LAB 6 REPORT

Objective

The objective of this lab is to extend the functionalities of a previously secured web server by incorporating authentication mechanisms to control access to the server. We aim to achieve the following:

- Redirect HTTP traffic to HTTPS.
- Implement basic authentication using .htpasswd.
- Implement authentication using MySQL database.

Checkpoint 1: Redirect HTTP to HTTPS

- 1. Used the command sudo azenmod rewrite to enable the mod_rewrite module.
- 2. Edited the configuration file for port 80 located in /etc/apache2/sites-enabled/ directory.
- 3. Used sudo apache2ctl configuration configuration
- 4. Restarted the server and Accessed http://example.com in the browser to confirm it redirects to https://example.com.

Observations:

 Successfully redirected HTTP traffic to HTTPS, ensuring secure communication by default.

Checkpoint 2: Basic Authentication using .htpasswd

- 1. Added users to the Apache server using the htpaswd
- 2. Added another user in same way
- 3. Verified the users
- 4. Configured the example.com and added a code snippet at example.conf file to enable htpsswd authentication
- 5. Accessed https://example.com and provided the credentials when prompted.

Observations:

• Successfully implemented basic authentication using .htpasswd. Only authenticated users could access the website.

Checkpoint 3: Authentication using MySQL Database

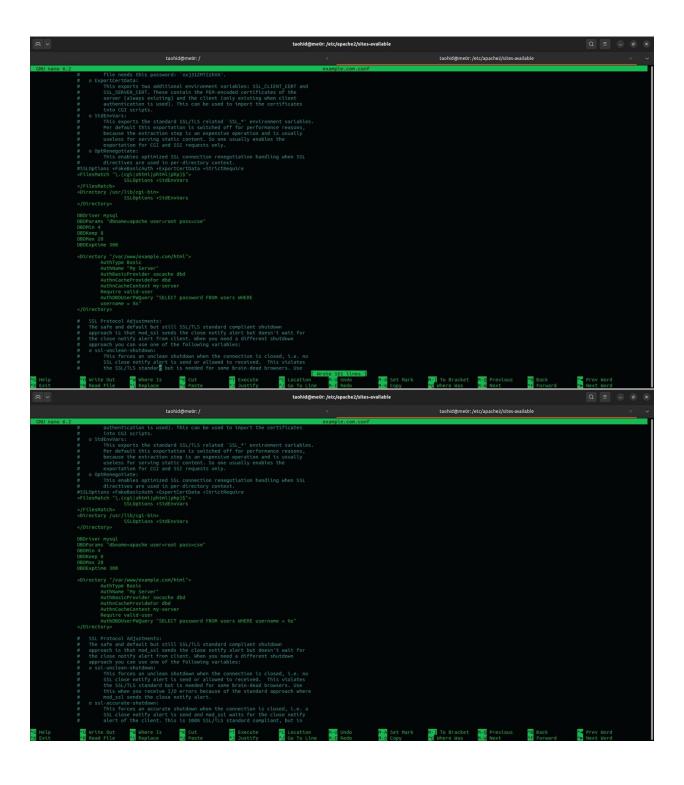
- 1. Installed mysql
- 2. Configured mysql using mysql_secure_installation
- 3. Created Apache database and users table and added the users and hashed passwords
- 4. Then I enabled some Apache Modules
- 5. Then removed the configuration before and added new config for mysql
- 6. Accessed https://example.com and logged in with the MySQL credentials.

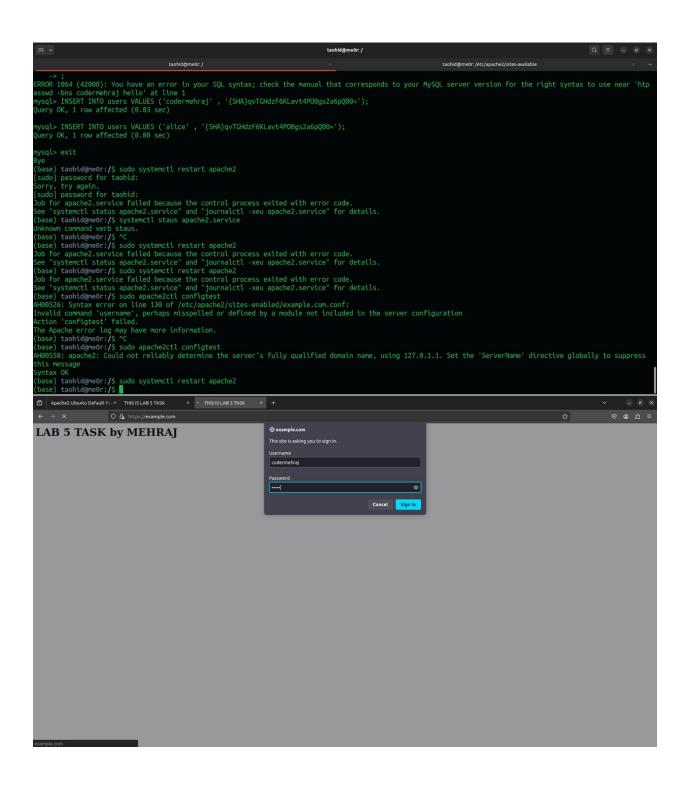
Observations:

Successfully implemented database-backed authentication.
 The website could be accessed only by users authenticated through MySQL.

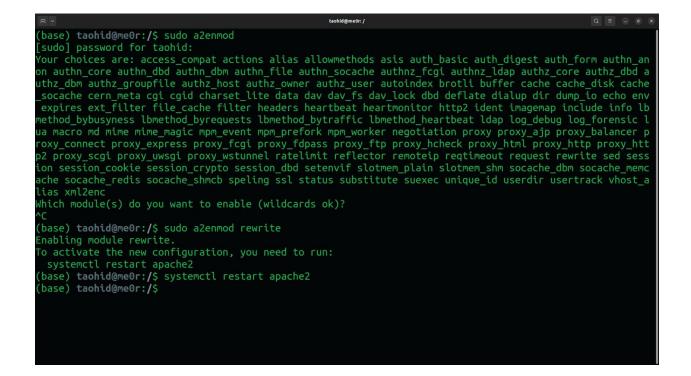
Here are some screenshots of my work:

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taohid@me0r:/
(base) taohtd@me0r:/$ htpasswd -bns codermehraj hello
codermehraj:{SHA}qvTGHdzF6KLavt4P00gs2a6pQ00=
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ htpasswd -bns alice hello
alice:{SHA}qvTGHdzF6KLavt4P00gs2a6pQ00=
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo a2enmod dbd
[sudo] password for taohid:
 nabling module dbd.
To activate the new configuration, you need to run:
systemctl restart apache2
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo a2enmod authn_dbd
Considering dependency dbd for authn_dbd:
Enabling module authn dbd.
To activate the new configuration, you need to run:
systemctl restart apache2
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo a2enmod socache_shmcb
Module socache_shmcb already enabled
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo a2enmod authn_socache
Enabling module authn_socache.
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ systemsctl restart apache2
Command 'systemsctl' not found, did you mean:
command 'systemctl' from deb systemd (249.11-0ubuntu3.11)
command 'systemctl' from deb systemctl (1.4.4181-1.1)
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ systemstl restart apache2
Command 'systemstl' not found, did you mean:
    command 'systemctl' from deb systemd (249.11-0ubuntu3.11)
    command 'systemctl' from deb systemctl (1.4.4181-1.1)
ry: sudo apt install <deb name>
(base) taohid@me0r:/$ systemctl restart apache2 (base) taohid@me0r:/$
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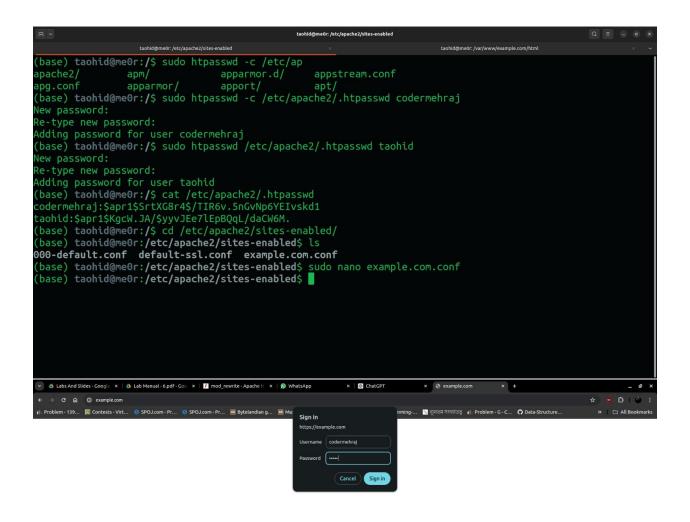




LAB 5 TASK by MEHRAJ





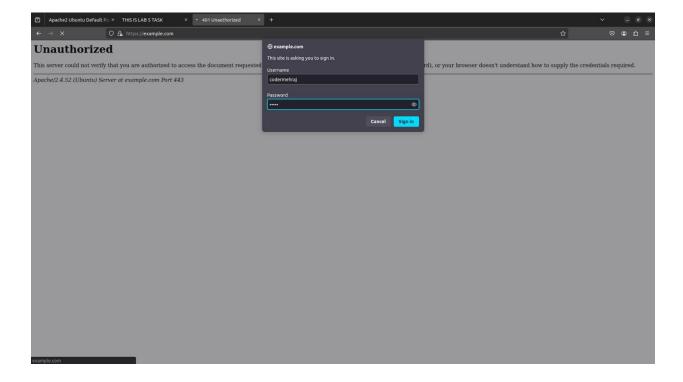


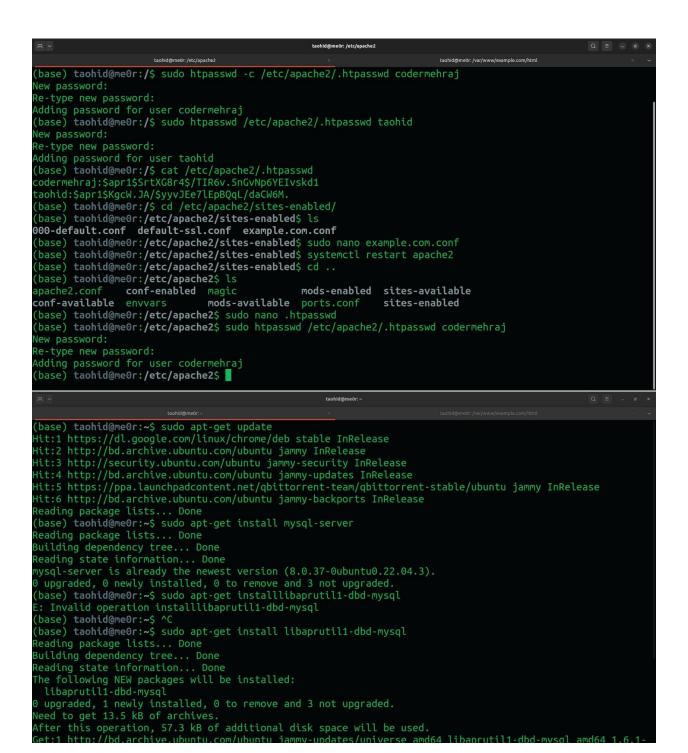


Unauthorized

This server could not verify that you are authorized to access the document requested. Either you supplied the wrong credentials (e.g., bad password), or your browser doesn't understand how to supply the credentials required.

Apache/2.4.52 (Ubuntu) Server at example.com Port 443





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taohid@me0r:/
  base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo apt update
ii::1 http://security.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-security InRelease
ii::2 https://dl.google.com/linux/chrome/deb stable InRelease
ii::3 http://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy InRelease
ii::4 http://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-updates InRelease
ii::5 https://ppa.launchpadcontent.net/qbittorrent-team/qbittorrent-stable/ubuntu jammy InRelease
ii::6 https://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-backports InRelease
   it:6 http://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-backports InRelease eading package lists... Done uilding dependency tree... Done eading state information... Done packages can be upgraded. Run 'apt list --upgradable' to see them. base) taohid@meOr:/$ sudo apt install mysql-server eading package lists... Done uilding dependency tree... Done eading state information.
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libaio1 libcgi-fast-perl libcgi-pm-perl libevent-core-2.1-7 libevent-pthreads-2.1-7 libfcgi-bin libfcgi-perl libfcgi0ldbl libhtml-template-perl libmecab2
libprotobuf-lite23 mecab-ipadic mecab-ipadic-utf8 mecab-utils mysql-client-8.0 mysql-client-core-8.0 mysql-common mysql-server-8.0 mysql-server-core-8.0
luggested packages:
libipc-sharedcache-perl mailx tinyca
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libprotobuf-lite23 mecab-ipadic mecab-ipadic-utf8 mecab-utils mysql-client-8.0 mysql-server-sore-8.0
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lifter this operation, 242 MB of additional disk space will be used.
loy you want to continue? [Y/n] y
let:1 http://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy/main amd64 mysql-common all 5.8+1.0.8 [7,212 B]
let:2 http://bd.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu jammy-updates/main amd64 mysql-client-core-8.0 amd64 8.0.37-0ubuntu0.22.04.3 [2,762 kB]
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     rror: Lan't connect to local Mysul server through socket '/tmp/mysql.sock' (2)
base) taohid@me0r:/$ sudo mysql_secure_installation
  securing the MySQL server deployment.
VALIDATE PASSWORD COMPONENT can be used to test passwords and improve security. It checks the strength of password and allows the users to set only those passwords which are secure enough. Would you like to setup VALIDATE PASSWORD component?
 Press y|Y for Yes, any other key for No: n
  kipping password set for root as authentication with auth_socket is used by default.
If you would like to use password authentication instead, this can be done with the "ALTER_USER" command.
iee https://dev.mysql.com/doc/refman/8.0/en/alter-user.html#alter-user-password-management for more information.
   y default, a MySQL installation has an anonymous user, 
llowing anyone to log into MySQL without having to have 
user account created for them. This is intended only for 
esting, and to make the installation go a bit smoother. 
ou should remove them before moving into a production 
nvironment.
   ormally, root should only be allowed to connect from
localhost'. This ensures that someone cannot guess at
he root password from the network.
      ... skipping.
/ default, MySQL comes with a database named 'test' that
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