

# Forms auth for directory

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Hi guys

Ok, I have a website which has an "Artists Only" section, for which you have to login for. This section is contained within its own directory on the server "/aonly".

I want to make people login before they can access this directory, with a User control on each page for logging in. I'd like to use Forms auth and sql server (i know how to check that against the entered details).

I also want a login.aspx page so that if their session expires, it's easy to log back in.

Question is.. how do I create the forms auth and make it protect the "/aonly" directory, and can I make the user control authenticate the user, and then forward to the protected directory?

HOpe that makes sense!

Cheers

Dan

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