

How to solve secure-file-priv Error while bulk loading data in Windows

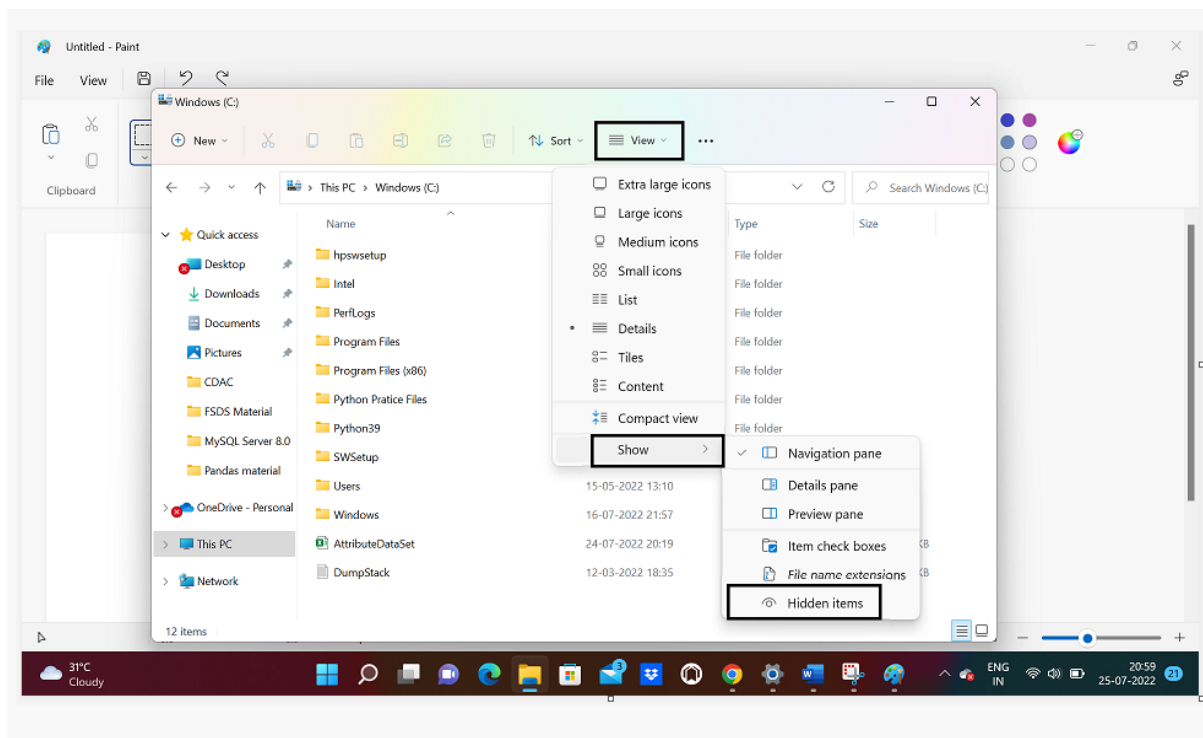
Remember:

1. Save Excel in CSV format
2. No spacing between file name
3. File should not be available in download folder
4. Try to shorten your file location
5. Save Your Sql(in Mysql Workbench) script without fail otherwise need to write code again

While dumping data showing secure-file-priv Error -

Steps:

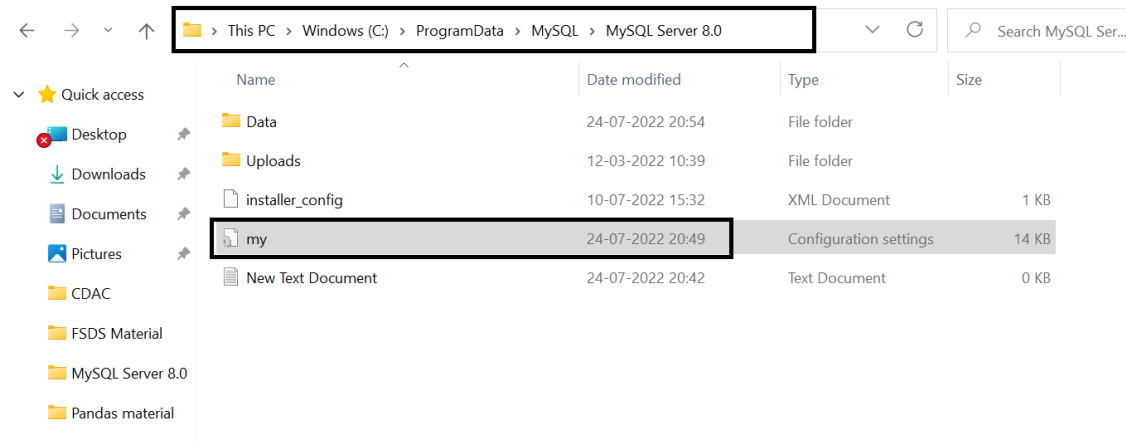
Step 1: Go to Drive where Mysql is installed -
Click on Hidden Icon



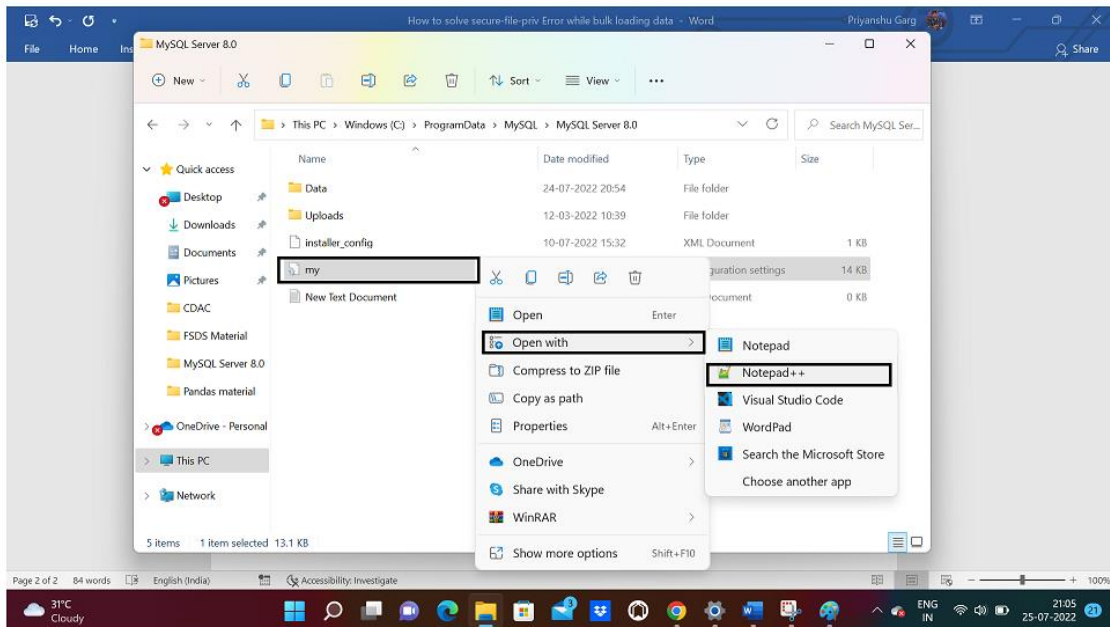
Step 2: Now ProgramData folder will be available

Program Files (x86)	10-07-2022 15:29	File folder
ProgramData	16-07-2022 22:51	File folder
Python Practice Files	22-08-2021 19:24	File folder

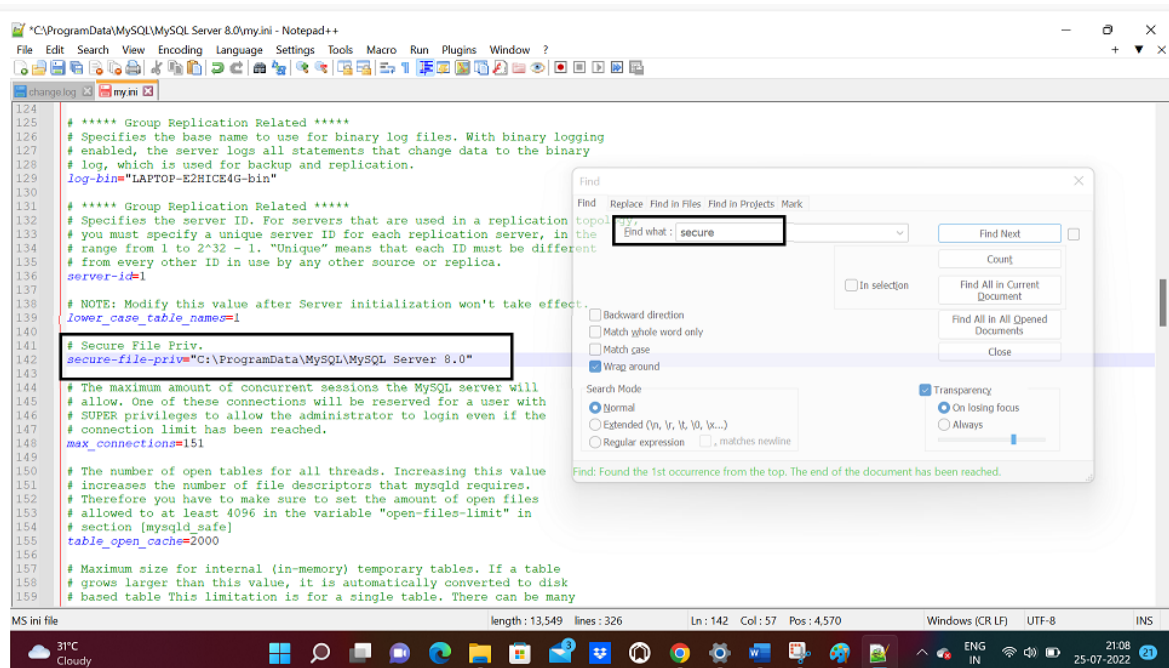
Step 3: Goto ProgramData -> MySQL -> MySQL Server 8.0



Step 4: Open my File in Notepad++ (or run Notepad in administrator mode)



Step 5: Search for secure File (By Pressing Ctrl + F)



Step 6: remove the path available in `secure-file-priv` variable (Ensure that don't remove "")

```
# ***** Group Replication Related *****
# Specifies the server ID. For servers that are used in a replication topology,
# you must specify a unique server ID for each replication server, in the
# range from 1 to 2^32 - 1. "Unique" means that each ID must be different
# from every other ID in use by any other source or replica.
server-id=1

# NOTE: Modify this value after Server initialization won't take effect.
lower_case_table_names=1

# Secure File Priv.
secure-file-priv=""

# The maximum amount of concurrent sessions the MySQL server will
# allow. One of these connections will be reserved for a user with
# SUPER privileges to allow the administrator to login even if the
# connection limit has been reached.
max_connections=151
```

Step 7: Save the Notepad (If not happening run notepad/notepad++ in administrator Mode and save it)

Step 8: Restart your system and check... issue will be resolved