

Why do we need Ajax?

So far, when we wanted to

- send data to the server
- or retrieve data from the server
- ⦿ we had to refresh the entire page
(i.e reloading HTML, CSS, JS and all media files)
- ✓ But, why not using Javascript to process the data
and perform the necessary page changes?

Ajax - Asynchronous Javascript And XML

Fetch/push content from/to the server asynchronously
i.e without having to refresh the page

- ⦿ Ajax is not a language

- ✓ It is a simple **Javascript command**