

Re: Multiple web.config files in a virtual directory

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oopss... I mean IIS, not VS

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> > yes, but you are limited what can be in the second one... usually
thought

> > its better to have the ONE in the root and use the <location> tags to

> > explicitelty handle things in the subfolders

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> Curt, what are the limitations on the web.config in the subfolder?

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> The only limitation I'm aware of is an issue with assembly references if
the

> sub-folder is also an application. If the main web.config uses

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> <httpModules>

> <add name="MyModule" type="MyNamespace.MyModule, MyAssembly" />

> </httpModules>

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> Then the subapplication will be looking for a SubApp\bin\MyAssembly.dll.
You

> can add a <remove name="MyModule" /> to the sub-web.config, but it's
already

> too late - ASP.NET will be looking for MyAssembly.dll before it gets
around

> to processing your <remove>. The workaround is to place a dummy

> MyAssembly.dll in SubApp\bin.

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