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## No directory listings
IndexIgnore *

## Can be commented out if causes errors, see notes above.
Options +FollowSymlinks

Options -Indexes

## Mod_rewrite in use.

RewriteEngine On

## Begin - Rewrite rules to block out some common exploits.
# If you experience problems on your site block out the operations listed below
# This attempts to block the most common type of exploit `attempts` to Joomla!
#
# Block out any script trying to base64_encode data within the URL.
RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} base64_encode(?:.*) [OR]
# Block out any script that includes a <script> tag in URL.
RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} (<|%)3C(?:.*)+cript.*(%)3E [NC,OR]
# Block out any script trying to set a PHP GLOBALS variable via URL.
RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} GLOBALS(=| \[| \%)0-9A-Z(0,2) [OR]
# Block out any script trying to modify a _REQUEST variable via URL.
RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} _REQUEST(=| \[| \%)0-9A-Z(0,2)
# Return 403 Forbidden header and show the content of the root homepage
RewriteRule .* index.php [F]
#
## End - Rewrite rules to block out some common exploits.

## Begin - Custom redirects
#
# If you need to redirect some pages, or set a canonical non-www to
# www redirect (or vice versa), place that code here. Ensure those
# redirects use the correct RewriteRule syntax and the [R=301,L] flags.
#
## End - Custom redirects

##
# Uncomment following line if your webserver's URL
# is not directly related to physical file paths.
# Update Your Toptal Directory (not / for root)
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# update your Joomla! directory (just / for root),  
##  
  
# RewriteBase /  
  
## Begin - Joomla! core SEF Section,  
#  
RewriteRule .* - [E=HTTP_AUTHORIZATION:%{HTTP:Authorization}]  
#  
# If the requested path and file is not /index.php and the request  
# has not already been internally rewritten to the index.php script  
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} !^/index\.php  
# and the requested path and file doesn't directly match a physical file  
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f  
# and the requested path and file doesn't directly match a physical folder  
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-d  
# internally rewrite the request to the index.php script  
RewriteRule .* index.php [L]  
#  
## End - Joomla! core SEF Section,  
#php_value auto_prepend_file /home/alex/www/cat.loc/jbdump/class.jbdump.php
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