

## **Create a new password file**

Following command will creates a new file and stores a record in it for user jerry. The user is prompted for the password. If the file exists and cannot be read, or cannot be written, it is not altered and htpasswd will display a message and return an error status.

```
# htpasswd -c /home/pwww/.htpasswd jerry
```

## **Change or update password**

To add or modifies the password for user tom, enter:

```
# htpasswd /home/pwww/.htpasswd-users tom
```

The user is prompted for the password.