# DO NOT ADD URL REWRITING IN THIS FILE OR WORDPRESS WILL BREAK # RewriteRule ^(.\*)\$ - [F] works in /wp-admin without breaking WordPress # RewriteRule . /index.php [L] will break WordPress

# WPADMIN DENY BROWSER ACCESS TO FILES
# Deny Browser access to /wp-admin/install.php
# Use BPS Custom Code to modify/edit/change this code and to save it permanently.
# To be able to view the install.php file from a Browser, replace 127.0.0.1 with your
actual
# current IP address. Comment out: #Require all denied and Uncomment: Require ip 127.0.0.1
# Comment out: #Deny from all and Uncomment: Allow from 127.0.0.1
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# BEGIN BPS WPADMIN DENY ACCESS TO FILES

<FilesMatch "^(install\.php)">
Order Allow, Deny
Deny from all
#Allow from 127.0.0.1
</FilesMatch>
# END BPS WPADMIN DENY ACCESS TO FILES

# BEGIN OPTIONAL WP-ADMIN ADDITIONAL SECURITY MEASURES:

# BEGIN CUSTOM CODE WPADMIN TOP # Use BPS wp-admin Custom Code to modify/edit/change this code and to save it permanently.

# END CUSTOM CODE WPADMIN TOP

# BEGIN EXAMPLE OF OPTIONAL/ADDITIONAL SECURITY MEASURES # EXAMPLE WP-ADMIN DIRECTORY PASSWORD PROTECTION - .htpasswd

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# use pro wp-admin custom code to modity/edit/change this code and to save it permanently. # This code example from BEGIN EXAMPLE to END EXAMPLE is just an example of optional # code that you could add to your wp-admin htaccess file in the CUSTOM CODE WPADMIN TOP text box.

# IMPORTANT: To setup Directory Password Protection use your web host control panel. # This example code is just showing you what the code will look like after you setup # Directory Password Protection using your web host control panel. # NOTES: Adding Directory Password Protection creates an additional password login # to gain access to your wp-admin folder/WordPress Login page. # Users / visitors to your site will not be able to register or login to your site # unless you give them the Directory Password Protection username and password. # You can specify a single specific user or use valid-user to allow all valid # user accounts to be able to login to your site.

# EXAMPLE: #AuthType basic #AuthGroupFile /dev/null #AuthUserFile /path/to/protected/server/directory/.htpasswd #AuthName "Password Protected Area" #require user JohnDoe #require valid-user # END EXAMPLE OF OPTIONAL/ADDITIONAL SECURITY MEASURES

# END OPTIONAL WP-ADMIN ADDITIONAL SECURITY MEASURES

## # REQUEST METHODS FILTERED

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RewriteEngine On
RewriteCond %(REQUEST_METHOD) ^(TRACEDELETED TRACKDEBUG) [NC]
RewriteRule ^(.*)$ - [F]
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# BEGIN CUSTOM CODE WPADMIN PLUGIN/FILE SKIP RULES

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# To add wp-admin plugin skip/bypass rules use BPS wp-admin Custom Code.
# If a plugin is calling a wp-admin file in a way that it is being blocked/forbidden
# by BPS you can whitelist that file name by creating a skip rule for that file.
#
# Example: skip/bypass rule for the admin-ajax.php file and post.php file
# RewriteCond %(REQUEST_URI) (admin-ajax\.phplpost\.php) [NC]
# RewriteRule . - [S=2]
#
# The [S] flag is used to skip following rules. Skip rule [S=2] will skip 2 following
RewriteRules.
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# The skip rules MUST be in descending consecutive number order: 4, 3, 2... # If you add a new skip rule above skip rule 2 it will be skip rule 3: [S=3] # # Example: Multiple skip rules in descending consecutive number order. # Yoast Facebook OpenGraph wp-admin plugin skip/bypass rule # RewriteCond %(QUERY\_STRING) page=wpseo\_social&key=(.\*) [NC] # RewriteRule . - [S=3] # skip/bypass rule for the admin-ajax.php file and post.php file # RewriteCond %(REQUEST\_URI) (admin-ajax\.php|post\.php) [NC] # RewriteRule . - [S=2] #

# END CUSTOM CODE WPADMIN PLUGIN/FILE SKIP RULES

# DEFAULT WHITELIST SKIP RULE FOR WP PRESS THIS
RewriteCond %(REQUEST\_URI) (press-this\.php) [NC]
RewriteRule . - [S=1]

# BEGIN BPSQSE-check BPS QUERY STRING EXPLOITS AND FILTERS # WORDPRESS WILL BREAK IF ALL THE BPSQSE FILTERS ARE DELETED # Use BPS wp-admin Custom Code to modify/edit/change this code and to save it permanently.

RewriteCond %(HTTP\_USER\_AGENT) (%0AL%0DL%27L%3CL%3EL%00) [NC,OR] RewriteCond %(QUERY\_STRING) (sp\_executesql) [NC] RewriteRule ^(.\*)\$ - [F]

# END BPSQSE-check BPS QUERY STRING EXPLOITS AND FILTERS