

## Hide NGINX Header Information from 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Analyzer Apps

To hide only the version information of nginx, you must go to the nginx.conf file.

To do so, run the following command.

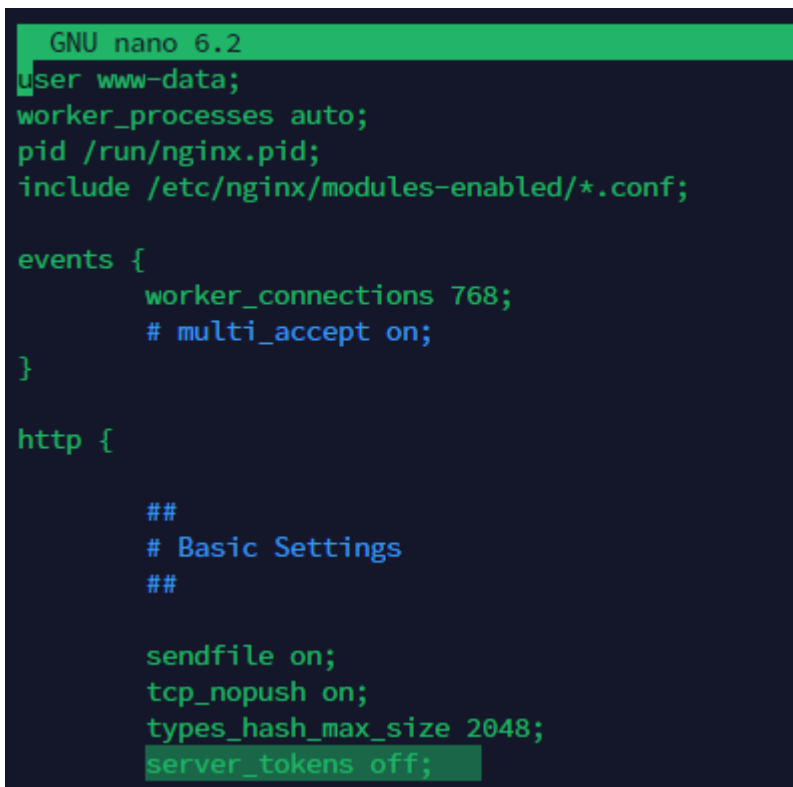
```
sudo nano /etc/nginx/nginx.conf
```

Inside, uncomment the following line under http.

```
server_tokens off;
```

If the line is not written, paste it manually.

Your configuration should look like this.



```
GNU nano 6.2
user www-data;
worker_processes auto;
pid /run/nginx.pid;
include /etc/nginx/modules-enabled/*.conf;

events {
    worker_connections 768;
    # multi_accept on;
}

http {

    ##
    # Basic Settings
    ##

    sendfile on;
    tcp_nopush on;
    types_hash_max_size 2048;
    server_tokens off;
```

After inserting this line, NGINX should hide its version.

To hide the complete information of the web server (NGINX) being used, install the Nginx-Extras, run the following command to do so;

```
sudo apt-get install nginx-extras
```

After installing the packages, go to `/etc/nginx/nginx.conf` and under `http`, add the following line

**`more_clear_headers Server;`**

After adding, restart the NGINX service by the following command.

**`sudo service nginx restart`**

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