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# Apache configuration file
# httpd.apache.org/docs/2.2/mod/quickreference.html

# Note .htaccess files are an overhead, this logic should be in your Apache config if possible
# httpd.apache.org/docs/2.2/howto/htaccess.html

# Techniques in here adapted from all over, including:
#   Kroc Cameron: camendesign.com/.htaccess
#   perishablepress.com/press/2006/01/10/stupid-htaccess-tricks/
#   Sample .htaccess file of CMS MODx: modxcms.com

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### If you run a webserver other than Apache, consider:
### github.com/h5bp/server-configs
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# -----
# Better website experience for IE users
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# Force the latest IE version, in various cases when it may fall back to IE7 mode
# github.com/rails/rails/commit/123eb25#commitcomment-118920
# Use ChromeFrame if it's installed for a better experience for the poor IE folk

<IfModule mod_headers.c>
  Header set X-UA-Compatible "IE=Edge,chrome=1"
  # mod_headers can't match by content-type, but we don't want to send this header on *every*
  <FilesMatch "\.(js|css|gif|png|jpe?
gl|pdf|xml|ogal|oggl|m4al|ogvl|mp4l|m4vl|webml|svgl|svgz|eotl|ttfl|otfl|woff|icof|webpl|appcache|manifest|
>
  Header unset X-UA-Compatible
</FilesMatch>
</IfModule>

# -----
# Cross-domain AJAX requests
# -----

# Serve cross-domain ajax requests, disabled.
# enable-cors.org
# code.google.com/apis/ajax/cors/docs/v1/OverviewOfAJAXRequests.html
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# code.google.com/p/nginx-security/wiki/Crossoriginrequestsecurity

# <IfModule mod_headers.c>
#   Header set Access-Control-Allow-Origin "*"
# </IfModule>

# -----
# Webfont access
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# Allow access from all domains for webfonts.
# Alternatively you could only whitelist your
# subdomains like "subdomain.example.com".

<IfModule mod_headers.c>
  <FilesMatch "\.(ttf|tcl|otf|eot|woff|font. css)$">
    Header set Access-Control-Allow-Origin "*"
  </FilesMatch>
</IfModule>

# -----
# Proper MIME type for all files
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# JavaScript
# Normalize to standard type (it's sniffed in IE anyways)
# tools.ietf.org/html/rfc4329#section-7.2
AddType application/javascript      js

# Audio
AddType audio/ogg                   oga ogg
AddType audio/mp4                   m4a

# Video
AddType video/ogg                    ogv
AddType video/mp4                    mp4 m4v
AddType video/webm                   webm

# SVG.
# Required for svg webfonts on iPad
# twitter.com/FontSquirrel/status/14855840545
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AddType image/svg+xml svg svgz

AddEncoding gzip svgz

### *# Webfonts*

AddType application/vnd.ms-fontobject eot

AddType application/x-font-ttf ttf ttc

AddType font/opentype otf

AddType application/x-font-woff woff

### *# Assorted types*

AddType image/x-icon ico

AddType image/webp webp

AddType text/cache-manifest appcache manifest

AddType text/x-component htc

AddType application/x-chrome-extension crx

AddType application/x-opera-extension oex

AddType application/x-xpinstall xpi

AddType application/octet-stream safariextz

AddType text/x-vcard vcf

*# -----  
# Allow concatenation from within specific js and css files  
# -----*

*# e.g. Inside of script.combined.js you could have*

*# <!--#include file="libs/jquery-1.5.0.min.js" -->*

*# <!--#include file="plugins/jquery.idletimer.js" -->*

*# and they would be included into this single file.*

*# This is not in use in the boilerplate as it stands. You may*

*# choose to name your files in this way for this advantage or*

*# concatenate and minify them manually.*

*# Disabled by default.*

*#<FilesMatch "\.combined\.js\$">*

*# Options +Includes*

*# AddOutputFilterByType INCLUDES application/javascript application/json*

*# SetOutputFilter INCLUDES*

*#</FilesMatch>*

*#<FilesMatch "\.combined\.css\$">*

*# Options +Includes*

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# AddOutputFilterByType INCLUDES text/css
# SetOutputFilter INCLUDES
#</FilesMatch>

# -----
# Gzip compression
# -----

<IfModule mod_deflate.c>

# Force deflate for mangled headers developer.yahoo.com/blogs/ymd/posts/2010/12/pushing-bi
<IfModule mod_setenvif.c>
  <IfModule mod_headers.c>
    SetEnvIfNoCase ^(\Accept-EncodXngl X-cept-Encodingl X(15)|^(15)|-(15))$ ^((gzip|deflate)\
HAVE_Accept-Encoding
    RequestHeader append Accept-Encoding "gzip, deflate" env=HAVE_Accept-Encoding
  </IfModule>
</IfModule>

# HTML, TXT, CSS, JavaScript, JSON, XML, HTC:
<IfModule filter_module>
  FilterDeclare    COMPRESS
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $text/html
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $text/css
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $text/plain
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $text/xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $text/x-component
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/javascript
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/json
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/xhtml+xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/rss+xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/atom+xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/vnd.ms-fontobject
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $image/svg+xml
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $image/x-icon
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $application/x-font-ttf
  FilterProvider   COMPRESS DEFLATE resp=Content-Type $font/opentype
  FilterChain      COMPRESS
  FilterProtocol   COMPRESS DEFLATE change=yes;byteranges=no
</IfModule>

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<IfModule !mod_filter.c>
  # Legacy versions of Apache
  AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE text/html text/plain text/css application/json
  AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE application/javascript
  AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE text/xml application/xml text/x-component
  AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE application/xhtml+xml application/rss+xml application/atom
  AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE image/x-icon image/svg+xml application/vnd.ms-fontobject :
font/opentype
</IfModule>

</IfModule>

# -----
# Expires headers (for better cache control)
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# These are pretty far-future expires headers.
# They assume you control versioning with cachebusting query params like
# <script src="application.js?20100608">
# Additionally, consider that outdated proxies may miscache
# www.stevesouders.com/blog/2008/08/23/revving-filenames-dont-use-querystring/

# If you don't use filenames to version, lower the CSS and JS to something like
# "access plus 1 week" or so.

<IfModule mod_expires.c>
  ExpiresActive on

  # Perhaps better to whitelist expires rules? Perhaps.
  ExpiresDefault                               "access plus 1 month"

  # cache.appcache needs re-requests in FF 3.6 (thanks Remy "Introducing HTML5")
  ExpiresByType text/cache-manifest           "access plus 0 seconds"

  # Your document html
  ExpiresByType text/html                      "access plus 0 seconds"

  # Data
  ExpiresByType text/xml                      "access plus 0 seconds"
  ExpiresByType application/xml              "access plus 0 seconds"

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ExpiresByType application/json "access plus 0 seconds"

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

# Favicon (cannot be renamed)
ExpiresByType image/x-icon "access plus 1 week"

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

# HTC files (css3pie)
ExpiresByType text/x-component "access plus 1 month"

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

# CSS and JavaScript
ExpiresByType text/css "access plus 1 year"
ExpiresByType application/javascript "access plus 1 year"

<IfModule mod_headers.c>
    Header append Cache-Control "public"
</IfModule>

</IfModule>

# -----
# ETag removal

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# -----  
  
# FileETag None is not enough for every server.  
<IfModule mod_headers.c>  
  Header unset ETag  
</IfModule>  
  
# Since we're sending far-future expires, we don't need ETags for  
# static content.  
#   developer.yahoo.com/performance/rules.html#etags  
FileETag None  
  
# -----  
# Stop screen flicker in IE on CSS rollovers  
# -----  
  
# The following directives stop screen flicker in IE on CSS rollovers - in  
# combination with the "ExpiresByType" rules for images (see above). If  
# needed, un-comment the following rules.  
  
# BrowserMatch "MSIE" brokenvary=1  
# BrowserMatch "Mozilla/4.[0-9]{2}" brokenvary=1  
# BrowserMatch "Opera" !brokenvary  
# SetEnvIf brokenvary 1 force-no-vary  
  
# -----  
# Cookie setting from iframes  
# -----  
  
# Allow cookies to be set from iframes (for IE only)  
# If needed, uncomment and specify a path or regex in the Location directive  
  
# <IfModule mod_headers.c>  
#   <Location />  
#     Header set P3P "policyref=\"/w3c/p3p.xml\"", CP="IDC DSP COR ADM DEVI TAIi PSA PSD IVA  
#   </Location>  
# </IfModule>  
  
# -----  
# Start rewrite engine  
# -----
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*# Turning on the rewrite engine is necessary for the following rules and features.  
# FollowSymLinks must be enabled for this to work.*

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<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>  
  Options +FollowSymLinks  
  RewriteEngine On  
</IfModule>
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*# -----  
# Suppress or force the "www." at the beginning of URLs  
# -----*

*# The same content should never be available under two different URLs - especially not with  
# without "www." at the beginning, since this can cause SEO problems (duplicate content).  
# That's why you should choose one of the alternatives and redirect the other one.*

*# By default option 1 (no "www.") is activated. Remember: Shorter URLs are sexier.  
# no-www.org/faq.php?q=class\_b*

*# If you rather want to use option 2, just comment out all option 1 lines  
# and uncomment option 2.  
# IMPORTANT: NEVER USE BOTH RULES AT THE SAME TIME!*

*# -----*

*# Option 1:  
# Rewrite "www.example.com -> example.com"*

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<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>  
  RewriteCond %{HTTPS} !=on  
  RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} ^www\.(.+\.)$ [NC]  
  RewriteRule ^ http://%1%{REQUEST_URI} [R=301,L]  
</IfModule>
```

*# -----*

*# Option 2:  
# To rewrite "example.com -> www.example.com" uncomment the following lines.  
# Be aware that the following rule might not be a good idea if you  
# use "real" subdomains for certain parts of your website.*



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# <IfModule mod_rewrite.c>  
# RewriteCond %{HTTPS} !=on  
# RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} !^www\. .+$ [NC]  
# RewriteRule ^ http://www.%{HTTP_HOST}%{REQUEST_URI} [R=301,L]  
# </IfModule>  
  
# -----  
# Built-in filename-based cache busting  
# -----  
  
# If you're not using the build script to manage your filename version revving,  
# you might want to consider enabling this, which will route requests for  
# /css/style.20110203.css to /css/style.css  
  
# To understand why this is important and a better idea than all.css?v1231,  
# read: github.com/h5bp/html5-boilerplate/wiki/Version-Control-with-Cachebusting  
  
# Uncomment to enable.  
# <IfModule mod_rewrite.c>  
# RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f  
# RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-d  
# RewriteRule ^(.+)\.(\d+)\. (js|css|png|jpg|gif)$ $1.$3 [L]  
# </IfModule>  
  
# -----  
# Prevent SSL cert warnings  
# -----  
  
# Rewrite secure requests properly to prevent SSL cert warnings, e.g. prevent  
# https://www.example.com when your cert only allows https://secure.example.com  
# Uncomment the following lines to use this feature.  
  
# <IfModule mod_rewrite.c>  
# RewriteCond %{SERVER_PORT} !^443  
# RewriteRule ^ https://example-domain-please-change-me.com%{REQUEST_URI} [R=301,L]  
# </IfModule>  
  
# -----  
# Prevent 404 errors for non-existing redirected folders  
# -----
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" -----  
  
# without -MultiViews, Apache will give a 404 for a rewrite if a folder of the same name does  
# e.g. /blog/hello : webmasterworld.com/apache/3808792.htm
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## Options -MultiViews

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# -----  
# Custom 404 page  
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# You can add custom pages to handle 500 or 403 pretty easily, if you like.  
ErrorDocument 404 /404.html
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# -----  
# UTF-8 encoding  
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# Use UTF-8 encoding for anything served text/plain or text/html  
AddDefaultCharset utf-8
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# Force UTF-8 for a number of file formats  
AddCharset utf-8 .html .css .js .xml .json .rss .atom
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# -----  
# A little more security  
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# Do we want to advertise the exact version number of Apache we're running?  
# Probably not.  
## This can only be enabled if used in httpd.conf - It will not work in .htaccess  
# ServerTokens Prod
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# "-Indexes" will have Apache block users from browsing folders without a default document  
# Usually you should leave this activated, because you shouldn't allow everybody to surf through  
# every folder on your server (which includes rather private places like CMS system folders).  
<IfModule mod_autoindex.c>  
    Options -Indexes  
</IfModule>
```

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# Block access to "hidden" directories whose names begin with a period. This  
# includes directories used by mailer control systems such as Sendmail or Qmail.
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# Includes directories used by version control systems such as Subversion or Git.
```

```
<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
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```
    RewriteRule "(^/)\." - [F]
```

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</IfModule>
```

```
# Block access to backup and source files
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# This files may be left by some text/html editors and
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# pose a great security danger, when someone can access them
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```
<FilesMatch ".(bak|config|sql|fla|psd|ini|log|sh|incl|l|sup)$">
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```
    Order allow,deny
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    Deny from all
```

```
    Satisfy All
```

```
</FilesMatch>
```

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# If your server is not already configured as such, the following directive
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```
# should be uncommented in order to set PHP's register_globals option to OFF.
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# This closes a major security hole that is abused by most XSS (cross-site
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# scripting) attacks. For more information: http://php.net/register\_globals
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#
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```
# IF REGISTER_GLOBALS DIRECTIVE CAUSES 500 INTERNAL SERVER ERRORS :
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#
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# Your server does not allow PHP directives to be set via .htaccess. In that
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# case you must make this change in your php.ini file instead. If you are
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# using a commercial web host, contact the administrators for assistance in
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```
# doing this. Not all servers allow local php.ini files, and they should
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```
# include all PHP configurations (not just this one), or you will effectively
```

```
# reset everything to PHP defaults. Consult www.php.net for more detailed
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```
# information about setting PHP directives.
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```
# php_flag register_globals Off
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```
# Rename session cookie to something else, than PHPSESSID
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```
# php_value session.name sid
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# Do not show you are using PHP
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# Note: Move this line to php.ini since it won't work in .htaccess
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# php_flag expose_php Off
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# Level of log detail - log all errors
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# php_value error_reporting -1
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... ..
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# Write errors to log file
# php_flag log_errors On

# Do not display errors in browser (production - Off, development - On)
# php_flag display_errors Off

# Do not display startup errors (production - Off, development - On)
# php_flag display_startup_errors Off

# Format errors in plain text
# Note: Leave this setting 'On' for xdebug's var_dump() output
# php_flag html_errors Off

# Show multiple occurrence of error
# php_flag ignore_repeated_errors Off

# Show same errors from different sources
# php_flag ignore_repeated_source Off

# Size limit for error messages
# php_value log_errors_max_len 1024

# Don't precede error with string (doesn't accept empty string, use whitespace if you need)
# php_value error_prepend_string " "

# Don't prepend to error (doesn't accept empty string, use whitespace if you need)
# php_value error_append_string " "

# Increase cookie security
<IfModule php5_module>
    php_value session.cookie_httponly true
</IfModule>
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