

## Re: How does HttpHandler section work?!?

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Thank you! Nice and simple solution. I should have thought about it :)

"John Saunders" <[jws@jws.ultranet.com](mailto:jws@jws.ultranet.com)> wrote in message  
news:O#CJz9GICHA.2156@tkmsftngp12...

> Are .jpg files even getting to ASP.NET? Check the IIS configuration under  
> "Home Directory". JPEG files aren't normally mapped to ASP.NET, so your  
> configuration doesn't matter. Configure the .jpg extension like .aspx is  
> configured and you should be ok.

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> "Dragos Gafita" <[aaa@aaa.com](mailto:aaa@aaa.com)> wrote in message

> news:e2a4D6FICHA.716@tkmsftngp11...

>> Hi!

>> I have a weird problem. In my web.config file I've added the following

>> lines:

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>> <httpHandlers>

>> <add verb="\*" path="\*.jpg" type="System.Web.HttpForbiddenHandler"/>

>> </httpHandlers>

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>> I did so because I wanted to prevent any .jpg from being downloaded. All

>> .jpg are located in a directory called "Pictures" that belongs to the  
app

>> dir. Why am I still able to view the pictures and save them using the

>> browser?!? Can anyone, please, tell me what's wrong?

>> Thank you.

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