

CSE 484 In-class Worksheet #6 (Spring 2016)

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Q1: In your own words (or drawings), describe how and why a XSRF attack works. What can an attacker achieve by exploiting a XSRF vulnerability?

Q2: How might a web application defend itself against XSRF attacks?

Q2: Do you see any problems with echoing/reflecting user input in a web application?

Q3: A web developer wants to prevent XSS attacks, and so he/she filters out “<script>” tags from any user input. Does this help?