***Difference between array merge and array combine***

**array\_merge** merges the elements of one or more than one array such that the value of one array appended at the end of first array. If the arrays have same strings  key  then the later value overrides the previous value for that key .

<?php  
$array1 = array("course1" => "java","course2" => "sql");  
$array2 = array(("course1" => "php","course3" => "html");  
$result = array\_merge($array1, $array2);  
print\_r($result);  
?>

**OUTPUT :**

Array

(

[course1] => php

[course2] => sql

[course3] => html

)

Array\_combine creates a new array by using the key of one array as *keys* and using the value of other array as *values*.

It returns the combine array of array 1 and array2 .

<?php  
$array1    = array("course1","course2","course3");  
$array2    = array(("php","html","css");

$new\_array = Array\_combine($array1, $array2);  
print\_r($new\_array);  
?>

**OUTPUT :**

Array

(

[course1]  => php

[course2]    => html

[course3]    =>css

)

**Array function in Php**

* [**array\_combine**](http://php.net/manual/en/function.array-combine.php)**— Creates an array by using one array for keys and another for its values**
* [array\_diff\_assoc](http://php.net/manual/en/function.array-diff-assoc.php) — Computes the difference of arrays with additional index check
* [array\_fill](http://php.net/manual/en/function.array-fill.php) — Fill an array with values
* [array\_diff](http://php.net/manual/en/function.array-diff.php) — Computes the difference of arrays
* [array\_merge](http://php.net/manual/en/function.array-merge.php) — Merge one or more arrays

**What is the difference between == and === in PHP?**

* When comparing values in PHP for equality you can use either the == operator or the === operator. What’s the difference between the 2? Well, it’s quite simple. The == operator just checks to see if the left and right values are equal. But, the === operator (note the extra “=”) actually checks to see if the left and right values are equal, and also checks to see if they are of the same variable type (like whether they are both booleans, ints, etc.).