

## Wt - Bug #1502

### Unable to use HTML entity in WComboBox

10/29/2012 02:35 PM - Jan Hrubeš

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<b>Description</b>			
Hi,			
it seems wt escapes ampersand when rendering WComboBox.			
E.g.: the result is "±1" instead of "±1" .			
HTML supports using entities inside			
There is a JavaScript issue with ampersand which can be avoided using Unicode (more info at <a href="#">StackOverflow</a> ).			
regards,			
Jan			

#### History

##### #1 - 10/31/2012 08:13 AM - Koen Deforche

- Status changed from New to Feedback

Hey,

Indeed the text is interpreted literally, but unicode text should be fully supported. As always, caveats apply when using unicode in C++03: either you manually specify the byte-sequence for the UTF-8 encoding of the unicode character, or you store the text in a message resource bundle.

(for ±, this is `WString::fromUTF8("\xc2\xb1")`)

Regards,

koen