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# follow symlinks & disallow directory listing
# note: your hosting company might not allow these directives to be set. In that case,
# you should either find another hosting company (advised) or remove the line below.
Options +FollowSymlinks -Indexes

# file etags (used when comparing local cached file to server file)
FileETag MTime Size

<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
  # nice urls
  RewriteEngine On
  RewriteBase /

  # forbidden folders
  RewriteRule .*\.gitignore - [F]
  RewriteRule composer\.json - [F]
  RewriteRule composer\.lock - [F]
  RewriteRule .*\.md - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/cached_templates - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/compiled_templates - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/config - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/locale/.*\.php - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/logs - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/navigation/.*\.php - [F]
  RewriteRule frontend/cache/search - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/compiled_templates - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/config - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/cronjobs - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/locale/.*\.php - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/logs - [F]
  RewriteRule backend/cache/navigation - [F]

  # one url to rule them all
  # RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} !^www\.<domain>\.be [NC]
  # RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} !.*\.dev [NC]
  # RewriteRule ^(.*)$ http://www.<domain>.be/$1 [R=301,L]

  # backend/install/api are existing dirs, but should all pass via the front controller
  RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} ^/(backend|install|api(?:\d\d)?(?:\client)?)/$
  RewriteRule . /index.php [NC,L]
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# handle urls
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} !^$
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-d
RewriteRule . index.php [NC,L]

# set environment variable to let PHP know that urls are being rewritten
RewriteRule .* - [E=MOD_REWRITE:1]
</IfModule>

# file caching in browser
<IfModule mod_expires.c>
    ExpiresActive On
    <FilesMatch "\.(ico|gif|jpe?g|png|svg|svgz|js|css|swf|tfl|otfl|woff|eot)$">
        ExpiresDefault "access plus 1 month"
    </FilesMatch>
</IfModule>

# gzip on Apache 2
<IfModule mod_deflate.c>
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE text/html text/plain text/xml application/xml
text/javascript text/css application/x-javascript application/xhtml+xml
application/javascript

# these browsers do not support deflate
BrowserMatch ^Mozilla/4 gzip-only-text/html
BrowserMatch ^Mozilla/4.[0678] no-gzip
BrowserMatch bMSIE !no-gzip !gzip-only-text/html

    SetEnvIf User-Agent ". *MSIE. *" nokeepalive ssl-unclean-shutdown downgrade-1.0 force
</IfModule>

# gzip on Apache 1
<IfModule mod_gzip.c>
    mod_gzip_on Yes

    mod_gzip_item_include mime ^application/javascript$
    mod_gzip_item_include mime ^application/x-javascript$
    mod_gzip_item_include mime ^application/xhtml+xml$
    mod_gzip_item_include mime ^application/xml$
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mod_gzip_item_include mime ^text/css$
mod_gzip_item_include mime ^text/html$
mod_gzip_item_include mime ^text/javascript$
mod_gzip_item_include mime ^text/plain$
mod_gzip_item_include mime ^text/xml$
mod_gzip_item_exclude mime ^image/
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# browser issues
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mod_gzip_item_exclude reqheader "User-agent: Mozilla/4.0[678]"
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</IfModule>
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