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Hacme Bank™ Secured with WAF

webApp.secure™ foils attempts to exploit built-in vulnerabilities

Minneapolis, MN – January 2, 2012 – webScurity Inc. proves the effectiveness of its **webApp.secure** Web application firewall (WAF) to instantly protect vulnerable websites and applications by mitigating the most dangerous vulnerabilities in Hacme Bank from Foundstone, a division of McAfee, Inc.

Hacme Bank is a teaching aid for application developers, programmers, architects and security professionals to create secure software through analysis of its many documented, purposefully built-in Web application vulnerabilities.

Out-of-the box, **webApp.secure** instantly blocked all attempts to exploit vulnerabilities designed into Hacme Bank. SQL injection, cross-site scripting, hidden-field tempering, and cookie-poisoning attacks were all mitigated using the default security settings, proving not only its effectiveness to stop dangerous attacks, but also demonstrating the power of Intended Use Guidelines™ to minimize installation and configuration effort. There is no need to manually enter application-specific policies, or spend hours and hours running it in a so-called "training mode".

McAfee makes Hacme Bank v2.0 freely available to anyone interested in learning about Web application security. It can be downloaded at:

<http://www.mcafee.com/us/downloads/free-tools/hacme-bank.aspx>

To find out if **webApp.secure** is right for you, or if you simply want to gain detailed insight into the kind of malicious traffic aimed at your website, please take a few minutes to download **webApp.secure** LiveCD, a self-contained ISO image that can be booted as a physical or virtual machine. This provides a no-cost, low-risk opportunity to experience how easy it can be to protect your Web assets. The 6MB ISO image can be downloaded at <http://www.webscurity.com/livecd.htm>.

webScurity was founded in 2001 as a privately-held technology company based in the Twin Cities. Its client list includes financial institutions, higher education, State of Minnesota, private and public sector organizations, hosting firms, Web developers and UTM manufacturers. **webApp.secure** has been protecting websites and applications since 2002.

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