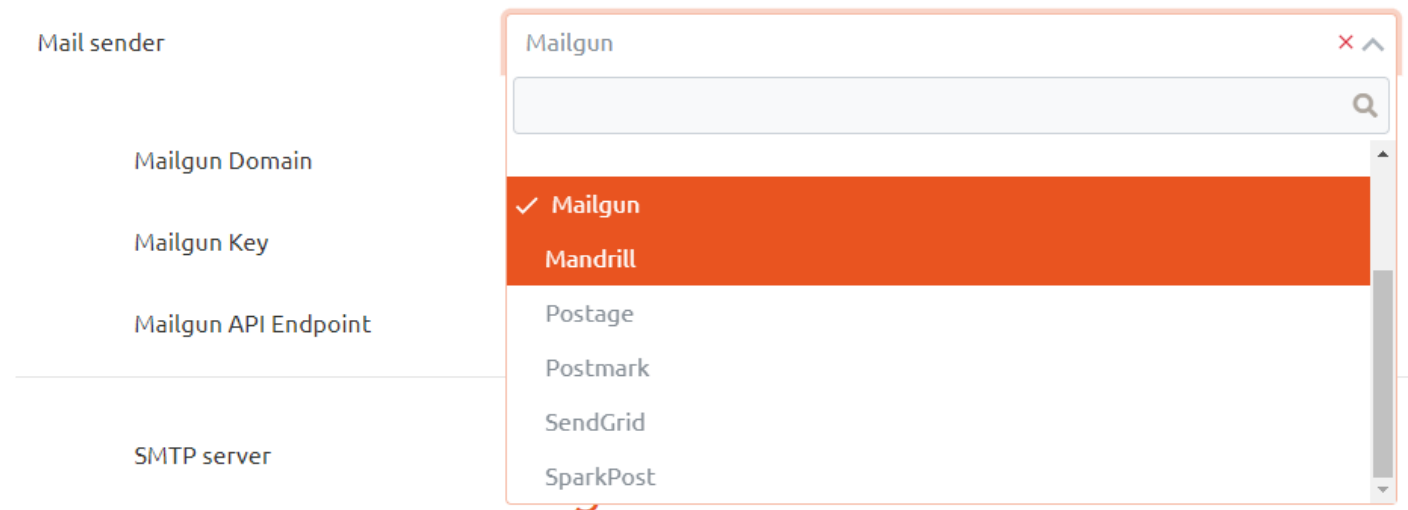
- [Mailgun](#)
- [Postmark](#)
- [Postage](#)
- [Send Grid](#)
- [Spark Post](#)
- [Amazon SES](#)
- and others...

## Why?

Because sending emails via Tiki (sendmail) or [SMTP](#) can cause issues: Limits on numbers of emails sent, slow delivery, lost emails, mails flagged as spam, etc. Basically because there is so much spam, legitimate projects suffer. The good news is that some services offer free to use entry level services (To promote the service so you upgrade to paid service as your needs grow). The bad news is a loss of data privacy.

## How to use

Configure in the **Mail** section of `tiki-admin.php?page=general`



The screenshot shows the 'Mail sender' configuration section in the Tiki admin interface. On the left, there are input fields for 'Mailgun Domain', 'Mailgun Key', and 'Mailgun API Endpoint'. Below these is a section for 'SMTP server'. On the right, a dropdown menu is open, displaying a list of email providers: Mailgun (selected with a checkmark), Mandrill, Postage, Postmark, SendGrid, and SparkPost. The dropdown menu has a search bar at the top and a close button (X) and an expand/collapse arrow (^) in the top right corner.

## About the code

SlmMail is an "Integration of various email service providers in the `Laminas\Mail`". Since Tiki also already uses [laminas/laminas-mail](#), it is very nice extra functionality with minimal complexity/overhead. `laminas/laminas-mail` is the continuation of [Zend\Mail](#), which has been added to Tiki in [Tiki11](#) (2013).

## Related

- Initial commit: [https://gitlab.com/tikiwiki/tiki/-/merge\\_requests/1160](https://gitlab.com/tikiwiki/tiki/-/merge_requests/1160)