# Quassel IRC - Bug #1674

## Cannot join channels with non-ASCII names on ISO-2022-JP-encoded servers

02/25/2021 06:07 PM - Ketchup901

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| **Status:** | New | | **Start date:** | 02/25/2021 |
| **Priority:** | Immediate | | **Due date:** | |
| **Assignee:** | | | **% Done:** | 0% |
| **Category:** | | | **Estimated time:** | 0.00 hour |
| **Target version:** | | | | |
| **Version:** | 0.13.0 | | **OS:** | Any |

**Description**

I don't think this is related to https://bugs.quassel-irc.org/issues/640.

Example: I'm trying to join #□□□□□□□□ on irc.juggler.jp, but it joins me to another channel with a seemingly identical name.
I was able to join the channel with HexChat, so I went on irssi (UTF-8) and compared my two whois outputs.

For the HexChat session, the channel name (really #□□□□□□□□) appeared as [pre]#^[$B$*$b$7$m%M%?B.Js^[(B[/pre].
For the Quassel session, the channel name appeared as [pre]#^[$B$*$b$7$m%M%?B.Js[/pre].
In other words, they are identical apart from the [pre]^[(B[/pre] part at the end.
As far as I understand it, this is an [url=https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ISO/IEC_2022#ISO-2022-JP]escape sequence in ISO-2022-JP[/url].

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**History**

**#1 - 02/25/2021 06:08 PM - Ketchup901**

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**#2 - 02/25/2021 06:11 PM - Ketchup901**

Wtf is up with this tracker, I can't edit the original text lol