**Suricata - Feature #2487**

**Buffers for field/value pairs in http_uri and http_client_body**

04/14/2018 06:53 PM - Jason Williams

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**Description**

We've found http_header_names to be one of our favorite new 4.0 buffers and would like to see if we could carry over this logic to other buffers.

For example, if the string in either the http_uri or the http_client_body was "field1=value1&field2=value2&field3=value3"

http_uri_(field_name); content:|0d 0a|field1|; nocase; startswith; content:"field3|0d 0a 0d 0a|"; nocase; endswith;
http_uri_(value_name); content:|0d 0a|value1|; nocase; startswith; content:"value3|0d 0a 0d 0a|"; nocase; endswith;

basically the same for client_body

http_client_body_(field_name); content:"|0d 0a|field1|"; nocase; startswith; content:"field3|0d 0a 0d 0a|"; nocase; endswith;
http_client_body_(value_name); content:"|0d 0a|value1|"; nocase; startswith; content:"value3|0d 0a 0d 0a|"; nocase; endswith;

**Related Issues:**

Related to Feature #1194: Implement http_args keyword to match http arguments... New
Related to Task #4097: Suricon 2020 brainstorm Assigned

**History**

1. **#1 - 06/12/2018 05:20 PM - Jason Ish**
   - Effort set to medium
   - Difficulty set to medium

2. **#2 - 09/26/2019 03:19 PM - Victor Julien**
   - Related to Feature #1194: Implement http_args keyword to match http arguments - query string or body added

3. **#3 - 11/14/2020 02:25 PM - Jeff Lucovsky**
   - Related to Task #4097: Suricon 2020 brainstorm added