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Abstract

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This document provides a high-level overview of the most important problems in the `acme.com/shop` project.

We split these problems into two categories:

- Urgent: needs to be addressed, hardcoded passwords, SQL injection and other, similar exploits
- Other: instances that could improve the overall quality of the codebase, and make development experience better



Conclusion

Urgent

Problems that need to be addresses immediately:

SQL injections

<https://github.com/akoskm/akoskm.github.io/blob/master/assets/js/prism.js#L5>

<https://github.com/akoskm/akoskm.github.io/blob/master/assets/js/prism.js#L9>

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Should be relatively easy to fix by using postgresql clients built-in positional arguments.

SQL User

Database connectivity is established through the postgres account. This means the attacker will have complete access to the entire database - not just the midlayer db.

Hardcoded passwords

<https://github.com/akoskm/akoskm.github.io/blob/master/assets/js/prism.js#L11>

These should be replaced with environment variables and should be supplied when starting the service in production.

Other

CORS

Requests are allowed from any domain:

```
res.header("Access-Control-Allow-Origin", "*");
```

<https://github.com/akoskm/akoskm.github.io/blob/master/assets/js/prism.js#L1>

