

Vulnerability Analysis Report

File Analyzed: upload_1742829775.php

Total Vulnerabilities: 61

Vulnerability Summary:

RFI (Remote File Inclusion): 1

Shell Injection Vulnerability: 1

SQL Injection: 23

Code Injection: 5

Cryptographic Vulnerability: 2

Cross-Site Scripting (XSS): 24

File Upload Vulnerability: 5

Detailed Vulnerabilities:

Type: Code Injection

Pattern: exec(\$command)

Line: 41

Type: Code Injection

Pattern: exec("echo " . \$user_input . " > output.txt")

Line: 61

Type: Code Injection

Pattern: system(\$command)

Line: 8

Type: Code Injection

Pattern: exec(\$command)

Line: 41

Type: Code Injection

Pattern: exec("echo " . \$user_input . " > output.txt")

Line: 61

Type: SQL Injection

Pattern: SELECT * FROM

Line: 15

Type: SQL Injection

Pattern: \$query = "SELECT * FROM users WHERE username = '\$username' AND password = '\$password'"

Line: 15

Type: SQL Injection

Pattern: exec("echo " . \$

Line: 61

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['input']
Line: 5

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Pattern: \$_GET['input']
Line: 6

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['username']
Line: 12

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['password']
Line: 12

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Pattern: \$_GET['username']
Line: 13

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['password']
Line: 14

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['file']
Line: 20

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Pattern: \$_GET['file']
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Pattern: \$_GET['file']
Line: 26

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Pattern: \$_GET['file']
Line: 27

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['name']
Line: 32

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Pattern: \$_GET['name']
Line: 33

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['cmd']
Line: 38

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['cmd']
Line: 39

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['password']
Line: 45

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['password']
Line: 46

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['url']
Line: 52

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['url']
Line: 53

Type: SQL Injection
Pattern: \$_GET['input']
Line: 59

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Pattern: \$_GET['input']
Line: 60

Type: RFI (Remote File Inclusion)
Pattern: include(\$file)
Line: 22

Type: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Pattern: \$_GET['input']
Line: 5

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Pattern: \$_GET['input'];
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Pattern: \$_GET['username']
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Line: 60

Type: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Pattern: \$_FILES['file']
Line: 65

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Line: 67

Type: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)
Pattern: \$_FILES['file']
Line: 68

Type: Cryptographic Vulnerability
Pattern: md5(
Line: 47

Type: Cryptographic Vulnerability
Pattern: password = '\$password'
Line: 15

Type: Shell Injection Vulnerability
Pattern: system(\$command)
Line: 8

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

Pattern: move_uploaded_file(\$_FILES['file']['tmp_name'], "/uploads/" . \$filename);

Line: 68

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

Pattern: \$_FILES['file']['name']

Line: 67

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

Pattern: \$_FILES['file']['tmp_name']

Line: 68

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

Pattern: "echo " . \$user_input . " > output.txt"

Line: 40

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

Pattern: "echo " . \$user_input . " > output.txt"

Line: 61

Mitigations:

Type: RFI (Remote File Inclusion)

Mitigation for RFI (Remote File Inclusion) not provided by the API.

Type: Shell Injection Vulnerability

Shell Injection Vulnerability**

* **Vulnerability:** Same as

Type: SQL Injection

SQL Injection**

* **Vulnerability:** Allows an attacker to manipulate SQL queries by injecting

* **Mitigation Strategy:** Use prepared statements with parameterized queries.

* **Example (Line 15):**

****Vulnerable:****

```
```php
```

```
$username = $_GET['username'];
```

```
$password = $_GET['password'];
```

```
$query = "SELECT * FROM users WHERE username = '$username' AND password = '$
```

```
// Execute query (using mysqli_query, PDO::query, etc.)
```

```
```
```

****Mitigated (Using Prepared Statements with PDO):****

```
```php
```

```

$username = $_GET['username'];
$password = $_GET['password'];

$pdo = new PDO("mysql:host=localhost;dbname=your_database", "username", "password");
$stmt = $pdo->prepare("SELECT * FROM users WHERE username = :username AND password = :password");
$stmt->bindParam(':username', $username);
$stmt->bindParam(':password', $password);
$stmt->execute();
$results = $stmt->fetchAll();
...

```

**\*\*Mitigated (Using Prepared Statements with MySQLi):\*\***

```

```php
$username = $_GET['username'];
$password = $_GET['password'];

$mysqli = new mysqli("localhost", "username", "password", "your_database");

// Check connection
if ($mysqli->connect_errno) {
    echo "Failed to connect to MySQL: " . $mysqli->connect_error;
    exit();
}

$query = "SELECT * FROM users WHERE username = ? AND password = ?";
$stmt = $mysqli->prepare($query);
$stmt->bind_param("ss", $username, $password); // "ss" indicates two string
$stmt->execute();
$result = $stmt->get_result();

while ($row = $result->fetch_assoc()) {
    // Process the row
}

$stmt->close();
$mysqli->close();
...

```

*** **Best Practices:****

- * ****Always use prepared statements with parameterized queries.****
- * Never concatenate user input directly into SQL queries.
- * Use an ORM (Object-Relational Mapper) to abstract database interactions.
- * Apply the principle of least privilege to database user accounts. Grant only the minimum permissions necessary for the application to function.
- * Regularly audit your code for SQL injection vulnerabilities.
- * Use a Web Application Firewall (WAF) to detect and block malicious SQL queries.
- * Sanitize user input is *not* a reliable defense against SQL injection if not done correctly.

****3. Remote File Inclusion (RFI)****

- * ****Vulnerability:**** Allows an attacker to include and execute remote files on
- * ****Mitigation Strategy:**** Never allow user input to directly control file in
- * ****Example (Line 22):****

****Vulnerable:****

```
```php
$file = $_GET['file'];
include($file);
```
```

****Mitigated (Whitelist):****

```
```php
$file = $_GET['file'];
$allowed_files = array('file1.php', 'file2.php', 'file3.php'); // List of al

if (in_array($file, $allowed_files)) {
 include($file);
} else {
 echo "Invalid file.";
}
```
```

****Mitigated (Using a Directory):****

```
```php
$file = $_GET['file'];
$base_dir = "/path/to/safe/files/";
$filepath = realpath($base_dir . $file);

if (strpos($filepath, realpath($base_dir)) === 0) {
 include($filepath);
} else {
 echo "Invalid file.";
}
```
```

- * ****Best Practices:****

- * ****Never allow user input to directly control file inclusion.****
- * Whitelist allowed files and paths.
- * Disable `allow_url_include` in `php.ini` (set to `allow_url_include = Of
- * Use `realpath()` to sanitize file paths and prevent directory traversal
- * Consider using `require_once()` instead of `include()` to prevent multip

****4.**

Type: Code Injection

Code Injection**

* **Vulnerability:** Allows an attacker to execute arbitrary code on the server

* **Mitigation Strategy:** Never use user-supplied data directly in system calls

* **Example (Line 8):**

****Vulnerable:****

```
```php
$command = $_GET['cmd'];
system($command);
```
```

****Mitigated (Best Approach - Avoid `system`):****

```
```php
// Avoid system() if possible. Use built-in PHP functions.
// If you MUST use system, whitelist allowed commands and parameters.
$allowed_commands = ['ls', 'grep', 'date']; // Example whitelist
$command = $_GET['cmd'];

//Basic validation for example purposes. Needs more thorough validation base
if (in_array(explode(' ', $command)[0], $allowed_commands)) {
//Sanitize the command and arguments
 $sanitized_command = escapeshellcmd($command);
 system($sanitized_command);
} else {
 echo "Invalid command.";
}
```
```

****Mitigated (Alternative - escapeshellarg/cmd):****

```
```php
$command = $_GET['cmd'];
$sanitized_command = escapeshellcmd($command); // Escape the entire command
system($sanitized_command);
```
```

* **Example (Line 41):**

****Vulnerable:****

```
```php
$command = $_GET['cmd'];
exec($command);
```
```

****Mitigated (Best Approach - Avoid `exec`):****

```
```php
```

```

// Avoid exec() if possible. Use built-in PHP functions.
// If you MUST use exec, whitelist allowed commands and parameters.
$allowed_commands = ['ls', 'grep', 'date']; // Example whitelist
$command = $_GET['cmd'];

//Basic validation for example purposes. Needs more thorough validation
if (in_array(explode(' ', $command)[0], $allowed_commands)) {
//Sanitize the command and arguments
 $sanitized_command = escapeshellcmd($command);
 exec($sanitized_command);
} else {
 echo "Invalid command.";
}
...

```

\* \*\*Example (Line 61):\*\*

```

Vulnerable:
```php
$user_input = $_GET['input'];
exec("echo " . $user_input . " > output.txt");
...

```

```

**Mitigated (Use file_put_contents):**
```php
$user_input = $_GET['input'];
file_put_contents("output.txt", $user_input);
...

```

\* \*\*Best Practices:\*\*

- \* Avoid using `system()`, `exec()`, `shell\_exec()`, `passthru()`, and `pop`
- \* If you must use them, strictly validate and sanitize all user input.
- \* Whitelist allowed commands and parameters.
- \* Use `escapeshellarg()` to escape individual arguments and `escapeshellcmd`
- \* Use built-in PHP functions or libraries to achieve the desired functiona

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Type: Cryptographic Vulnerability  
Cryptographic Vulnerability\*\*

\* \*\*Vulnerability:\*\* Using weak hashing algorithms like MD5. Storing passwords

\* \*\*Mitigation Strategy:\*\* Use strong, modern password hashing algorithms lik

\* \*\*Example (Line 47):\*\*

```

Vulnerable:

```

```

```php
$password = $_GET['password'];
$hashed_password = md5($password); // MD5 is weak!
```

```

**\*\*Mitigated (Using password\_hash with bcrypt):\*\***

```

```php
$password = $_GET['password'];
$hashed_password = password_hash($password, PASSWORD_DEFAULT); // Uses bcrypt

```

//To verify the password:

```

if (password_verify($password, $hashed_password)) {
    // Password is valid
} else {
    // Password is not valid
}
```

```

\* **\*\*Best Practices:\*\***

- \* **\*\*Use `password\_hash()` to hash passwords with bcrypt or Argon2.\*\*** `PASSWORD\_DEFAULT`
- \* Use `password\_verify()` to verify passwords against their hashes.
- \* Never store passwords in plaintext.
- \* Implement password salting (password\_hash handles this automatically).
- \* Enforce strong password policies (length, complexity).
- \* Use multi-factor authentication (MFA) whenever possible.

**\*\*6.**

Type: Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)

Cross-Site Scripting (XSS)\*\*

\* **\*\*Vulnerability:\*\*** Allows an attacker to inject malicious client-side script

\* **\*\*Mitigation Strategy:\*\*** Escape or encode user input before displaying it i

\* **\*\*Example (Line 5):\*\***

**\*\*Vulnerable:\*\***

```

```php
$input = $_GET['input'];
echo "You entered: " . $input;
```

```

**\*\*Mitigated (HTML Escaping):\*\***

```

```php
$input = $_GET['input'];
echo "You entered: " . htmlspecialchars($input, ENT_QUOTES, 'UTF-8');
```

```

- \* **Best Practices:**
- \* **Escape all user input before displaying it in HTML.** Use `htmlspecialchars`
- \* Use different escaping functions depending on the context:
  - \* HTML: `htmlspecialchars()`
  - \* URL: `urlencode()` or `rawurlencode()`
  - \* JavaScript: `json_encode()` or JavaScript-specific escaping
  - \* CSS: CSS-specific escaping
- \* Implement Content Security Policy (CSP) to restrict the sources from which content is loaded.
- \* Use a templating engine that automatically escapes output.
- \* Sanitize HTML input using a library like HTML Purifier if you need to allow HTML.
- \* Set the `HttpOnly` flag on cookies to prevent JavaScript from accessing them.
- \* Implement input validation to reject obviously malicious input.

**5.**

Type: File Upload Vulnerability

**File Upload Vulnerability**

- \* **Vulnerability:** Allows an attacker to upload malicious files to the server.
- \* **Mitigation Strategy:** Validate file types, sizes, and content. Store uploads outside the web root.
- \* **Example (Line 68):**

**Vulnerable:**

```

`php
$filename = $_FILES['file']['name'];
move_uploaded_file($_FILES['file']['tmp_name'], "/uploads/" . $filename);
`

```

**Mitigated:**

```

`php
$upload_dir = "/path/to/uploads/"; // Store outside web root
$allowed_types = ['image/jpeg', 'image/png', 'image/gif']; // Whitelist allowed types
$max_size = 204800; // 200KB
$file_tmp_name = $_FILES['file']['tmp_name'];
$file_size = $_FILES['file']['size'];
$file_type = $_FILES['file']['type'];
$file_name = basename($_FILES['file']['name']); // Get filename without path
$file_ext = strtolower(pathinfo($file_name, PATHINFO_EXTENSION)); // Get file extension

// Validate file type
if (!in_array($file_type, $allowed_types)) {
 echo "Invalid file type.";
 exit;
}

```

```

// Validate file size
if ($file_size > $max_size) {
 echo "File too large.";
 exit;
}

// Generate a unique filename
$new_filename = uniqid() . "." . $file_ext;

// Move the uploaded file
if (move_uploaded_file($file_tmp_name, $upload_dir . $new_filename)) {
 echo "File uploaded successfully.";
} else {
 echo "Error uploading file.";
}
...

```

\* **\*\*Best Practices:\*\***

- \* **\*\*Validate file types based on content, not just the file extension.\*\*** U
- \* Whitelist allowed file extensions.
- \* Validate file size.
- \* Generate unique filenames to prevent overwriting existing files and prev
- \* Store uploaded files outside the web root.
- \* Set appropriate permissions on the upload directory to prevent unauthori
- \* Sanitize filenames to remove potentially harmful characters.
- \* Consider using a dedicated file storage service (e.g., Amazon S3, Google
- \* Scan uploaded files for malware.
- \* Implement proper error handling.

By implementing these mitigations and following best practices, you can signific