

Assignment 4

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Objective:

The objective of this assignment is to explore more about Burp Suite Application.

What is Burp Suite?

Burp Suite is a Java application that can be used to secure or penetrate web applications. The suite consists of different tools, such as a proxy server, a web spider, intruder and repeater. This is the reason why it is named as Burp "Suite" in the first place.

It is used for penetration testing and online application security testing. It was created by PortSwigger and offers a full range of functions for evaluating the security of online applications. Security experts, ethical hackers, and developers frequently use Burp Suite to find and fix vulnerabilities in web applications.

Uses of Burp Suite

It is an integrated platform/graphical tool for performing security testing of web applications. Its various tools work seamlessly together to support the entire testing process, from initial mapping and analysis of an application's attack surface, through to finding and exploiting security vulnerabilities.

Features of Burp Suite

Proxy:

Burp Suite serves as an intercepting proxy and enables users to record, examine, and alter HTTP and HTTPS communication between their web browser and the intended web application. This function is crucial for comprehending how web apps function and spotting security flaws.

Scanner:

It comes with an online vulnerability scanner that crawls web applications, finds common security flaws, and produces reports. Cross-site scripting (XSS), SQL injection, and other problems are among those that it can find.

Intruder:

This programme automates many web application attacks, including brute-force attacks, parameter manipulation, and fuzzing. It aids testers in evaluating the robustness of an application's input handling and validation procedures.

Repeater:

This tool enables users to submit and edit one-by-one HTTP requests to a web service manually. It is helpful for testing and examining how certain requests and answers behave.

Sequencer:

Tokens, session identifiers, and other data produced by web applications can all benefit from randomness analysis, which is done with the help of the Sequencer tool. For evaluating the security of session management and related operations, this is essential.

Decoder:

Burp Suite's Decoder helps with data encoding and decoding in a number of formats, such as base64 and URL encoding. It is useful for evaluating input validation and output encoding security techniques.

Comparer:

Comparing two HTTP answers enables users to spot discrepancies, which is useful for spotting vulnerabilities like blind SQL injection.

Extender:

Extensions and plugins that offer more features and functionalities are supported by Burp Suite. The functionality of the tool can be altered and expanded with the help of these extensions, which are frequently created by the Burp Suite community.

Collaborator:

A service built into Burp Suite called Collaborator aids testers in spotting out-of-band interactions and potential security problems that would not be readily apparent using conventional scanning techniques.

Reporting:

It creates thorough reports outlining found vulnerabilities, their levels of seriousness, and suggested corrective actions. These reports are useful for informing the development and security teams of findings.

Target Scope and Site Map:

Burp Suite offers tools to specify the testing's parameters and create a site map for the intended web application, making it simpler to follow the testing's progress and spot potential security holes.

Session Handling:

The tool includes features for managing and manipulating sessions, cookies, and authentication tokens during testing.

Customizable Workflows:

Users can create and customize workflows for different testing scenarios and save them for future use.

Automated Testing:

Burp Suite's predefined scan setups and policies enable automated testing of web apps.

Request and Response Analysis:

Security experts can use the many tools in Burp Suite to analyse the behaviour of online apps, spot security holes, and comprehend how programmes react to diverse inputs and circumstances.

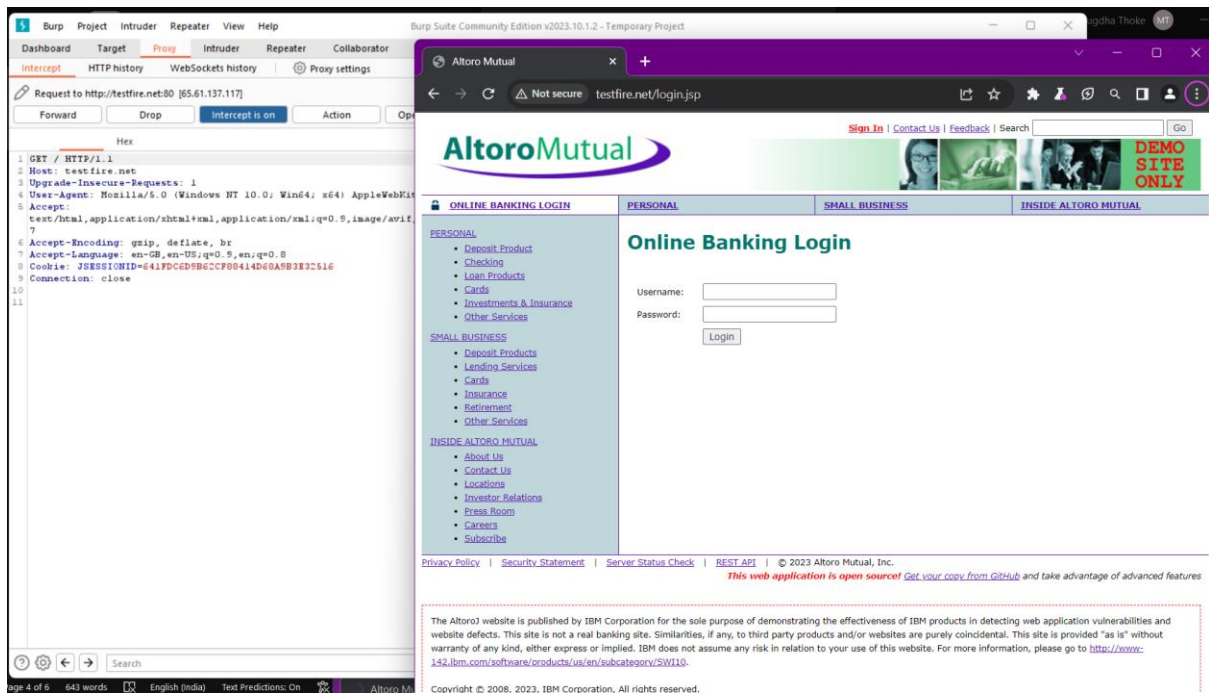
Extension Development:

Users can create their own plugins and extensions to expand Burp Suite's functionality and adapt it to their individual testing requirements.

Vulnerability of testfire.net

<http://testfire.net>

After opening the Burp Suite Application, I opened the website in the proxy section after switching on the intercept.



Logged in the 'online banking login' and went to 'transfer funds'.

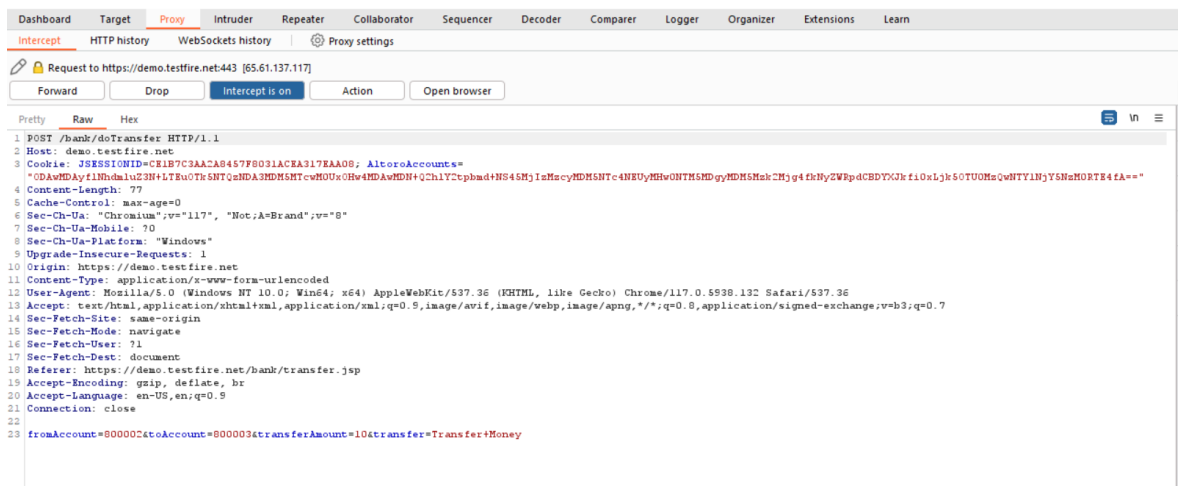
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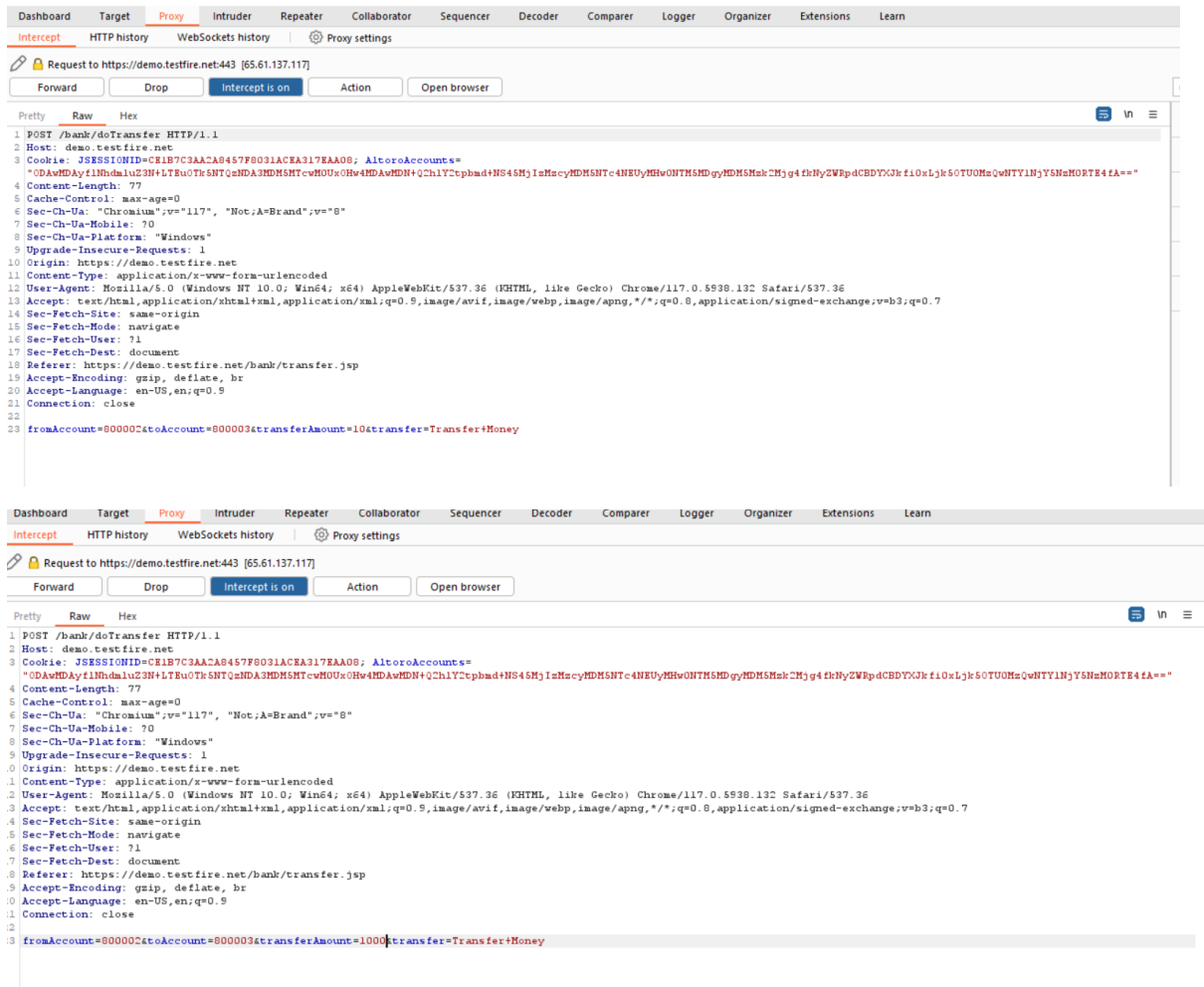
From Account:

To Account:

Amount to Transfer:

In the burp suite I changed the original deposit value





We observed that the amount it is requesting to deposit is different from the original

Transfer Funds

From Account:

To Account:

Amount to Transfer:

1000.0 was successfully transferred from Account 800002 into Account 800003 at 10/7/23 5:31 PM.

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	Transaction ID	Transaction Time	Account ID	Action	Amount
	9698	2023-10-07 17:31	800003	Deposit	\$1000.00
	9697	2023-10-07 17:31	800002	Withdrawal	-\$1000.00

We can see that the website has an IDOR (Insecure Direct Object References) vulnerability.