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Thread: [Replace text on webpage](#)

**IUL280y** - July 2, 2019, 11:35 am

Delete me stupid question, trying a different method

**HardStoN** - July 2, 2019, 11:43 am

(Jul 2, 2019 11:35 AM)IUL280y Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I know using C# you can read a webpage using WebClient and I'm wondering if you can replace text sort of like inspect element when a user interacts with the application.

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Code HttpWebRequest webRequest = (HttpWebRequest)WebRequest.Create("webpage");

using (StreamWriter streamWriter = new StreamWriter(webRequest.GetRequestStream(),
Encoding.UTF8))
{
    streamWriter.Write(requestData);
}

string responseData = string.Empty;
HttpWebResponse httpResponse = (HttpWebResponse)webRequest.GetResponse();
using (StreamReader responseReader = new
StreamReader(httpResponse.GetResponseStream()))
{
    responseData = responseReader.ReadToEnd();
}
```

Would this be best done using a RegEx pattern and text.replace and will this update the live webpage ?

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do you own the site?

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No I'm not talking about a permanent replacement I'm talking about when the user refreshes the page will be updated with the text from the application but I think this is too complicated in C# I'm going to go down the Javascript route and use something like greasemonkey

**eCoLoGy** - July 4, 2019, 7:51 am

You can use FiddlerCore to do that.

<https://www.telerik.com/fiddler/fiddlercore>