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**Testing for Client-side URL Redirect**

This section will show you how to detect client-side URL redirection, also known as open redirection. When an application accepts a user-controlled input that specifies a link that leads to an external URL that could be malicious, an input validation flaw exists. This vulnerability could be used to launch a phishing attack or redirect a victim to an infected website.

This flaw occurs when an application accepts untrusted input containing a URL value without sanitizing it. This URL value may cause the web application to redirect the user to another page, such as an attacker-controlled malicious page.

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