

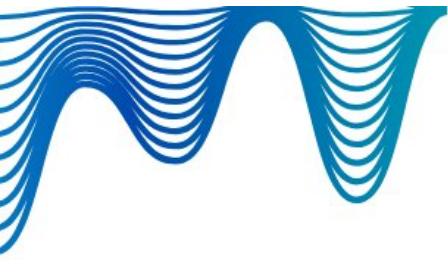
# ***Computer Glossary***

## ***“W” Alphabet***



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## **Webhook**

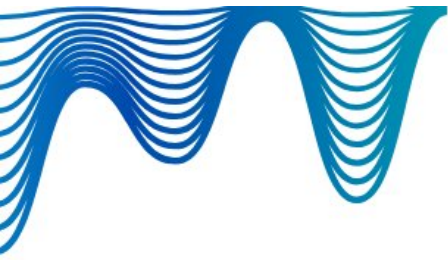
*method of allowing one system to send real-time data to another system automatically when certain events occur.*

## **Web 2.0**

*A term used to describe the second generation of the internet, focusing on user-generated content, interactivity, and social media.*

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## ***Workflow***

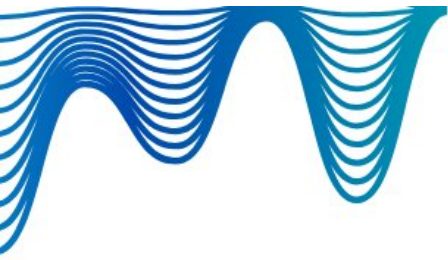
***A sequence of steps or tasks that are automated or followed in a specific order to complete a process.***

## ***WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)***

***A security protocol designed to secure wireless networks by encrypting data transmitted over Wi-Fi.***

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## **Worm**

***A type of malware that self-replicates and spreads across computers and networks without human interaction.***

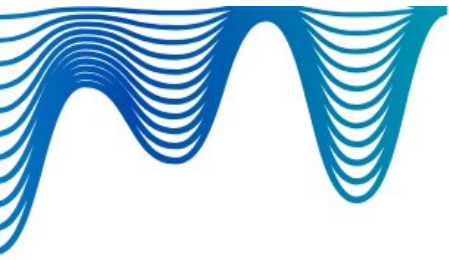
## **Widget**

***A small application or tool that provides specific information or functionality (e.g., weather widgets, calendar widgets).***

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## **Web Server**

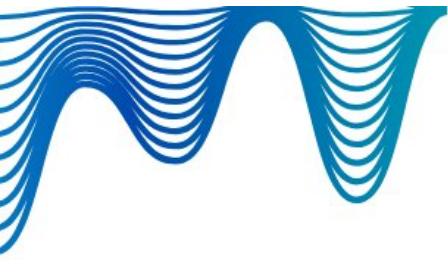
***A computer system that hosts websites and delivers web pages to users via a browser.***

## **WYSIWYG (What You See Is What You Get)**

***A user interface that allows users to see exactly what the final output (e.g., a document or web page) will look like while editing.***

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## **Word Processor**

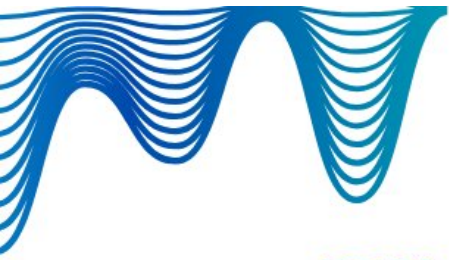
*A software application used for creating, editing, and formatting text documents (e.g., Microsoft Word).*

## **WAN (Wide Area Network)**

*A network that spans a large geographical area, connecting multiple smaller networks, such as the internet.*

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## ***Wi-Fi (Wireless Fidelity)***

***A technology that allows electronic devices to connect to a wireless local area network (WLAN) using radio waves.***

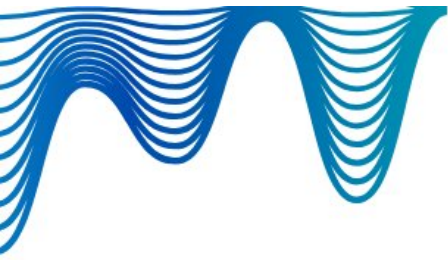
## ***Wiki***

***A collaborative platform that allows multiple users to create, edit, and share content (e.g., Wikipedia).***

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## **Workstation**

***A high-performance computer designed for technical or scientific applications, often used for complex tasks like video editing or 3D rendering.***

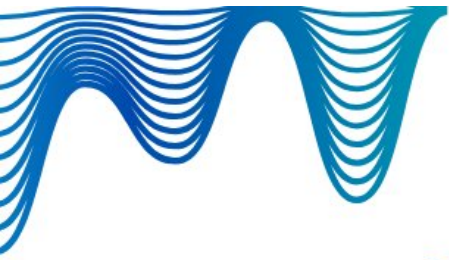
## **WebSocket**

***A communication protocol that provides full-duplex communication channels over a single TCP connection, often used for real-time applications like chat or gaming.***

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## ***WAN Optimization***

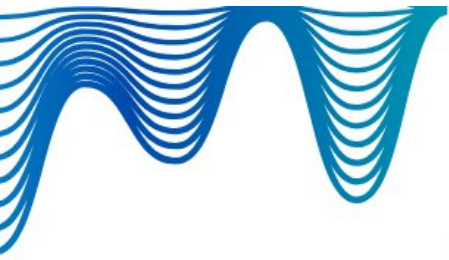
***Techniques used to improve the efficiency of data flow across a wide area network.***

## ***Wildcard Certificate***

***A type of SSL/TLS certificate that secures a domain and all its subdomains with a single certificate.***

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## ***Wireless Adapter***

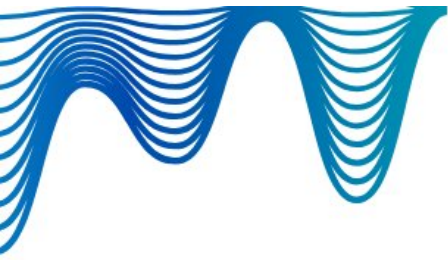
***A device that allows a computer to connect to a wireless network.***

## ***Wireless Network***

***A type of network that allows devices to connect and communicate without physical cables, typically using Wi-Fi or Bluetooth.***

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## ***Windows***

***A family of operating systems developed by Microsoft, widely used in personal computers.***

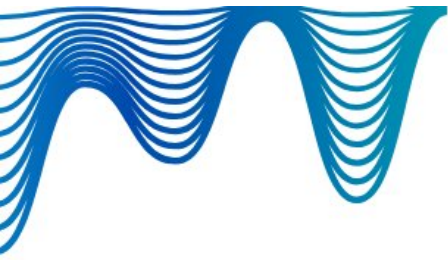
## ***Wildcard***

***A symbol used in search queries or commands to represent any number of characters, typically used to search for patterns in data (e.g., \* or ?).***

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## **Watermark**

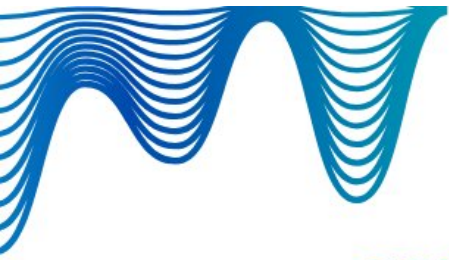
*A faint image or text embedded in a digital file, used to indicate ownership or prevent unauthorized use.*

## **Web Application**

*An application that runs on a web server and is accessed via a web browser (e.g., Google Docs, Gmail).*

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## ***Wearable Technology***

***Devices worn on the body that can collect, process, and transmit data (e.g., smartwatches, fitness trackers).***

## ***Whitelist***

***A list of approved entities (e.g., IP addresses, email addresses) that are allowed access to a system or network.***

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