Subject: Re: Skylark reaching "beta" status, first 6 chapters of tutorial available.. Posted by mirek on Mon, 09 Jul 2012 17:28:46 GMT

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zsolt wrote on Mon, 09 July 2012 10:03Thanks Mirek! Very valuable work.

One note: isn't it a security hole to get session variables using Http::operator[]? I can imagine a situation where user posts something with the name of the session variable, modifying its value. It can be harmful if the user changes e.g. his/her user id in a web based system this way.

You have got me thinking, but fortunately this is not the case:

HTTP request values are put into shared variable space first, then the session is loaded, overwritting the same variables with session values.

Means: what is set by SessionSet cannot be changed by HTTP request.

OK, one possible issue: User could provide some value before is is created in session and it could have been mistakingly considered a session value...

Mirek