post

$_POST

Form data from HTTP POST requests

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An associative array of variables passed to the current script via the HTTP POST method when using `application/x-www-form-urlencoded` or `multipart/form-data` as the HTTP Content-Type in the request.

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`$_POST` example

```
<?php
echo 'Hello ' . htmlspecialchars($_POST["name"]) . '!';
?>
```

Assuming the user sent a POST request with `name=Hannes` in the body.

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```
Hello Hannes!
```

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> [!NOTE] To read POST data sent with other content types (e.g. `application/json` or `application/xml`) `php://input` must be used. Unlike `$_POST`, which only works with `application/x-www-form-urlencoded` and `multipart/form-data`, `php://input` provides direct access to the raw data from the body of the request.

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