

RewriteEngine on

prevent httpd from serving dotfiles (.htaccess, .svn, .git, etc.)

RedirectMatch 403 /\..*\$

if a directory or a file exists, use it directly

RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f

RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-d

otherwise forward it to index.php

RewriteRule . index.php