

Web Security

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Post with special characters & keyword in subject & body

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying `https://brightspace.ru.nl/d2l/le/18583/discussions/topics/19433/View`. The page title is "Unicode test - Sandbox Erik Poll X". The main content area is titled "Add a description...".

The subject field contains the text: `SSSSSubject bold <script>alert('Hi');<script> & # % / \`

The body field contains the text: `BBBBBody bold <script>alert('Hi');<script> & # % / \ |`

The body field also features a rich text editor toolbar with options for Paragraph, Bold (B), Italic (I), Underline (U), Text color (A), List (≡), Bulleted list (≡), Link (🔗), Unlink (🔗), Sum (Σ), and other functions. The text "BBBBBody" is underlined in red in the body field.

At the bottom of the form, there are two checkboxes: "Pin thread" (unchecked) and "Subscribe to this thread" (checked). A word count of "9 Words" is displayed at the bottom left of the body field.

Result

Filter by: **All Threads** ▾

Sort by: **Most Recent Activity** ▾

SSSSubject bold<script>alert('Hi');</script> ▾

Erik Poll posted Feb 18, 2024 11:40 • 1 Words **★ Subscribed**

BBBody**bold**

0 0 0
Unread Replies Views

**SSSSSubject bold <script>alert('Hi');<script> & # % / ** ▾

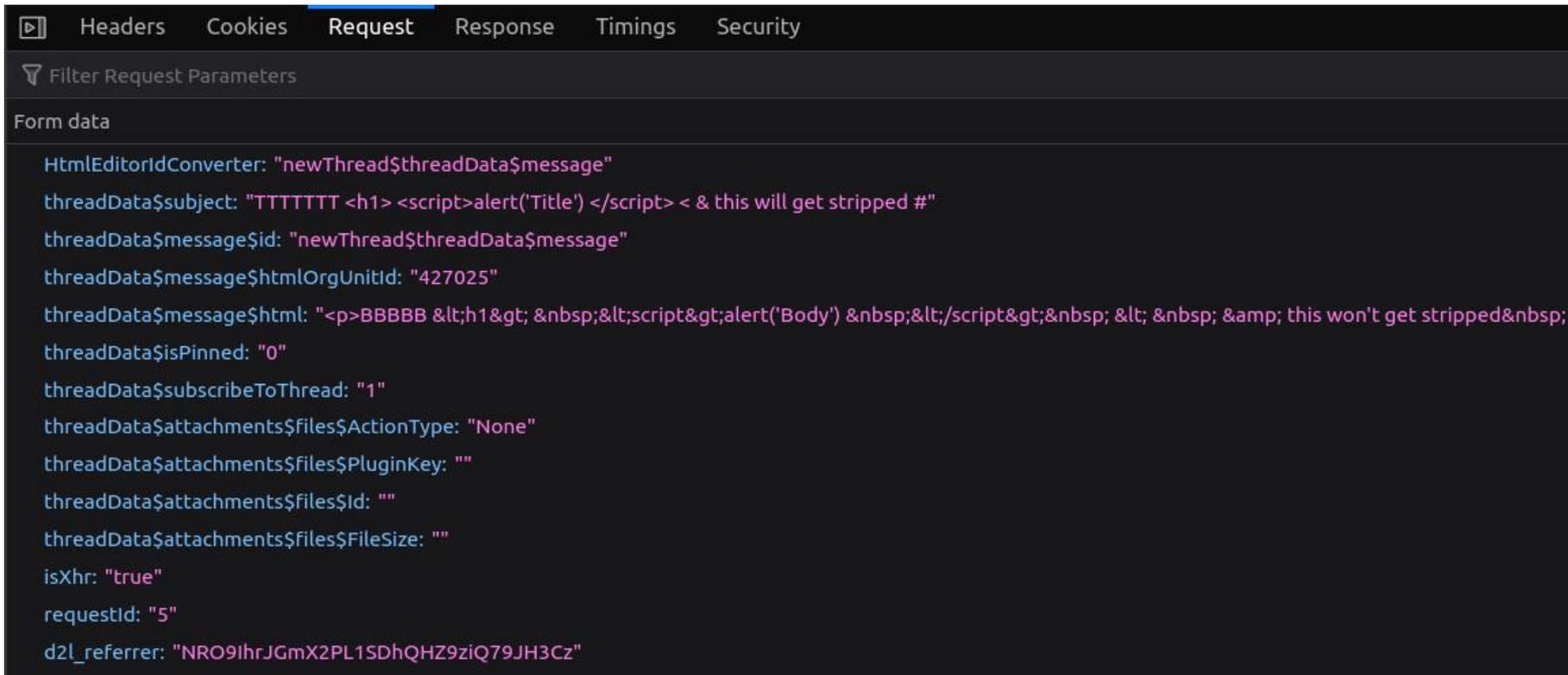
Erik Poll posted Feb 18, 2024 11:25 • 8 Words **★ Subscribed**

BBBBBody bold <script>alert('Hi');<script> & # % / \

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Unread Replies Views

Resulting HTTP request in Firefox

You can look at HTTP request **nicely formatted**



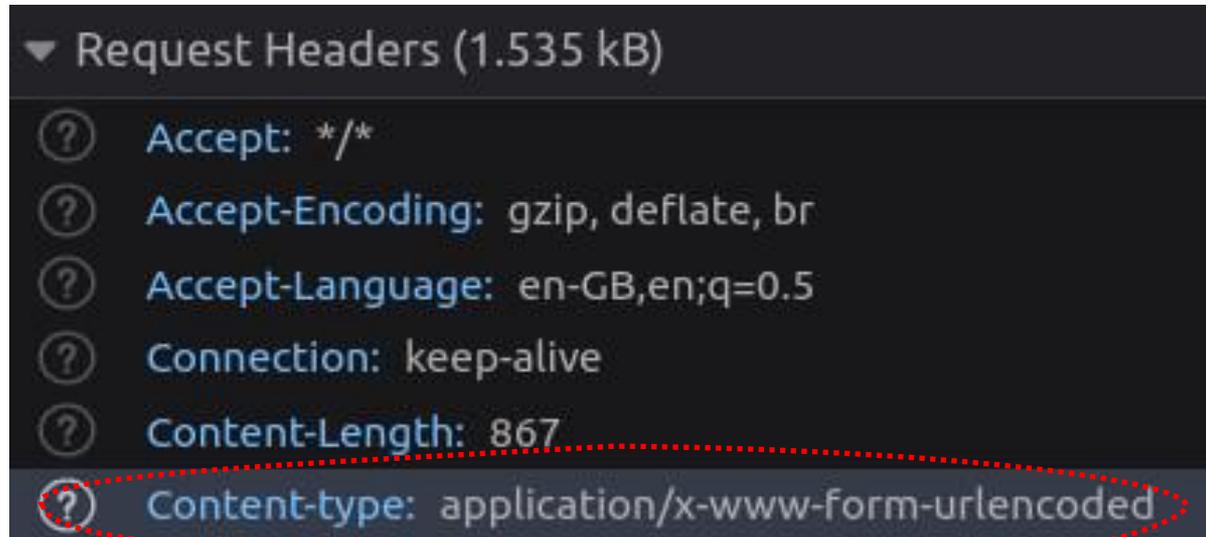
```
Headers  Cookies  Request  Response  Timings  Security
Filter Request Parameters
Form data
HtmlEditorIdConverter: "newThread$threadData$message"
threadData$subject: "TTTTTT <h1> <script>alert('Title') </script> < & this will get stripped #"
threadData$message$id: "newThread$threadData$message"
threadData$message$htmlOrgUnitId: "427025"
threadData$message$html: "<p>BBBBB &lt;h1&gt; &nbsp;&lt;script&gt;alert('Body') &nbsp;&lt;/script&gt;&nbsp;& & & & & this won't get stripped&nbsp;& "
threadData$isPinned: "0"
threadData$subscribeToThread: "1"
threadData$attachments$files$ActionType: "None"
threadData$attachments$files$PluginKey: ""
threadData$attachments$files$id: ""
threadData$attachments$files$FileSize: ""
isXhr: "true"
requestId: "5"
d2l_referrer: "NRO9IhrJGmX2PL1SDhQHZ9ziQ79JH3Cz"
```

or at the **raw request**



```
Request payload Raw
1 HtmlEditorIdConverter=newThread%24threadData%24message&threadData%24subject=TTTTTT%20%3Ch1%3E%20%20%3Cscr
```

Headers in resulting HTTP request

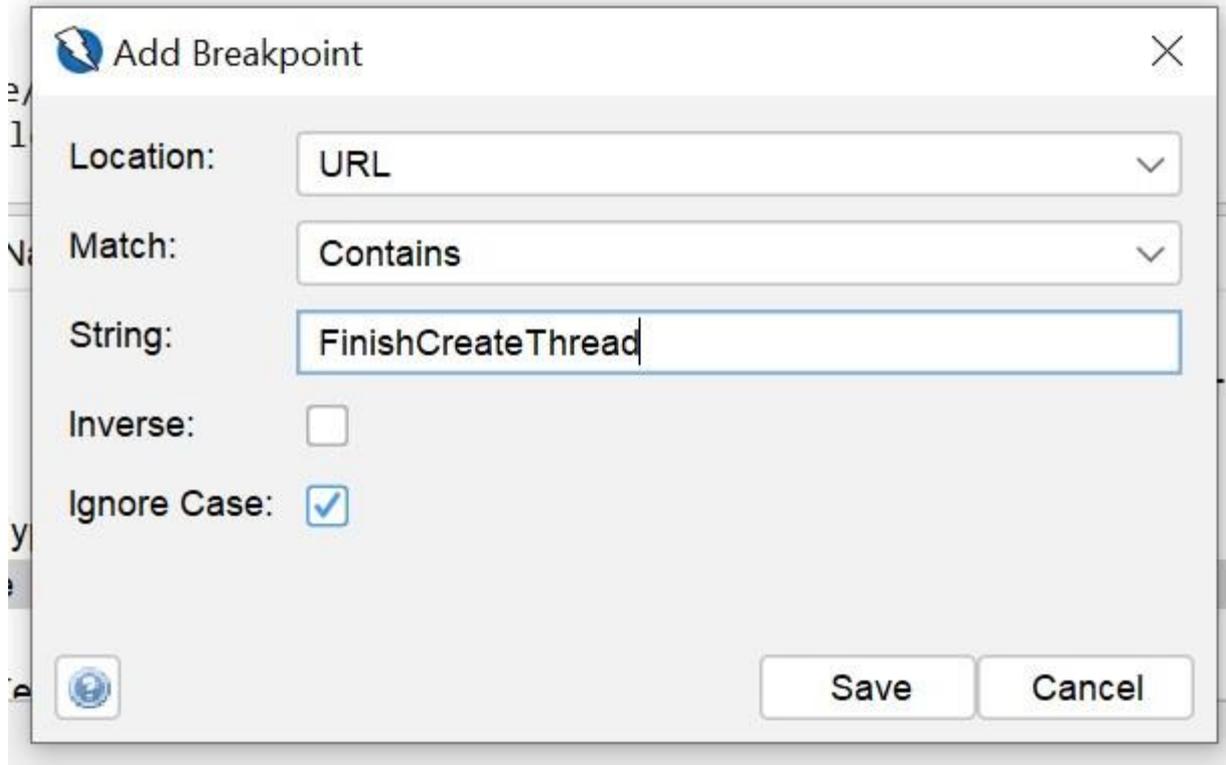


So content is URL encoded

Resulting HTTP request in Firefox – Raw

```
request payload Raw   
1 HtmlEditorIdConverter=newThread%24threadData%24message&threadData%24subject=TTTTTT%20%3Ch1%3E%20%20%3Cscr
```

Setting breakpoint



Add Breakpoint [X]

Location: URL [v]

Match: Contains [v]

String: FinishCreateThread

Inverse:

Ignore Case:

[?] Save Cancel

Intercepting at breakpoint to edit

The screenshot displays the OWASP ZAP 2.12.0 interface. The top menu includes File, Edit, View, Analyse, Report, Tools, Import, Export, Online, and Help. The toolbar shows various icons for navigation and analysis. The main window is titled "Untitled Session - OWASP ZAP 2.12.0".

The left sidebar shows a tree view with "Contexts" and "Sites". The "Sites" section is expanded, showing a list of URLs including https://cdi, https://log, https://6e, https://6e, https://6e, https://s.b, https://coi, https://static, https://en, and https://hri.

The main pane displays a request interception. The "Method" is set to "Header: Text" and the "Body" is set to "Text". The request details are as follows:

```
Host: brightspace.ru.nl
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64; rv:122.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/122.0
Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Referer: https://brightspace.ru.nl/d21/le/18583/discussions/topics/19433/View
Content-type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
Content-Length: 817
Origin: https://brightspace.ru.nl
Connection: keep-alive
```

The body of the request is a JavaScript payload:

```
HtmlEditorIdConverter=newThread%24threadData%24message&threadData%24subject=SSSSsubject<b>bold</b><<script>alert('Hi');</script>&threadData%24message&threadData%24message%24htmlOrgUnitId=18583&threadData%24message%24html=BBBody<b>bold</b><script>alert('Hi');</script>&threadData%24isPinned=0&threadData%24subscribeToThread=1&threadData%24attachments%24files%24ActionType=None&threadData%24attachments%24files%24Id=&threadData%24attachments%24files%24FileSize=8&isXHR=true&requestId=12&d21_referrer=sYQZ1Ssjr9GM
```

The bottom toolbar includes History, Search, Alerts, Output, Breakpoints, and a plus sign. Below the toolbar is a table of breakpoints:

Enabled	Type	Condition
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	HTTP	URL: Contains: Ignore Case:FinishCreateThread

The status bar at the bottom shows "Alerts 0", "9" (with a folder icon), "13" (with a folder icon), "9" (with a folder icon), "Main Proxy: localhost:8080", and "Current Scans 0".