# **AJAX BASICS**



## AJAX



Asynchronous JavaScript and XML (AJAX) provides a way for JavaScript to send data to and receive data from a server.

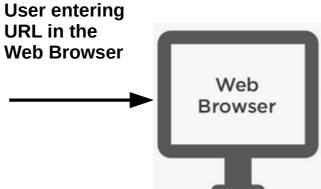
# Behind the scenes ?!



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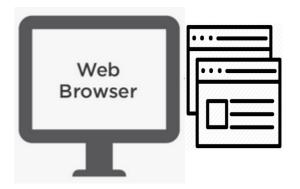
Web Browser formats the request and communicate with the server about the client's request



Web Server locates the user request, formats it and send it as a response to the Web Browser.



Web Browser interprets the server's response and renders the webpage to the user.



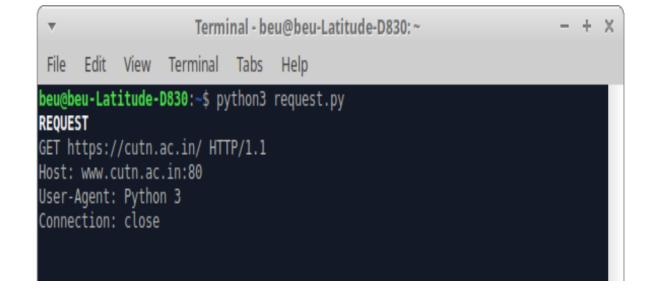
# HTTP REQUEST- PACKET



REQUEST LINE

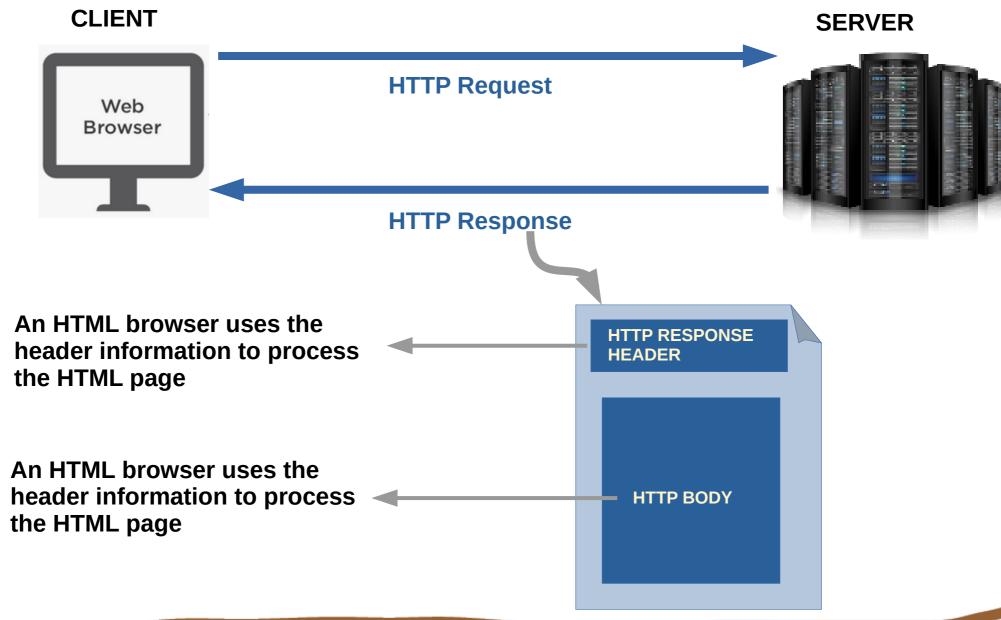
REQUEST HEADERS

**REQUEST BODY** 



# HTTP RESPONSE





### HTTP RESPONSE



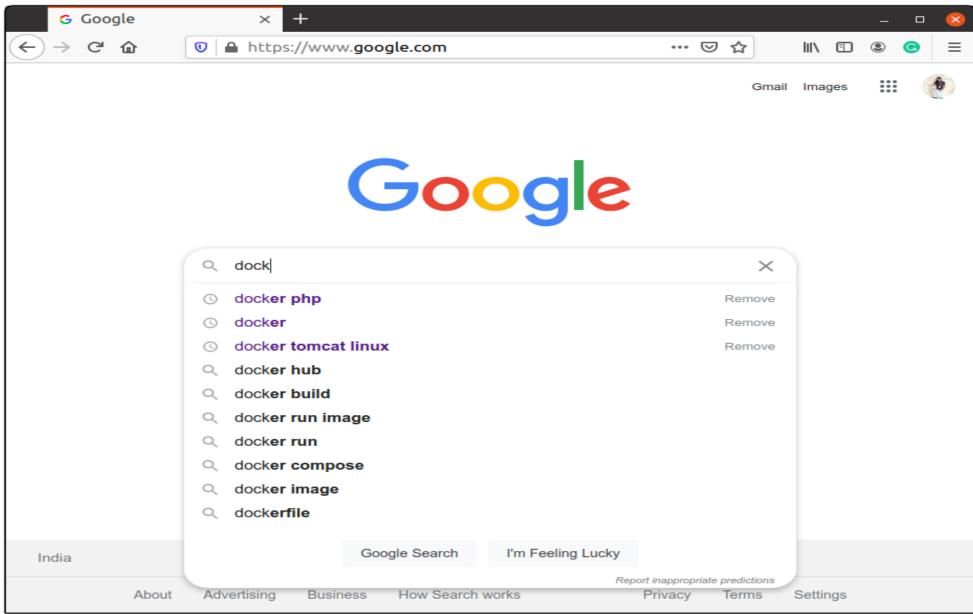
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Terminal - beu@beu-Latitude-D830: ~
 File
      Edit View
                 Terminal Tabs
                                  Help
beu@beu-Latitude-D830:~$ python3 request.py
REQUEST
GET https://cutn.ac.in/ HTTP/1.1
Host: www.cutn.ac.in:80
User-Agent: Python 3
Connection: close
RESPONSE
HTTP/1.1 301 Moved Permanently
Date: Sat, 30 May 2020 22:44:55 GMT
Server: Apache/2.4.10 (Debian)
Location: https://www.cutn.ac.in/
Content-Length: 311
Connection: close
Content-Type: text/html; charset=iso-8859-1
<!DOCTYPE HTML PUBLIC "-//IETF//DTD HTML 2.0//EN">
<html><head>
<title>301 Moved Permanently</title>
</head><body>
<h1>Moved Permanently</h1>
The document has moved <a href="https://www.cutn.ac.in/">here</a>.
<hr>
<address>Apache/2.4.10 (Debian) Server at www.cutn.ac.in Port 80</address>
</body></html>
beu@beu-Latitude-D830:~$
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# **EXAMPLE OF AJAX**

### **GOOGLE SEARCH ENGINE**

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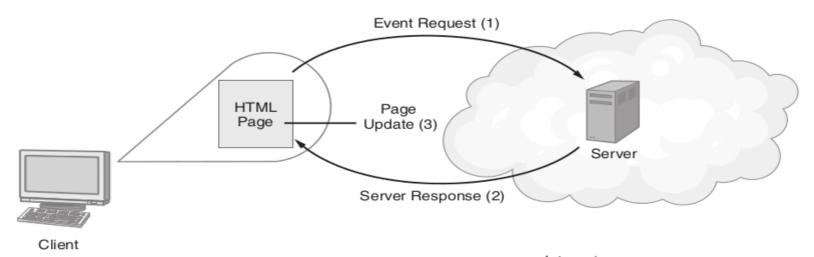


# AJAX processes



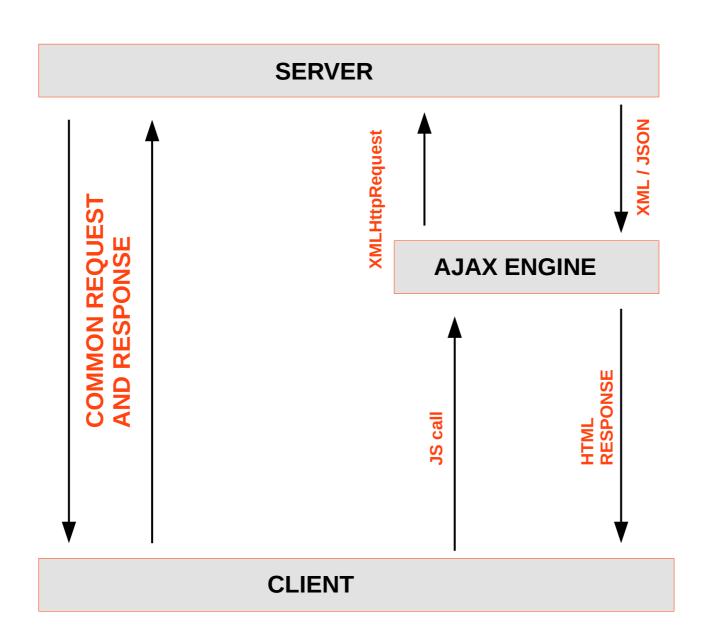
### **The Three-step AJAX Process**

- First, something happens on the page to trigger the need for an AJAX operation, such as a keyboard input or a mouse-click operation in other words, an event.
- The page, in turn, uses JavaScript to send a message to a remote server.
- The server, in turn, processes the request and sends back a response to the page.



# How AJAX works?





## **AJAX**



It is extremely important technology in web development.

It is not a language
It is not a framework
And it is not even a library

It is just a simple set of web technologies to send and receive data from client to the server asynchronously.

It is all done behind the page without having to explicitly reload the web page.

# **AJAX**



In order to improve webpage processing capabilities and functionality, we use JavaScript to send data and request content to or from a remote server.

Asynchronous JavaScript and XML, or AJAX, is a technique that we use to perform JavaScript-based interactions with a server.

Asynchronous means "not occurring at the same time"

Example: An exchange of letters through postal mail, for instance, is an example of asynchronous communication, unlike, say, a conversation in person or over the phone.