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Question

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## Dynamically change output file name for a schedule task

Is there any way to dynamically generate the output filename for a schedule task? For example when running a legacy code task every hour, is there anyway to specify the output file name to be appended with time stamp or some incrementing number to avoid overwriting?

### Task Scheduler Wizard

This wizard helps to you schedule a task for execution by the Task Manager or to edit the details of a previously scheduled task. For user-defined tasks you must first create a new subclass of the %SYS.Task.Definition class which will then be selectable as a 'Task type'.

The screenshot shows the 'Task Scheduler Wizard' form with the following fields and values:

- Task name: \* [Empty text box]
- Description: [Empty text box]
- Namespace to run task in: %SYS (dropdown menu)
- Task type: \* RunLegacyTask (dropdown menu)
- ExecuteCode [Empty text box]
- Task priority: Priority Normal (dropdown menu)
- Run task as this user: mary (dropdown menu)
- Open output file when task is running? Yes (dropdown menu)
- Output file: J:\Temp\File070720221000 [Text box] [Browse... button]
- Suspend task on error? No (dropdown menu)
- Reschedule task after system restart? No (dropdown menu)
- Send completion email notification to: [Empty text box]
- Send error email notification to: [Empty text box]

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