

## Re: s/key authentication for Apache on FreeBSD?

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Brett Glass wrote:

- > *I'm constructing a Web server which may require restricted areas*
- > *of the site to be used from public places where a password might*
- > *be sniffed. The damage that could be done by taking snapshots of*
- > *the content from one session with a spy program is minimal. What*
- > *the owner of the server does NOT want, though, is to allow unauthorized*
- > *parties to gain unfettered access by stealing the password via*
- > *a key sniffer.*

Be warned that an attacker would probably be able to issue more commands after user thinks he has logged out (when user used compromised machine).

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