Subject: Re: Fatal Error: eregi() [function.eregi]: REG_BADRPT (# 1049)
Posted by AJM on Tue, 03 Apr 2007 23:23:01 GMT
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There is no built-in method of encrypting or hiding the password in the config.inc file, but why does there need to be? If you follow the instructions and place the INCLUDES directory outside the web root there is absolutely no way that anybody can view the contents of that file through their web browser. Only someone who has direct access to your server could see the contents of that directory, and therefore that file, so this should be secure enough.

I believe there are third party products which can encrypt or obfuscate your PHP files, such as Zend Guard, but I have never used them.