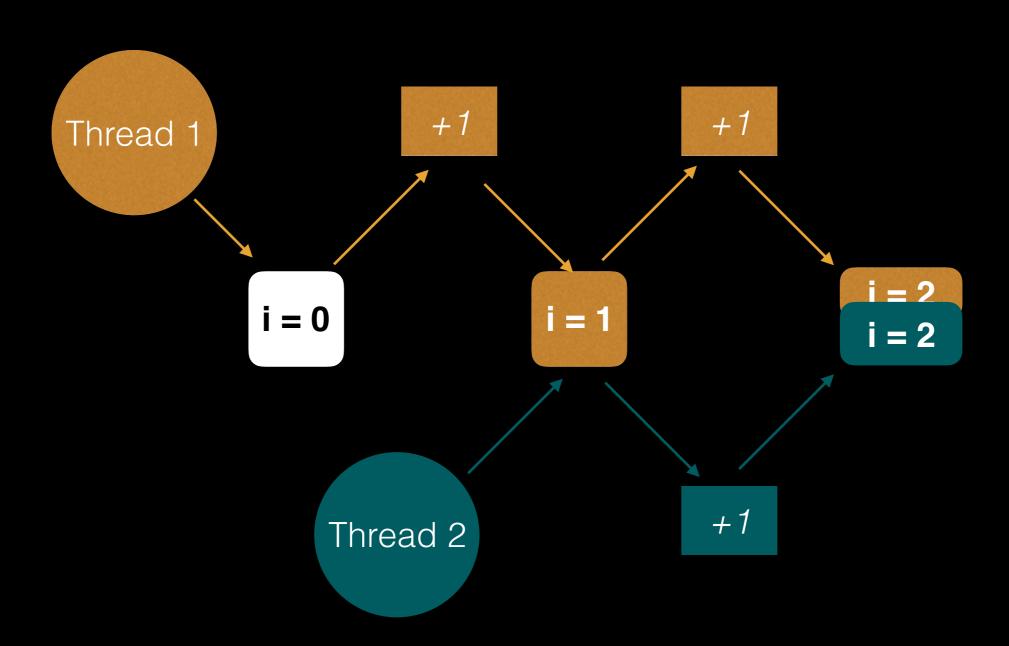
Race Condition

WTF is Race Condition?

- It's a logical vulnerability
- It's very easy to miss in source code
- Can be anywhere, in web apps too
- Can be a critical vulnerability in some cases
- Easy to find and reproduce

How it works?

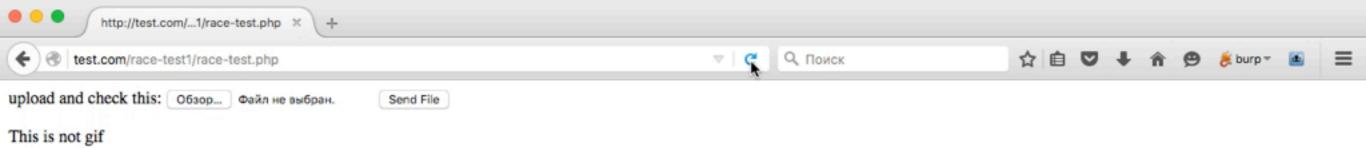


WEB and Race Condition:

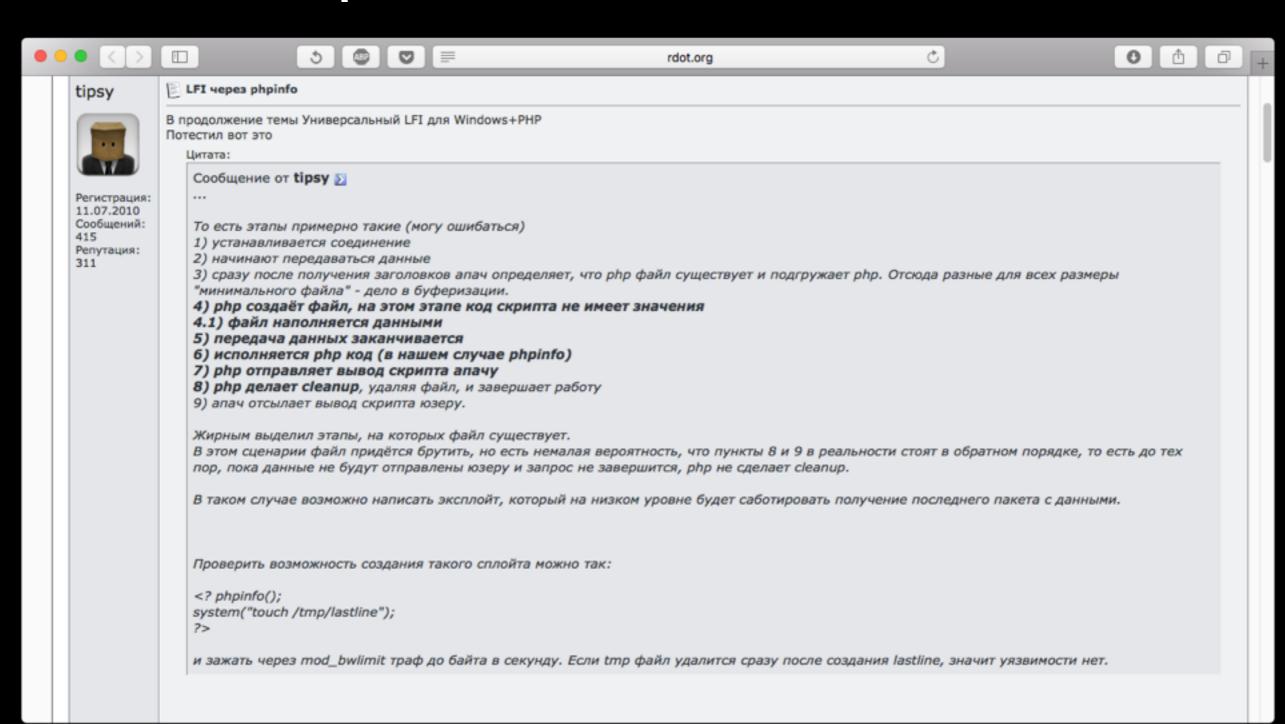
Temp Files

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Example from real life #1

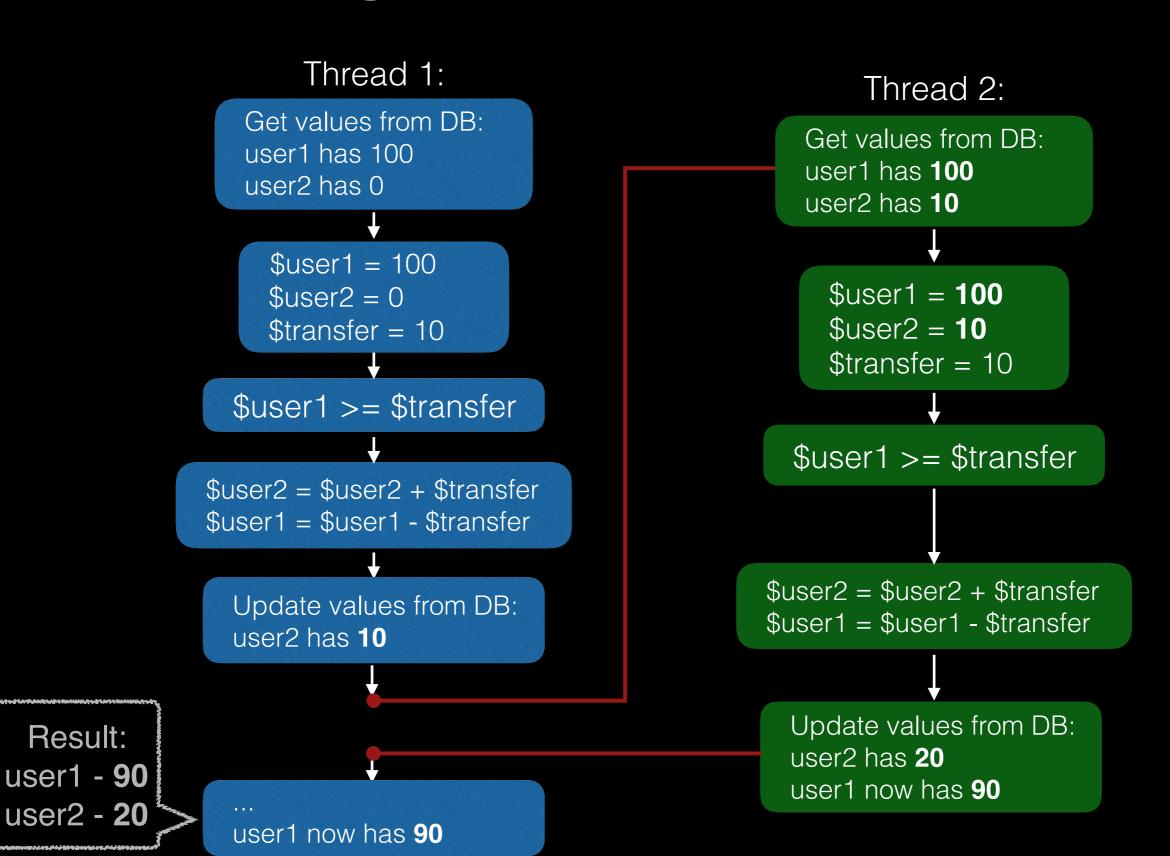


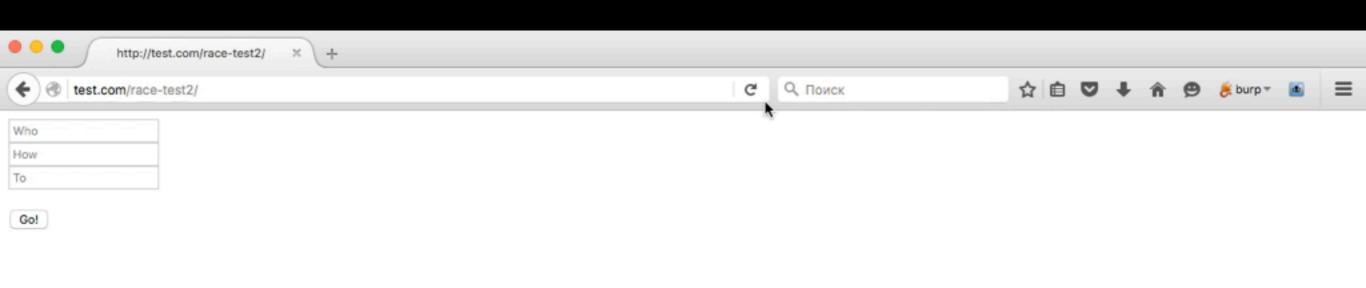
WEB and Race Condition:

Money Transfer

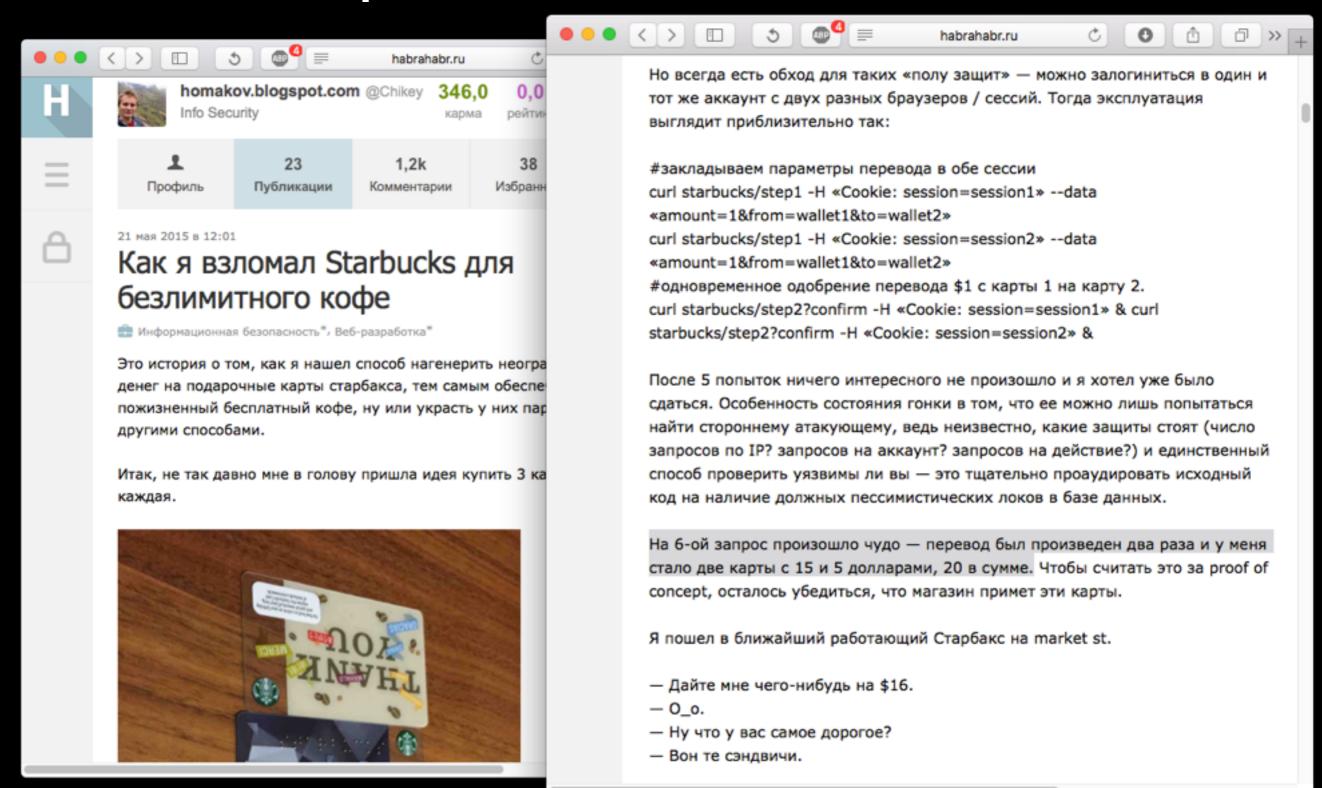
- 1. Get user1 balance
- 2. Get user2 balance
- 3. Check, if user has available money to transfer
- 4. Calculate new balances for accounts
- 5. Update balance at DB

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Thread 1:
                                                     Thread 2:
   Get values from DB:
                                                 Get values from DB:
   user1 has 100
                                                 user1 has 100
   user2 has 0
                                                 user2 has 10
     suser1 = 100
                                                   $user1 = 100
     suser2 = 0
                                                   suser2 = 10
     tensitive $transfer = 10
                                                   tensitive{$transfer = 10}
  $user1 >= $transfer
                                                $user1 >= $transfer
$user2 = $user2 + $transfer
$user1 = $user1 - $transfer
                                             $user2 = $user2 + $transfer
  Update values from DB:
                                             $user1 = $user1 - $transfer
  user2 has 10
                                                Update values from DB:
                                               user2 has 20
                                               user1 now has 90
  user1 now has 90
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Example from real life #2



Conclusion

- It's not a bug, it is a security vulnerability!
- Make your multithreading application safe
- Lock or sync vars, files, etc to avoid it
- Never forget about Race Condition!

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