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<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
    RewriteEngine On
    RewriteBase /

    ##### Redirect non www to www #####
    # RewriteCond %{HTTP_HOST} ^domain.com [NC]
    # RewriteRule ^(.*)$ http://www.domain.com/$1 [L,R=301]

    ##### Prevent hotlinking #####
    # RewriteCond %{HTTP_REFERER} !^$
    # RewriteCond %{HTTP_REFERER} !^http://(www.)?domain.com/.*$ [NC]
    # RewriteRule .(gif|jpg|swf|flv|png)$ / [R=302,L]

    ##### Force https for certain pages #####
    # RewriteCond %{HTTPS} !=on
    # RewriteRule ^(signup|contact-us)$ https://%{HTTP_HOST}%{REQUEST_URI} [L,R]

    # ErrorDocument 500 /500.html

    ##### Security restrictions #####
    # proc/self/environ? no way!
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} proc/self/environ [OR]
    # Block out any script trying to set a mosConfig value through the URL
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} mosConfig_[a-zA-Z]{1,21}(=|\%3D) [OR]
    # Block out any script trying to base64_encode crap to send via URL
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} base64_encode.*(?:*) [OR]
    # Block out any script that includes a <script> tag in URL
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} (<| %3C).*script.*( >| %3E) [NC,OR]
    # Block out any script trying to set a PHP GLOBALS variable via URL
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} GLOBALS(=| [ ]|\%0A-\%0D) [OR]
    # Block out any script trying to modify a _REQUEST variable via URL
    RewriteCond %{QUERY_STRING} _REQUEST(=| [ ]|\%0A-\%0D)
    # Send all blocked request to homepage with 403 Forbidden error!
    RewriteRule ^(.*)$ app.php [F,L]

    RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} ^/admin(/.*)$ [NC]
        RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f
    RewriteRule ^(.*)$ app_admin.php [QSA,L]

    RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} !^/admin(/.*)$ [NC]
        RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f

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    RewriteCond %{REQUEST_FILENAME} !-f
    RewriteRule ^(.*)$ app.php [QSA,L]
</IfModule>

#### Disable server signature
ServerSignature Off

#### disable directory browsing
Options All -Indexes

#### Set the timezone
# SetEnv TZ Europe/London

#### Sample Redirects
#### Redirect 301 http://www.domain.com/home http://www.domain.com/

#### Always download attachments
AddType application/octet-stream .pdf
AddType application/octet-stream .zip

#
#### Optimize ####
#

#### HTTP ETag header ####
#FileETag None

#### Gzip Files ####
<ifModule mod_deflate.c>
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE text/html text/xml text/css text/plain
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE image/svg+xml application/xhtml+xml application/xml
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE application/rdf+xml application/rss+xml application/atom+xml
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE text/javascript application/javascript application/x-javascr
application/json
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE application/x-font-ttf application/x-font-otf
    AddOutputFilterByType DEFLATE font/truetype font/opentype
</ifModule>

#### Cache-Control Headers ####
<ifModule mod_headers.c>
    <filesMatch "\.(ico|jpe?g|png|gif|swf)$">
        Header Cache-Control "public, no-cache, no-store, must-revalidate"
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    Header set Cache-Control "public"
</filesMatch>
<filesMatch "\.(css)$">
    Header set Cache-Control "public"
</filesMatch>
<filesMatch "\.(js)$">
    Header set Cache-Control "private"
</filesMatch>
<filesMatch "\.(x?html?|php)$">
    #Header set Cache-Control "private, must-revalidate"
</filesMatch>
</ifModule>

#### HTTP ETag header ####
# FileETag None

#### Expire Headers ####
<IfModule mod_expires.c>

    <FilesMatch "\.(appcache|crx|css|eot|gif|htc|ico|jpe?
gl|jsl|m4a|m4v|manifest|mp4|oex|ogal|oggl|ogv|otf|pdf|png|safariextz|svg|svgz|tiff|vcl|webm|webp|
    Header unset X-UA-Compatible
</FilesMatch>

ExpiresActive On
#ExpiresDefault A600
ExpiresByType image/x-icon A2592000
ExpiresByType application/x-javascript A604800
ExpiresByType text/css A604800
ExpiresByType image/gif A2592000
ExpiresByType image/png A2592000
ExpiresByType image/jpeg A2592000
ExpiresByType text/plain A86400
ExpiresByType application/x-shockwave-flash A2592000
ExpiresByType video/x-flv A2592000
ExpiresByType application/pdf A2592000
#ExpiresByType text/html A3600
</IfModule>

#### Set headers
<ifModule mod_headers.c>

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IE

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Header set X-UA-Compatible "IE=Edge,chrome=1"
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P3P Header of IE issues with 3rd party cookies

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Header set P3P: "cp=The Greek Spots"
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Security Hardening

Vivid Matter - Bulletproof Header Security

Don't allow pages to be framed externally - Defends against CSRF

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Header set X-FRAME-OPTIONS "SAMEORIGIN"
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Tell the browser to attempt the HTTPS version first

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#Header add Strict-Transport-Security "max-age=157680000"
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Turn on IE8-IE9 XSS prevention tools

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#Header set X-XSS-Protection "1; mode=block"
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Only allow JavaScript from the same domain to be run.

Don't allow inline JavaScript to run.

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#Header set X-Content-Security-Policy "allow 'self';"
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Prevent mime based attacks

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Header add X-Content-Type-Options "nosniff"
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Header unset link
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Header unset Server
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Header unset X-Pingback
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Disable server signature

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Header set ServerSignature "Off"
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Header set ServerTokens "Prod"
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Control Cross-Domain Policies

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#Header set X-Permitted-Cross-Domain-Policies "master-only"
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Set the content language header

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Header set Content-Language en
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Set the Creator

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Header set Created-By "George Bardis - george@bardis.info"
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Header set Version "1.0.0"
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</ifModule>
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##### End - Optimize for YSlow
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#### bad bot protection
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<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
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RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^BlackWidow [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Bot\ mailto:craftbot@yahoo.com [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^ChinaClaw [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Custo [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^DISCo [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Download\ Demon [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^eCatch [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^EirGrabber [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^EmailSiphon [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^EmailWolf [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Express\ WebPictures [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^ExtractorPro [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^EyeNetIE [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^FlashGet [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^GetRight [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^GetWeb! [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Go! Zilla [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Go-Ahead-Got-It [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^GrabNet [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Grafula [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^HMView [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} HTTrack [NC,OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Image\ Stripper [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Image\ Sucker [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} Indy\ Library [NC,OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^InterGET [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Internet\ Ninja [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^JetCar [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^JOC\ Web\ Spider [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^larbin [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^LeechFTP [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Mass\ Downloader [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^MIDown\ tool [OR]  
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Mi ster\ PiX [OR]
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RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Navroad [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^NearSite [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^NetAnts [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^NetSpider [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Net\ Vampire [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^NetZIP [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Octopus [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Offline\ Explorer [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Offline\ Navigator [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^PageGrabber [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Papa\ Foto [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^pavuk [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^pcBrowser [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^RealDownload [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^ReGet [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^SiteSnagger [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^SmartDownload [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^SuperBot [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^SuperHTTP [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Surfbot [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^tAkeOut [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WWW-Mechanize [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Teleport\ Pro [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^VoidEYE [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Web\ Image\ Collector [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Web\ Sucker [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebAuto [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebCopier [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebFetch [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebGo\ IS [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebLeacher [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebReaper [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebSauger [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Website\ eXtractor [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Website\ Quester [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebStripper [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebWhacker [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WebZIP [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Widow [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^WWWOFFLE [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Xaldon\ WebSpider [OR]

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RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Toata\ dragostea\ mea\ pentru\ diavola [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Mozilla/5.0\ SF [OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^Zeus
RewriteRule ^.* - [F,L]
</IfModule>

### scanner bots as well as malicious input blocker
<IfModule mod_rewrite.c>
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} ^u3af.sourceforge.net [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} dirbuster [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} nikto [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} sqlmap [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} fimap [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} nessus [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} whatweb [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} Openvas [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} jbrofuzz [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} libwhisker [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} webshag [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} (havi|NetSparker|libwww-
perl|python|nikto|curl|scan|javal|winhttp|clshhttp|loader) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} (%0A%0D%27%3C%3E%00) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP_USER_AGENT} (;|<|>|'|"|\)|\(|%0A%0D%22%27%28%3C%3E%00).*(libwww-
perl|python|nikto|curl|scan|javal|winhttp|HTTrack|clshhttp|archiver|loader|email|harvest|extr:
[NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{HTTP:Acunetix-Product} ^WVS
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} (<| %3C|([\^s]*s)+cript.*>| %3E) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} (<| %3C|([\^e]*e)+mbed.*>| %3E) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} (<| %3C|([\^o]*o)+bject.*>| %3E) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} (<| %3C|([\^i]*i)+frame.*>| %3E) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} base64_(en|de)code[^\[]*\([\^]*\)\) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} (%0A%0D\\r\\n) [NC,OR]
RewriteCond %{REQUEST_URI} union([\^a]*a)+ll([\^s]*s)+elect [NC]
RewriteRule ^(.*)$ http://127.0.0.1 [R=301,L]
</IfModule>

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