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Subject: Log In Problem?

Posted by [gandrews](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 14:12:54 GMT

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I am just getting started, and get the following error when going to the logon link from the main page. I have most likely configured something incorrectly, but don't know how to determine the source of this error:

This error (HTTP 500 Internal Server Error) means that the website you are visiting had a server problem which prevented the webpage from displaying.

For more information about HTTP errors, see Help.

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Subject: Re: Log In Problem?

Posted by [AJM](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 14:28:07 GMT

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That sounds like an error with your Apache configuration. Can you at least run a script containing phpinfo()?

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Posted by [gandrews](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 15:03:45 GMT

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My phpinfo is attached.

#### File Attachments

1) [phpinfo.html](#), downloaded 1295 times

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Posted by [AJM](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 15:39:40 GMT

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At least that proves that your Apache installation is OK and that PHP scripts can be run as expected.

As for your error with the Radicore login screen I'm afraid the error message you have given me ("Internal Server Error") does not provide any clues. Can you step through with your debugger to see where it is falling over?

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Posted by [gandrews](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 17:13:06 GMT

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I am a Python/C++ developer and new to PHP. How do I bring up the PHP debugger or set a break point in the file?

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Subject: Re: Log In Problem?

Posted by [AJM](#) on Thu, 18 Oct 2007 17:26:40 GMT

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Google for "php debugger" and you will see lots of options. Some IDE's come with a debugger built in (like Zend Studio) but they are not all free.

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Posted by [gandrews](#) on Fri, 19 Oct 2007 16:20:47 GMT

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After finally getting a debugger to work, it appears to be dying on the first require statement:

```
require 'include.general.inc';
```

Running phpinfo(), my include path is set to:

```
.;C:\Program Files\Apache Software  
Foundation\Apache2.2\htdocs\radicore\includes;W:\HTDOCS\INCL UDES
```

Do I need to set some other include path to pick up this file? Do I need to escape the spaces in the path or something along those lines.

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Posted by [AJM](#) on Fri, 19 Oct 2007 21:45:35 GMT

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If you read the installation instructions at <http://www.radicore.org/installation.php> you should see what needs to be done. You need to identify in the htaccess file exactly where the 'includes' directory resides on your machine. There is only one 'includes' directory, therefore you need only one path name.

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Posted by [AJM](#) on Fri, 19 Oct 2007 22:02:54 GMT

You should also have the following settings in your php.ini file so that errors such as these will be reported correctly instead of hidden from view.

```
error_reporting = E_ALL
display_errors = On
display_startup_errors = On
log_errors = On
error_log = C:/phperror.log [set this pathname as necessary]
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