My web server

A easy to deploy, well tested, open source, web server that support multiple platforms.

Requirements

Supplementary Specification

- Req 1. The web server should be responsive under high load.
- Req 2. The web server must follow minimum requirements for HTTP 1.1
- Req 3. The web server must work on Linux, Mac, Windows*.
- Reg 4. The source code should be released under GPL-2.0.
- Req 5. The access log should be viewable from a text editor.

Actors

Administrator. Installs, Starts, stops the Web server, inspects usage.

Browser: Accesses shared resources.

Use Cases:

UC1 Start Server

Primary Actor

Administrator

Postcondition:

- A web server has been started
- A note in the access log was written, that the server was started

Main scenario

- 1. Starts when an administrator wants to start the server.
- 2. System asks for socket port number and shared resource container
- 3. The administrator provides a socket port number and a shared resource container
- 4. System starts a web server on the given port and presents that the server was started and writes a note in the access log.

Alternate Scenarios

- 4a. The web server could not be started due to socket was taken
 - 1. System presents an error message: "Socket XX was taken" (XX is the socket number, Example "80")
 - 2. Exit Use Case

^{*} XP, Vista, 7, 8, 10, Server 2008

- 4b. The web server could not be started due restriction on the shared resource container
 - 1. System presents an error message: "No access to folder XX" (XX is the shared resource container provided, Example "\var\www")
 - 2. Exit Use Case
- 4c. The access log could not be written to
 - 1. System presents an error message. "Cannot write to server log file log.txt"
 - 2. Exit Use Case

UC2 Stop Server

Primary Actor

Administrator

Precondition:

A web server has been started

Postcondition:

A note in the access log was written, that the server was stopped

Main scenario

- 1. Starts when a user wants to stop the server.
- 2. System stops the web server and presents that the webserver has been stopped

UC3 Request shared resource

Primary Actor

Browser

Precondition:

A web server has been started

Postcondition:

 A note in the access log was written, that access happened with request information and the result of the request.

Technical note

- Browser and System communicates using HTTP 1.1.
- Error messages are part of HTTP 1.1 protocol
 - o 200 OK
 - o 400 Bad request
 - o 403 Forbidden
 - o 404 Not Found

Main scenario

1. Starts when a Browser wants to access a shared resource

2. System delivers the shared resource to the browser and a success message is written to the access log.

Alternate Scenarios

- 2a: The shared resource cannot be found
 - a. System presents that the resource cannot be found
 - b. Exit Use Case
- 2b: The shared resource is outside the shared resource container
 - a. System presents that the resource is forbidden
 - b. Exit Use Case
- 2c: The resource request is invalid or malformed
 - a. System presents that the request cannot be handled
 - b. Exit Use Case
- 2d: The server encounters an error when trying to process the request
 - a. System presents that it has an internal error
 - b. Exit Use Case