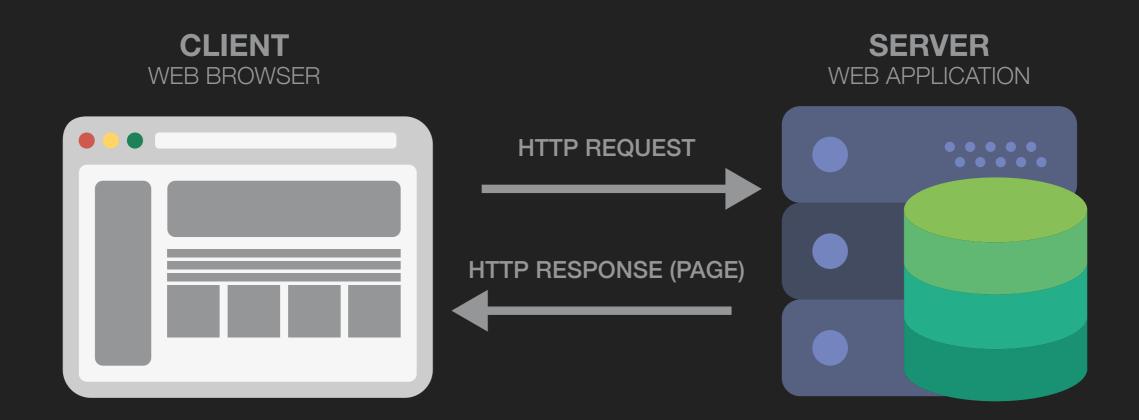
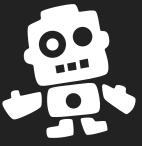


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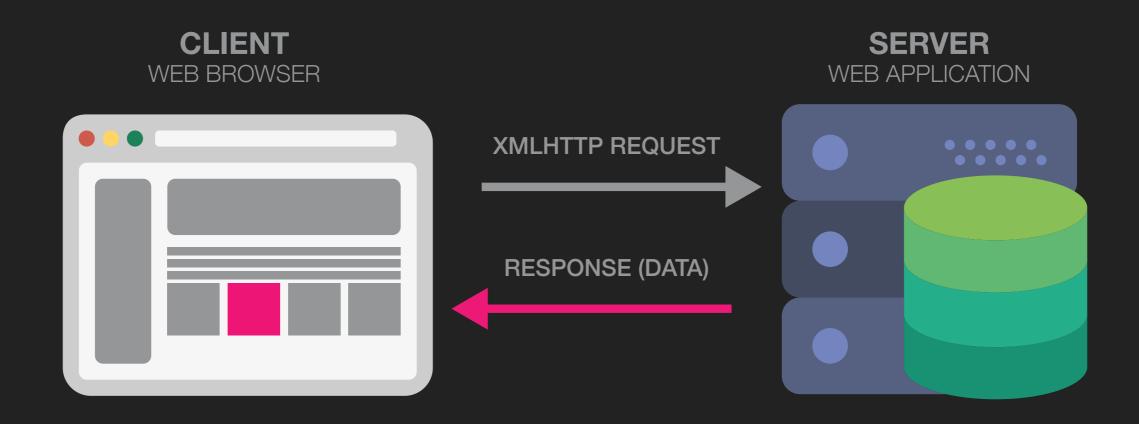
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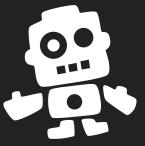


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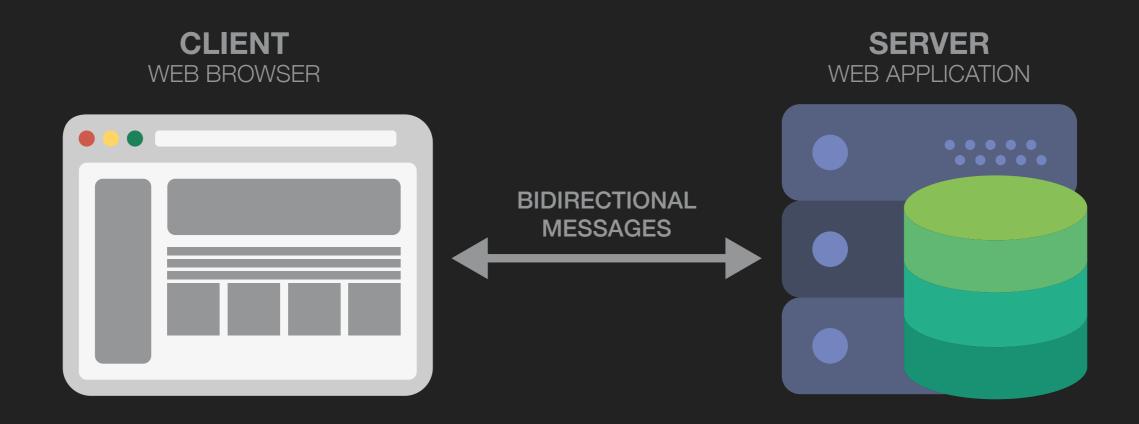


Main application: dynamic webpages.



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 [2011] web clients and web servers exchange data using bidirectional communication over websockets.



Main application: real-time data transfer.