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# | UTF-8 encoding |
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# Use UTF-8 encoding for anything served as `text/html` or `text/plain`.
AddDefaultCharset utf-8

# Force UTF-8 for certain file formats.
<IfModule mod_mime.c>
    AddCharset utf-8 .atom .css .js .json .rss .vtt .webapp .xml
</IfModule>

# Block access to hidden files and directories.
# This includes directories used by version control systems such as Git and SVN.

<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
    RewriteCond %{SCRIPT_FILENAME} -d [OR]
    RewriteCond %{SCRIPT_FILENAME} -f
    RewriteRule "(^|/)\." - [F]
</IfModule>

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# Block access to backup and source files.
# These files may be left by some text editors and can pose a great security
# danger when anyone has access to them.

<FilesMatch "(^#.#|\. (bak|config|dist|fla|incl|ini|log|psd|sh|sql|sw[op])|~)$">
    Order allow,deny
    Deny from all
    Satisfy All
</FilesMatch>

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# # WEB PERFORMANCE #
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# | Compression |
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<IfModule mod_deflate.c>

    # Force compression for mangled headers.
    # http://developer.yahoo.com/blogs/ymn/posts/2010/12/pushing-beyond-gzipping
    <IfModule mod_setenvif.c>
        <IfModule mod_headers.c>
            SetEnvIfNoCase ^(\Accept-EncodXng|X-cept-Encoding|X(15)|^(15)|-(15))$
            ^((gzip|deflate)\s*,?\s*)+([X"]-){4,13}$ HAVE_Accept-Encoding
            RequestHeader append Accept-Encoding "gzip,deflate" env=HAVE_Accept-Encoding
        </IfModule>
    </IfModule>

    # Compress all output labeled with one of the following MIME-types
    # (for Apache versions below 2.3.7, you don't need to enable `mod_filter`
    # and can remove the `<IfModule mod_filter.c>` and `</IfModule>` lines
    # as `AddOutputFilterByType` is still in the core directives).
    <IfModule mod_filter.c>
        AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE application/atom+xml \
            application/javascript \
            application/json \
            application/rss+xml \
            application/vnd.ms-fontobject \
            application/x-font-ttf \
            application/x-web-app-manifest+json \
            application/xhtml+xml \
            application/xml \
            font/opentype \
            image/svg+xml \
            image/x-icon \
            text/css \
            text/html \
            text/plain \
            text/x-component \
            text/xml
    </IfModule>

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# / ETag removal /
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# Since we're sending far-future expires headers (see below), ETags can  
# be removed: http://developer.yahoo.com/performance/rules.html#etags.  
  
# `FileETag None` is not enough for every server.  
<IfModule mod_headers.c>  
    Header unset ETag  
</IfModule>
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## FileETag None

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# | Expires headers (for better cache control) |  
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# The following expires headers are set pretty far in the future. If you don't  
# control versioning with filename-based cache busting, consider lowering the  
# cache time for resources like CSS and JS to something like 1 week.  
  
<IfModule mod_expires.c>  
  
    ExpiresActive on  
    ExpiresDefault "access plus 1 day"  
  
# CSS  
    ExpiresByType text/css "access plus 1 week"  
  
# Data interchange  
    ExpiresByType application/json "access plus 0 seconds"  
    ExpiresByType application/xml "access plus 0 seconds"  
    ExpiresByType text/xml "access plus 0 seconds"  
  
# Favicon (cannot be renamed!)  
    ExpiresByType image/x-icon "access plus 1 week"  
  
# HTML components (HTCs)  
    ExpiresByType text/x-component "access plus 1 month"  
  
# HTML  
    ExpiresByType text/html "access plus 1 day"
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# JavaScript
ExpiresByType application/javascript "access plus 1 week"

# Manifest files
ExpiresByType application/x-web-app-manifest+json "access plus 0 seconds"
ExpiresByType text/cache-manifest "access plus 0 seconds"

# Media
ExpiresByType audio/ogg "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType image/gif "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType image/jpeg "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType image/png "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType video/mp4 "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType video/ogg "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType video/webm "access plus 1 month"

# Web feeds
ExpiresByType application/atom+xml "access plus 1 hour"
ExpiresByType application/rss+xml "access plus 1 hour"

# Web fonts
ExpiresByType application/font-woff "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType application/vnd.ms-fontobject "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType application/x-font-ttf "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType font/opentype "access plus 1 month"
ExpiresByType image/svg+xml "access plus 1 month"

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</IfModule>
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# | Persistent connections |
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# Allow multiple requests to be sent over the same TCP connection:
# http://httpd.apache.org/docs/current/en/mod/core.html#keepalive.

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# Enable if you serve a lot of static content but, be aware of the
# possible disadvantages!

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<IfModule mod_headers.c>
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Header set Connection Keep-Alive
</IfModule>
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