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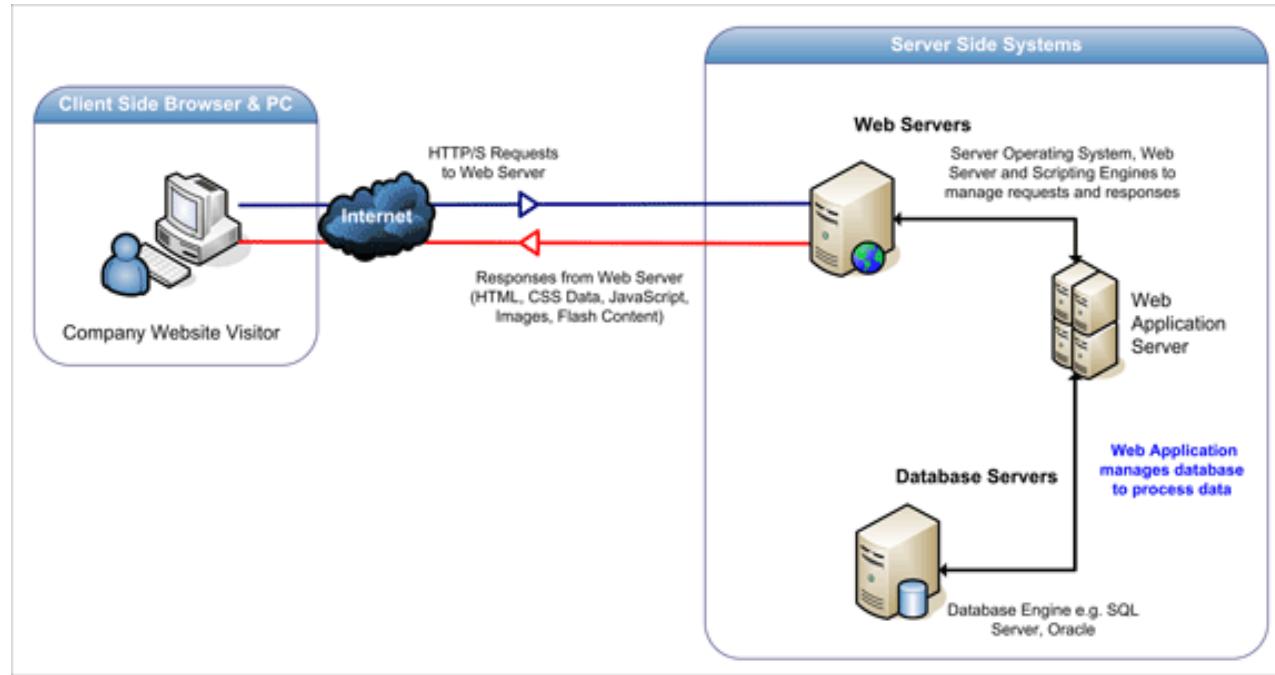
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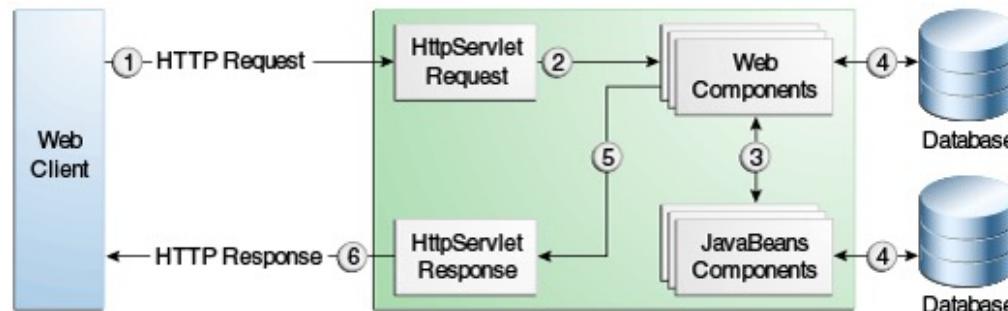
What is web application ?

- Web applications are
 - computer programs allowing website visitors to submit and retrieve data to/from a database over the Internet using their preferred web browser.



Web Applications

- Web applications are of the following types:
 - **Presentation-oriented:** A presentation-oriented web application generates **interactive web pages** containing various types of markup language (HTML, XHTML, XML, and so on) and dynamic content in response to requests.
 - **Service-oriented:** A service-oriented web application implements the **endpoint of a web service**. Presentation-oriented applications are often clients of service-oriented web applications.

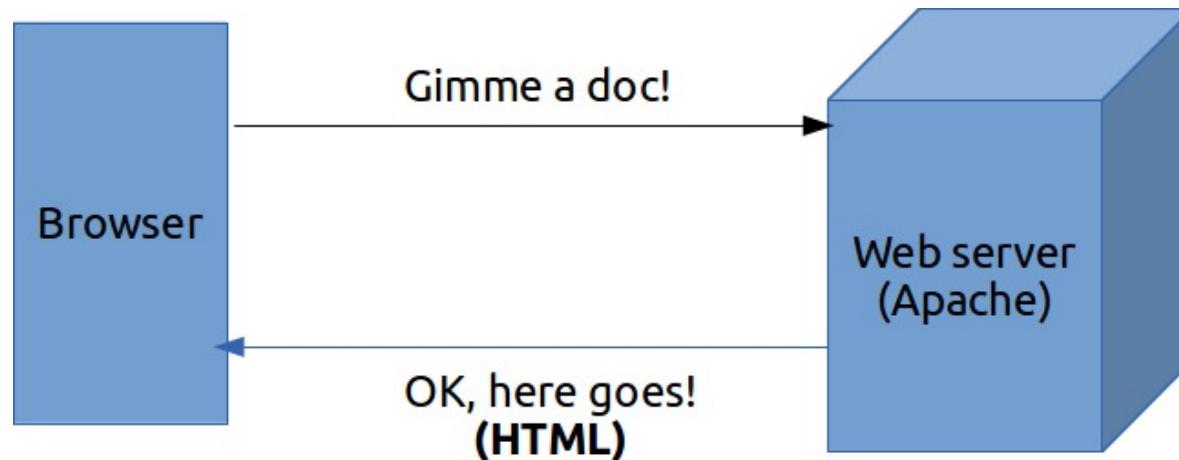


- A web application consists of
 - web components;
 - static resource files, such as images and cascading style sheets (CSS);
 - and helper classes and libraries.
- The web container provides many supporting services that enhance the capabilities of web components and make them easier to develop.

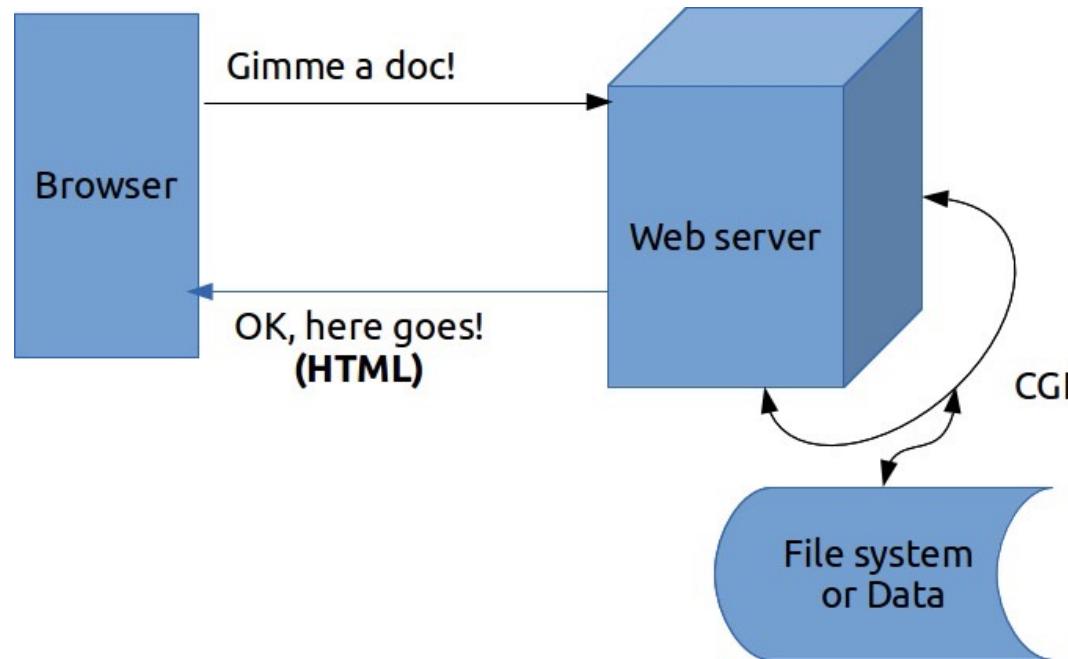
- However,
 - because a web application must take these services into account, the process for creating and running a web application is different from that of traditional stand-alone Java classes.
- The process for creating, deploying, and executing a web application can be summarized as follows:
 1. Develop the web component code.
 2. Develop the web application deployment descriptor, if necessary.
 3. Compile the web application components and helper classes referenced by the components.
 4. Optionally, package the application into a deployable unit.
 5. Deploy the application into a web container.
 6. Access a URL that references the web application.

Static Websites

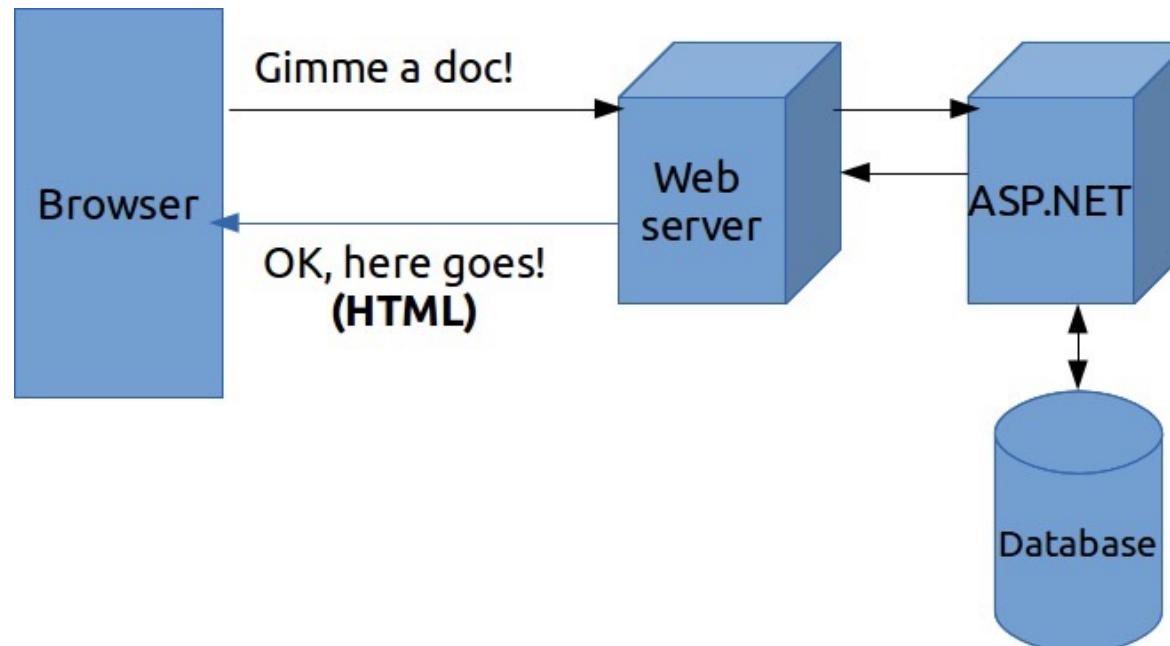
- All are static webpages



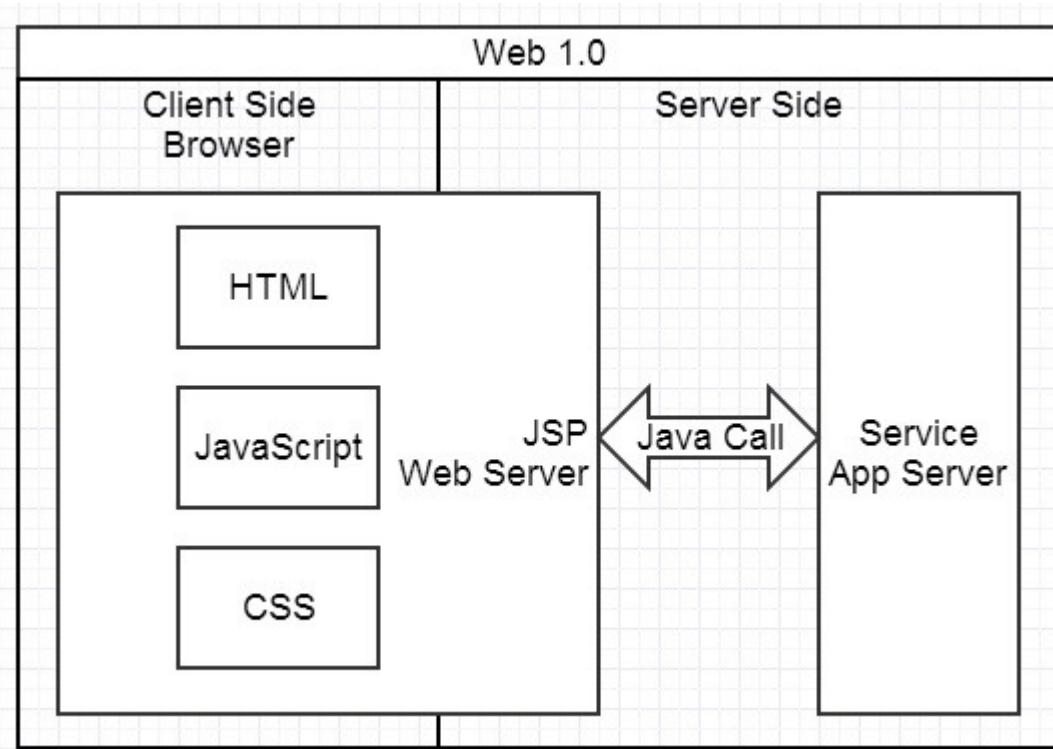
- Dynamic Web application based on CGI



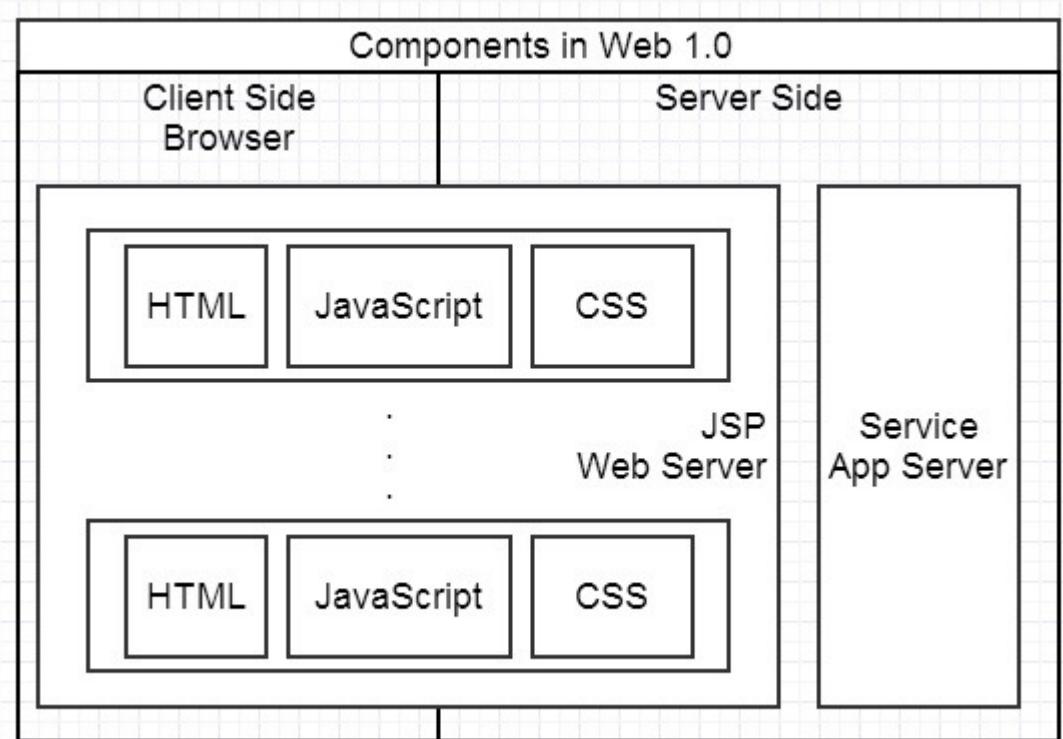
- Dynamic Web application developed with ASP.NET/JSP



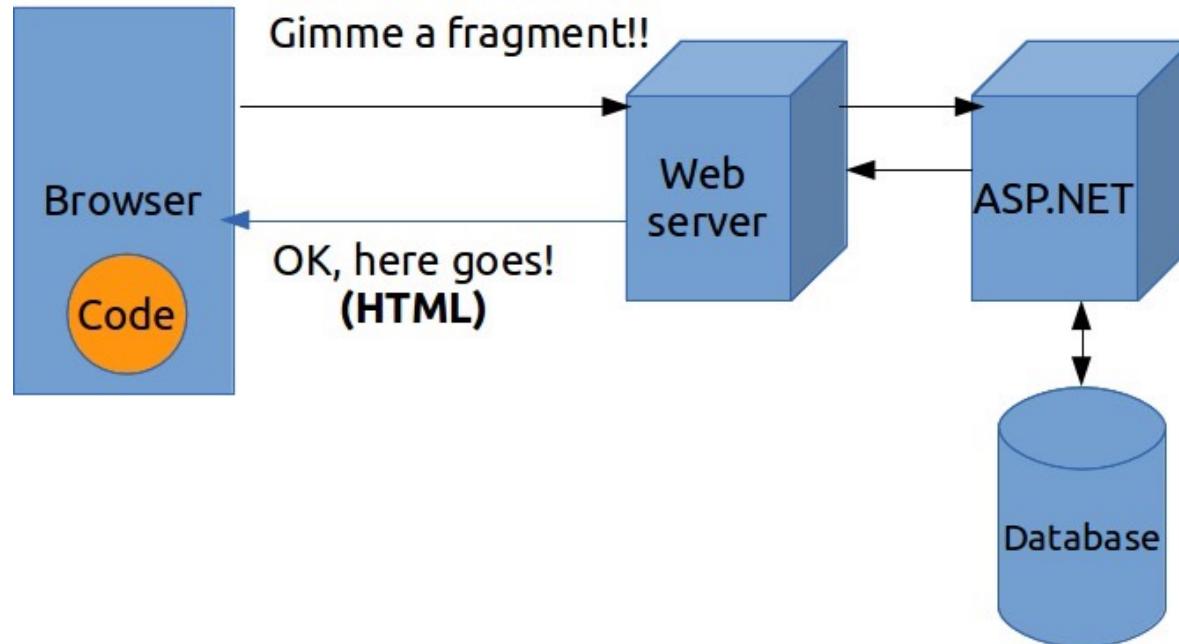
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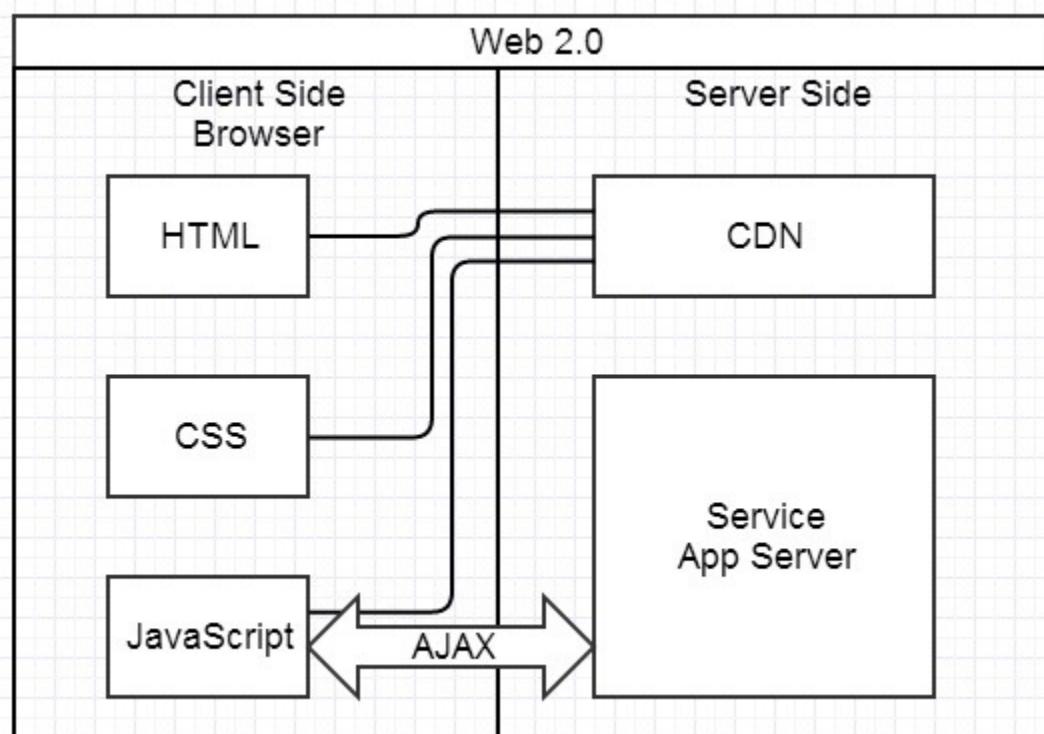
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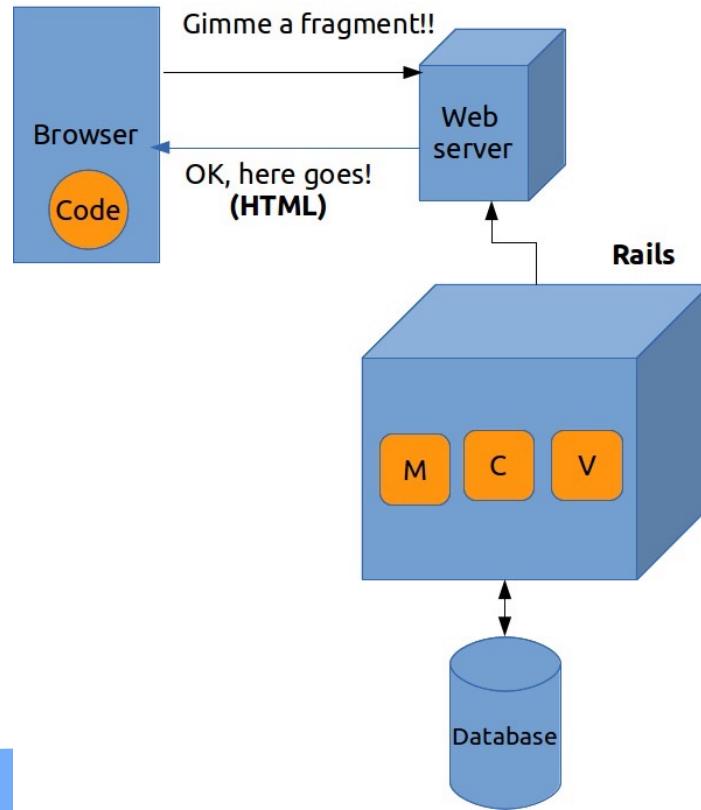
- Ajax brought a new world in 2005



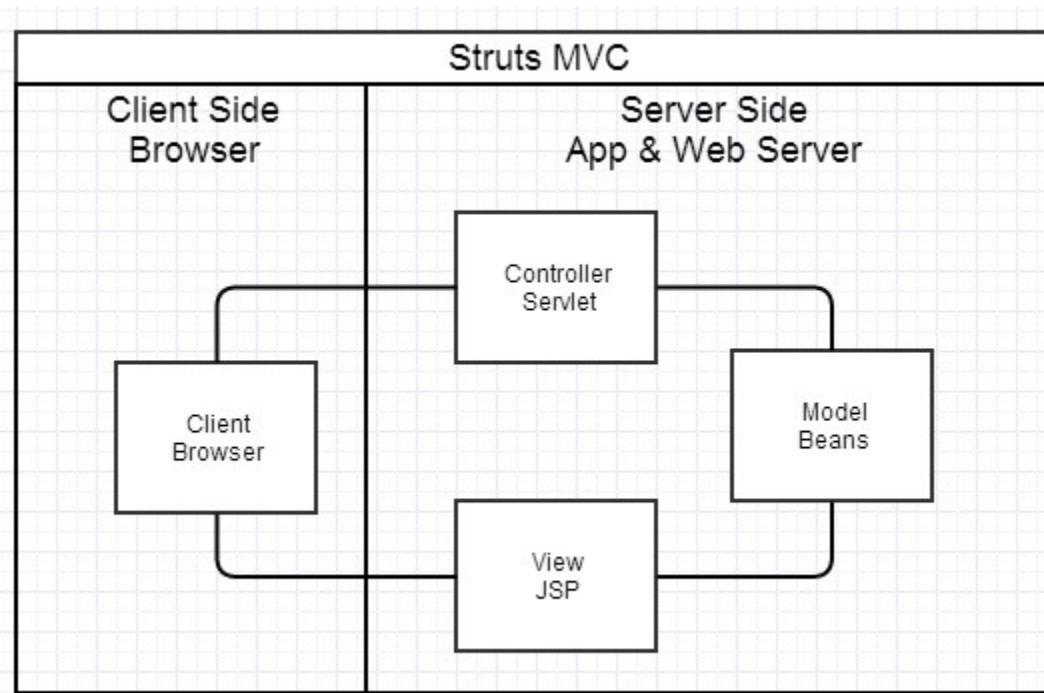
- Single Page Application



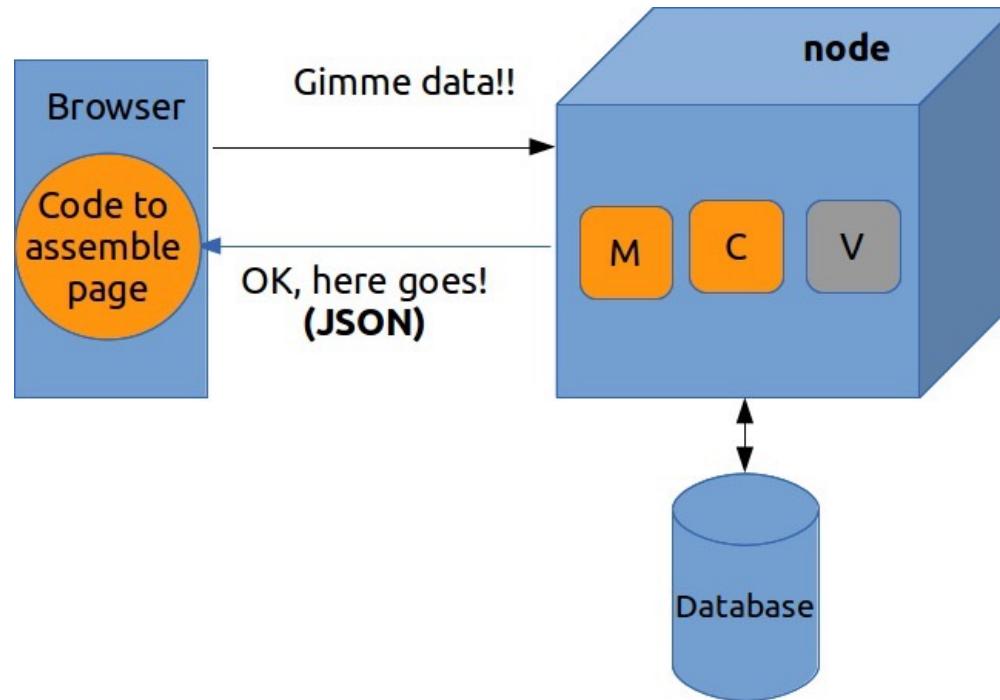
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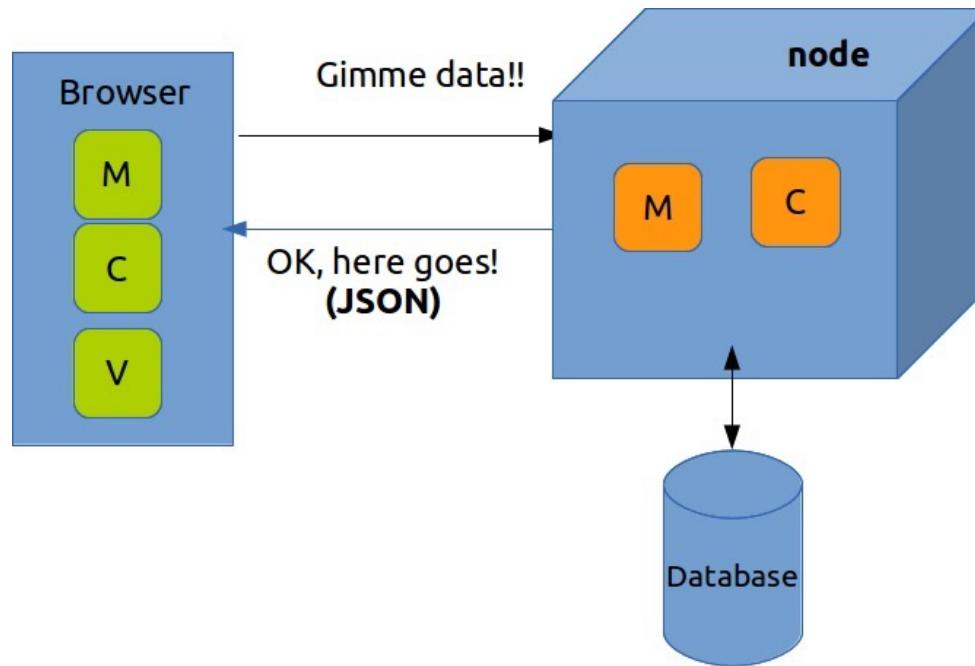
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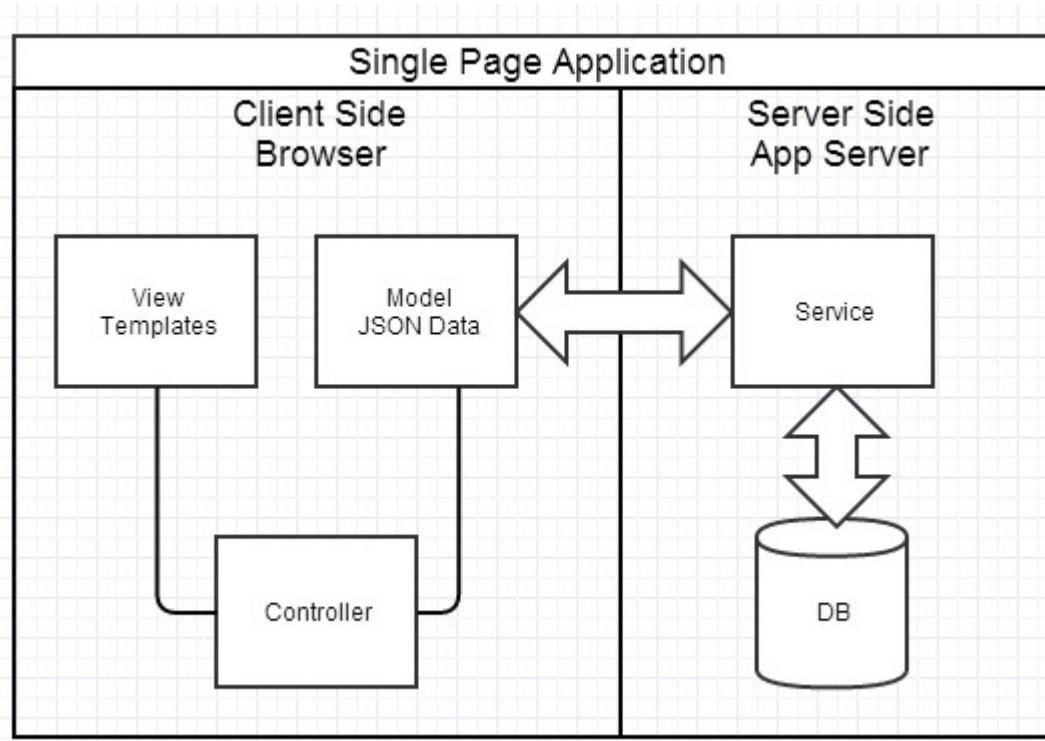
- Assemble page with retrieved data at front-end



- MVC at front-end

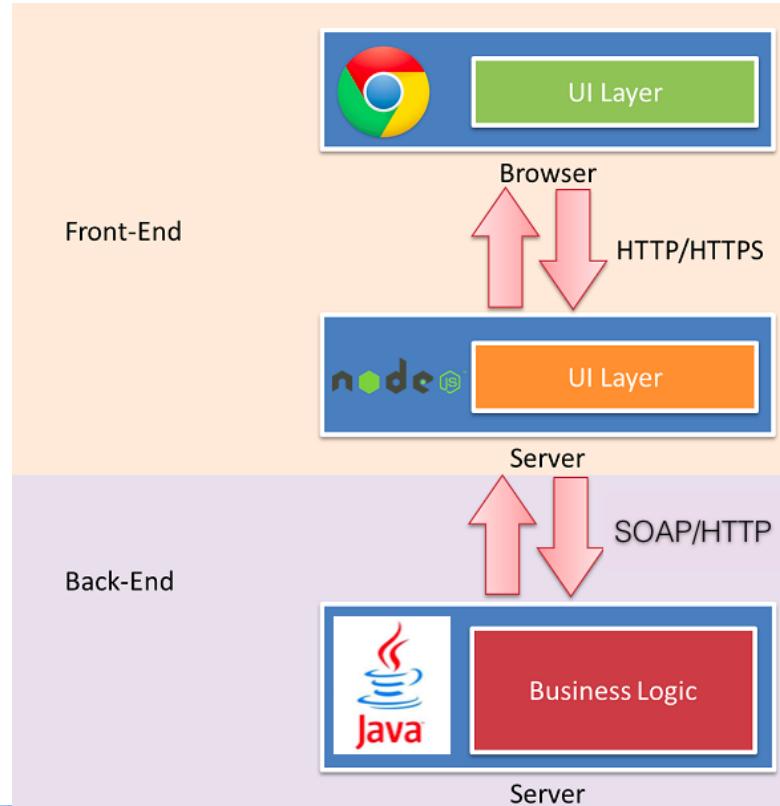


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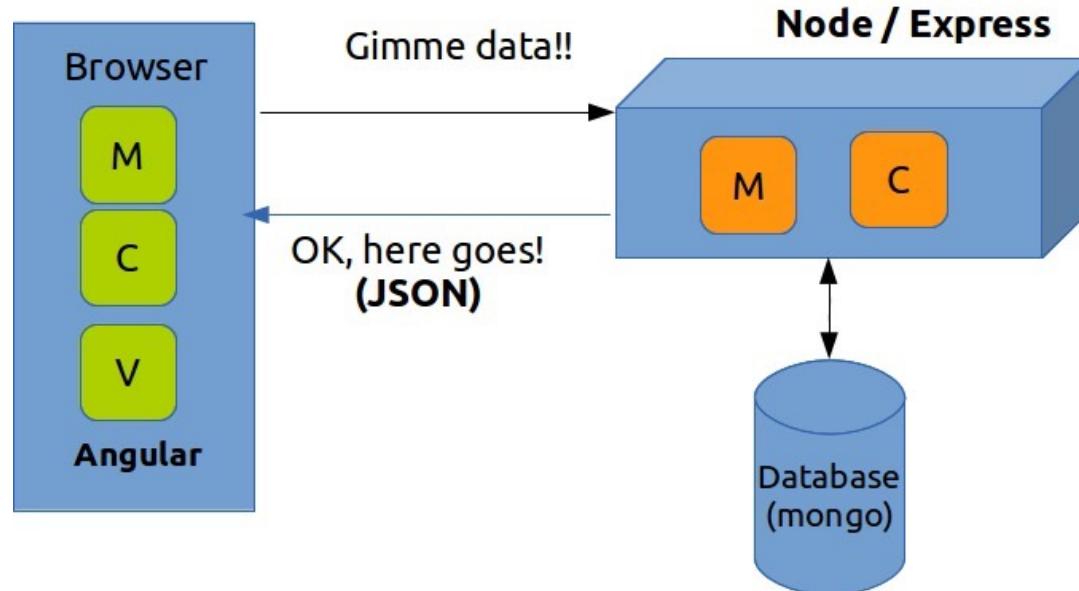
Full-stack JavaScript & REST API

- Node.js



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- MongoDB - JSON



- Web3 is being touted as the future of the internet.
 - The vision for this new, **blockchain-based** web includes **cryptocurrencies, NFTs, DAOs, decentralized finance**, and more.
 - It offers a **read/write/own** version of the web, in which users have a **financial stake** in and more control over the web communities they belong to.
 - Web3 promises to transform the experience of being online as dramatically as PCs and smartphones did.
 - **It is not, however, without risk.**

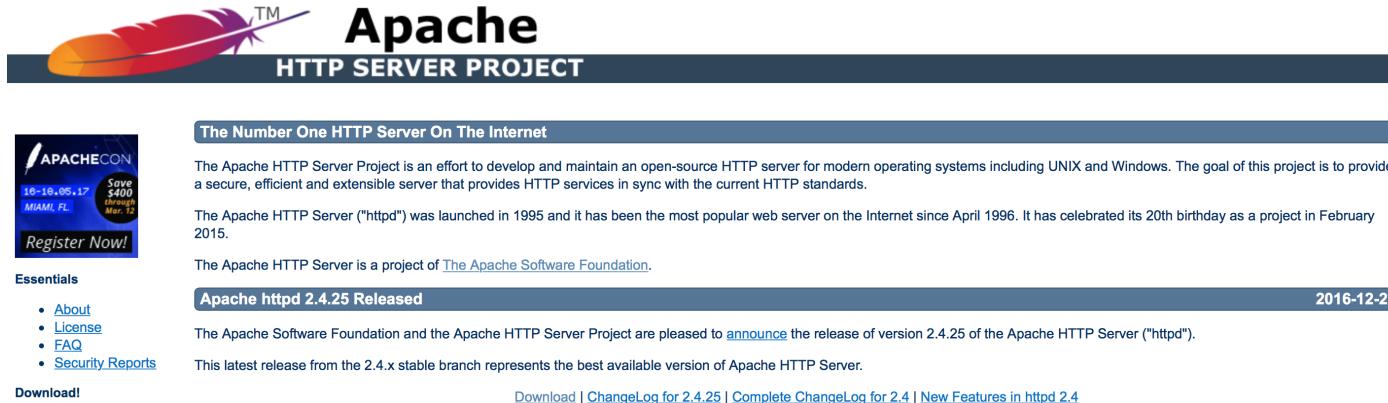
HTML



CSS



- **The Apache HTTP Server**
 - commonly referred to as **Apache** (/ə'pætʃi:/ *a-PA-chee*)
 - is a web server application notable for playing a key role in the initial growth of the World Wide Web User enters interacts with a web page.



The screenshot shows the Apache HTTP Server Project homepage. At the top is a banner featuring a colorful feather logo and the text "Apache HTTP SERVER PROJECT". Below the banner, a dark header bar contains the text "The Number One HTTP Server On The Internet". To the left of this header is a sidebar with a "APACHECON MIAMI, FL Mar. 12" logo and a "Register Now!" button. The main content area includes a paragraph about the project's goal, a history section mentioning its 20th anniversary, and a note that it is a project of the Apache Software Foundation. A news section at the bottom right announces the release of Apache httpd 2.4.25, dated 2016-12-20, with links to download and view the changelog.

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Essentials

- [About](#)
- [License](#)
- [FAQ](#)
- [Security Reports](#)

Apache httpd 2.4.25 Released 2016-12-20

The Apache Software Foundation and the Apache HTTP Server Project are pleased to [announce](#) the release of version 2.4.25 of the Apache HTTP Server ("httpd").

This latest release from the 2.4.x stable branch represents the best available version of Apache HTTP Server.

[Download](#) | [Changelog for 2.4.25](#) | [Complete Changelog for 2.4](#) | [New Features in httpd 2.4](#)

- Run `bin/httpd.exe` (on Windows)
 - The Apache HTTP Server will be running in a command window.
- Run `sudo apachectl start` (on Linux | Mac OS)
 - Mac OS has a built-in Apache HTTP Server.
- Browse `http://localhost`
 - If the Apache HTTP Server is correctly deployed, you will see:



It works!

- Shutdown `sudo apachectl stop` (on Linux | Mac OS)

- PHP
 - Hypertext Preprocessor
 - PHP is a popular general-purpose scripting language that is especially suited to web development.
 - Fast, flexible and pragmatic, PHP powers everything from your blog to the most popular websites in the world.

From <http://www.php.net/>

- LAMP
 - Linux + Apache + MySQL + PHP/Python/Perl
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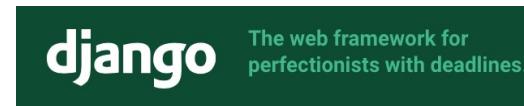
- Ruby on Rails
 - Rails is a web application development framework written in the Ruby language.
 - It is designed to make programming web applications easier by making assumptions about what every developer needs to get started.
 - It allows you to write less code while accomplishing more than many other languages and frameworks.
 - <http://rubyonrails.org>
- If you run bin/rails routes, you'll see that it has defined routes for all the standard RESTful actions.



– Github, Airbnb

Web Frameworks for Python

- Popular Python Full-Stack Frameworks
- Django
 - Django is a high-level Python Web framework that encourages rapid development and clean, pragmatic design.
- TurboGears 2
 - TurboGears 2 is built on top of the experience of several next generation web frameworks including TurboGears 1 (of course), Django, and Rails.
- Web2py
 - Free open source full-stack framework for rapid development of fast, scalable, secure and portable database-driven web-based applications. Written and programmable in Python.
- YouTube

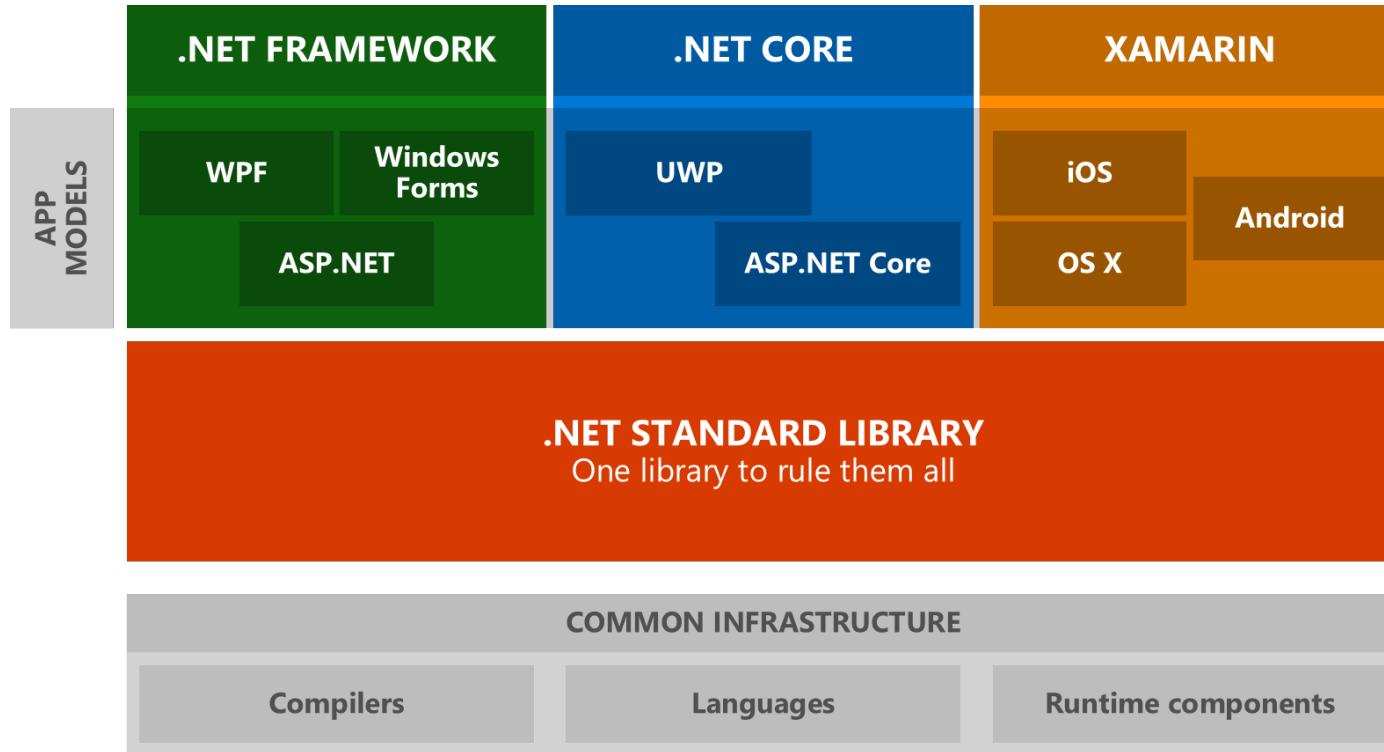


- Node.js
 - Node.js ® is a JavaScript runtime built on Chrome's V8 JavaScript engine.
 - Node.js uses an event-driven, non-blocking I/O model that makes it lightweight and efficient.
 - Node.js' package ecosystem, npm, is the largest ecosystem of open source libraries in the world.
 - Emerging Technology



- Another heavy-weight framework
 - An alternative of Java EE
 - Stackoverflow

The screenshot shows the Microsoft .NET website homepage. At the top, there's a purple header bar with the Microsoft logo and the text "Visual Studio 2017 Launch - March 7-8 > Save the Date!". Below the header, the ".NET" logo is prominently displayed. To the right of the logo are navigation links: DOWNLOADS, LEARN, DOCUMENTATION, COMMUNITY, and SUPPORT. In the center, there's a collage of icons representing various platforms: Windows, iOS, Android, and Linux. A snippet of C# code is overlaid on the collage. To the right of the collage, the text "Develop high performance applications in less time, on any platform." is displayed. At the bottom right, there's a blue "Download" button.



Other Options

- Erlang
 - Erlang is a programming language used to build massively scalable soft real-time systems with requirements on high availability.
- Scala
 - Construct elegant class hierarchies for maximum code reuse and extensibility, implement their behavior using higher-order functions. Or anything in-between.
- Go
 - Go is an open source programming language that makes it easy to build simple, reliable, and efficient software.



[Download Go](#)
Binary distributions available for
Linux, Mac OS X, Windows, and more.

- HTTP functions as a request-response protocol in the client-server computing model.
 - A web browser, for example, may be the *client* and an application running on a computer hosting a website may be the *server*.
 - The client submits an HTTP *request* message to the server.
 - The server, which provides *resources* such as HTML files and other content, or performs other functions on behalf of the client, returns a *response* message to the client.
 - The response contains completion status information about the request and may also contain requested content in its message body.
 - A web browser is an example of a *user agent (UA)*.
 - Other types of user agent include the indexing software used by search providers (web crawlers), voice browsers, mobile apps, and other software that accesses, consumes, or displays web content.

- HTTP resources are identified and located on the network by **Uniform Resource Locators (URLs)**,
 - using the Uniform Resource Identifiers (URI's) schemes *http* and *https*.
 - URIs and hyperlinks in HTML documents form inter-linked hypertext documents.
- Every HTTP URL conforms to the syntax of a generic **URI**. A generic URI is of the form:
 - scheme://[user:password@]host[:port]][/]path[?query][#fragment]
 - For example:
 - https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Uniform_Resource_Locator

- **scheme://[user:password@]host[:port]][/]path[?query][#fragment]**
 - **scheme**,
 - consisting of a sequence of characters beginning with a letter and followed by any combination of letters, digits, plus (+), period (.), or hyphen (-).
 - It is followed by a **colon** (:).
 - Examples of popular schemes include **http**, **ftp**, **mailto**, **file**, **data**, and **irc**.
 - Two slashes (/)
 - This is required by some schemes and not required by some others.
 - An **authority part**, comprising:
 - An optional **authentication** section of a **user name** and **password**, separated by a **colon**, followed by an at symbol (@)
 - A "**host**",
 - consisting of either a **registered name** (including but not limited to a hostname), or an **IP address**.
 - An optional **port number**, separated from the hostname by a **colon**

- **scheme://[user:password@]host[:port]][/]path[?query][#fragment]**
 - A **path**,
 - which contains data, usually organized in hierarchical form, that appears as a sequence of segments separated by slashes.
 - An optional **query**,
 - separated from the preceding part by a **question mark (?)**, containing a query string of non-hierarchical data.
 - Its syntax is not well defined, but by convention is most often a sequence of attribute-value pairs separated by a delimiter.

| Query delimiter | Example |
|-----------------|-------------------------|
| Ampersand (&) | key1=value1&key2=value2 |
| Semicolon (;) | key1=value1;key2=value2 |

- An optional **fragment**,
 - separated from the preceding part by a **hash (#)**. The fragment contains

A Request & A Response

- <http://www.example.com/index.html>

- Client request

GET / HTTP/1.1

Host: www.example.com

User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0

Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8

Accept-Language: en-GB,en;q=0.5

Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate, br

Connection: keep-alive

Request Syntax

- A client sends *request messages* to the server, which consist of:
 - a **request line**, consisting of the case-sensitive request method, a space, the requested URL, another space, the protocol version, a carriage return, and a line feed, e.g.:
`GET /images/logo.png HTTP/1.1`
 - zero or more **request header fields** (at least 1 or more headers in case of HTTP/1.1), each consisting of the case-insensitive field name, a colon, optional leading whitespace, the field value, an optional trailing whitespace and ending with a carriage return and a line feed, e.g.:
`Host: www.example.com`
`Accept-Language: en`
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- HTTP defines methods to indicate the desired action to be performed on the identified resource.
 - GET
 - The GET method requests a representation of the specified resource. Requests using GET should only retrieve data and should have no other effect. **(idempotent)**
 - HEAD
 - The HEAD method asks for a response identical to that of a GET request, but without the response body. **(idempotent)**
 - POST
 - The POST method requests that the server accept the entity enclosed in the request as a new subordinate of the web resource identified by the URI.
 - PUT
 - The PUT method requests that the enclosed entity be stored under the supplied URI. **(idempotent)**
 - DELETE
 - The DELETE method deletes the specified resource. **(idempotent)**

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 - TRACE
 - The TRACE method echoes the received request so that a client can see what (if any) changes or additions have been made by intermediate servers. (**idempotent**)
 - OPTIONS
 - The OPTIONS method returns the HTTP methods that the server supports for the specified URL. This can be used to check the functionality of a web server by requesting '*' instead of a specific resource. (**idempotent**)
 - CONNECT
 - The CONNECT method converts the request connection to a transparent TCP/IP tunnel, usually to facilitate SSL-encrypted communication (HTTPS) through an unencrypted HTTP proxy.
 - PATCH
 - The PATCH method applies partial modifications to a resource.
 - All general-purpose HTTP servers are required to implement at least the **GET** and **HEAD** methods, and, whenever possible, also the **OPTIONS** method.

- Some of the methods (for example, HEAD, GET, OPTIONS and TRACE) are, by convention, defined as *safe*
 - which means they are intended only for information retrieval and should not change the state of the server.
- Methods PUT and DELETE are defined to be *idempotent*,
 - meaning that multiple identical requests should have the same effect as a single request
 - or the response code it returns may be different on subsequent requests, the system state will be the same every time.
- Methods GET, HEAD, OPTIONS and TRACE, being prescribed as safe, should also be idempotent, as **HTTP is a stateless protocol**

Safe methods & Idempotent methods

| HTTP Method ↴ | RFC ↴ | Request Has Body ↴ | Response Has Body ↴ | Safe ↴ | Idempotent ↴ | Cacheable ↴ |
|---------------|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|--------------|-------------|
| GET | RFC 7231 ↗ | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| HEAD | RFC 7231 ↗ | No | No | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| POST | RFC 7231 ↗ | Yes | Yes | No | No | Yes |
| PUT | RFC 7231 ↗ | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| DELETE | RFC 7231 ↗ | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| CONNECT | RFC 7231 ↗ | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |
| OPTIONS | RFC 7231 ↗ | Optional | Yes | Yes | Yes | No |
| TRACE | RFC 7231 ↗ | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | No |
| PATCH | RFC 5789 ↗ | Yes | Yes | No | No | Yes |

Request Header Fields

| Name | Description | Example |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| Accept | Media type(s) that is/are acceptable for the response. See Content negotiation . | Accept: text/html |
| Accept-Charset | Character sets that are acceptable. | Accept-Charset: utf-8 |
| Accept-Datetime | Acceptable version in time. | Accept-Datetime: Thu, 31 May 2007 20:35:00 GMT |
| Accept-Encoding | List of acceptable encodings. See HTTP compression . | Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate |
| Accept-Language | List of acceptable human languages for response. See Content negotiation . | Accept-Language: en-US |
| Cache-Control | Used to specify directives that <i>must</i> be obeyed by all caching mechanisms along the request-response chain. | Cache-Control: no-cache |
| Connection | Control options for the current connection and list of hop-by-hop request fields. ^[14] Must not be used with HTTP/2. ^[15] | Connection: keep-alive Connection: Upgrade |
| Content-Encoding | The type of encoding used on the data. See HTTP compression . | Content-Encoding: gzip |
| Content-Length | The length of the request body in octets (8-bit bytes). | Content-Length: 348 |
| Content-Type | The Media type of the body of the request (used with POST and PUT requests). | Content-Type: application/x-www-form-urlencoded |
| Cookie | An HTTP cookie previously sent by the server with Set-Cookie (below). | Cookie: \$Version=1; Skin=new; |

A Request & A Response

- <http://www.example.com/index.html>
- Server response

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Date: Mon, 23 May 2005 22:38:34 GMT

Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTF-8

Content-Length: 155

Last-Modified: Wed, 08 Jan 2003 23:11:55 GMT

Server: Apache/1.3.3.7 (Unix) (Red-Hat/Linux)

ETag: "3f80f-1b6-3e1cb03b"

Accept-Ranges: bytes

Connection: close

```
<html>
  <head>
    <title>An Example Page</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <p>
      Hello World, this is a very simple HTML document.
    </p>
  </body>
</html>
```

- A server sends *response messages* to the client, which consist of:^[47]
 - a **status line**, consisting of the protocol version, a space, the response status code, another space, a possibly empty reason phrase, a carriage return and a line feed, e.g.:
`HTTP/1.1 200 OK`
 - zero or more response header fields, each consisting of the case-insensitive field name, a colon, optional leading whitespace, the field value, an optional trailing whitespace and ending with a carriage return and a line feed, e.g.:
`Content-Type: text/html`
 - an empty line, consisting of a carriage return and a line feed;
 - an optional message body.

- In HTTP/1.0 and since,
 - the **first line** of the HTTP response is called the *status line* and includes a numeric *status code* (such as "[404](#)") and a textual *reason phrase* (such as "Not Found").
- The **first** digit of the status code defines its class:
 - 1XX (informational) The request was received, continuing process.
 - 2XX (successful) The request was successfully received, understood, and accepted.
 - 3XX (redirection) Further action needs to be taken in order to complete the request.
 - 4XX (client error) The request contains bad syntax or cannot be fulfilled.
 - 5XX (server error) The server failed to fulfill an apparently valid request.

Response Header Fields

| Field name | Description | Example |
|---|---|--|
| Accept-CH | Requests HTTP Client Hints | Accept-CH: UA, Platform |
| Access-Control-Allow-Origin, Access-Control-Allow-Credentials, Access-Control-Expose-Headers, Access-Control-Max-Age, Access-Control-Allow-Methods, Access-Control-Allow-Headers ^[13] | Specifying which web sites can participate in cross-origin resource sharing | Access-Control-Allow-Origin: * |
| Age | The age the object has been in a proxy cache in seconds | Age: 12 |
| Allow | Valid methods for a specified resource. To be used for a <i>405 Method not allowed</i> | Allow: GET, HEAD |
| Content-Encoding | The type of encoding used on the data. See HTTP compression . | Content-Encoding: gzip |
| Content-Language | The natural language or languages of the intended audience for the enclosed content ^[51] | Content-Language: da |
| Content-Length | The length of the response body in octets (8-bit bytes) | Content-Length: 348 |
| Content-Location | An alternate location for the returned data | Content-Location: /index.htm |
| Content-Type | The MIME type of this content | Content-Type: text/html; charset=utf-8 |

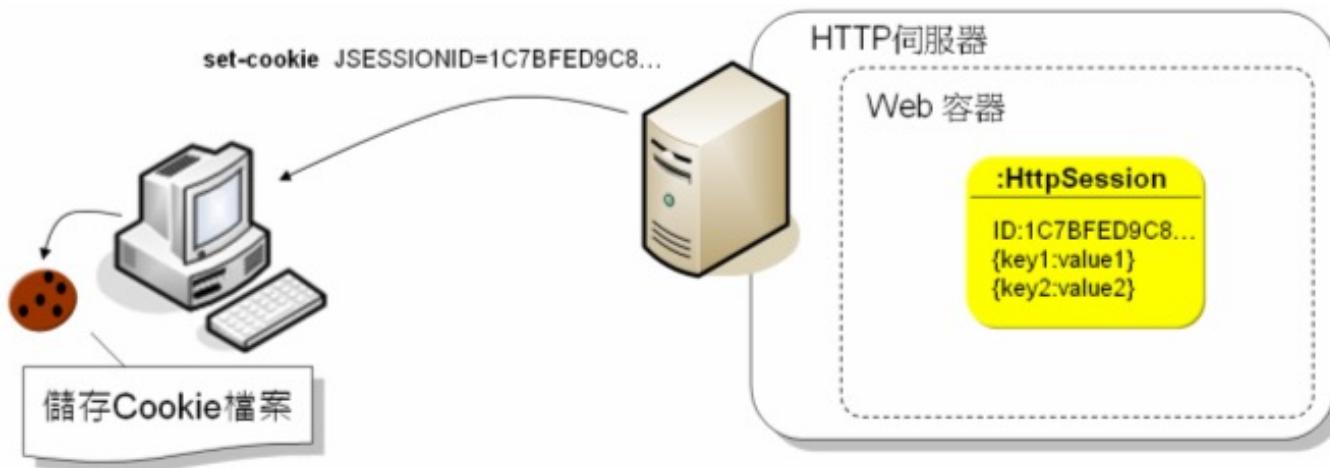
- An HTTP session is a sequence of network request-response transactions.
 - TCP 3-Way Handshake

| EVENT | DIAGRAM |
|---|--|
| <p>Host A sends a TCP SYNchronize packet to Host B</p> <p>Host B receives A's SYN</p> <p>Host B sends a SYN-ACKnowledgement</p> <p>Host A receives B's SYN-ACK</p> <p>Host A sends ACKnowledgement</p> <p>Host B receives ACK.</p> <p>TCP socket connection is ESTABLISHED.</p> |  <p>The diagram shows two computer hosts, labeled 'HOST A' and 'HOST B', each represented by a 3D-style beige server tower icon with a small green light on top. They are positioned side-by-side within a light gray rectangular frame.</p> <p>TCP Three Way Handshake (SYN, SYN-ACK, ACK)</p> |

– from: <http://blog.csdn.net/wangshihui512/article/details/9051819>

HTTP session state

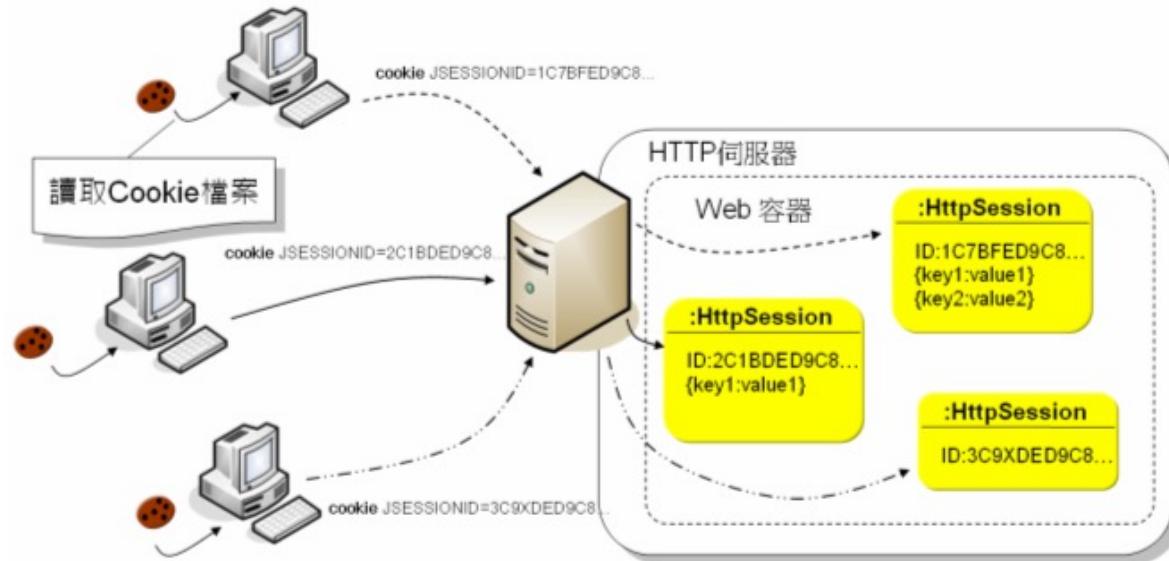
- HTTP is a **stateless** protocol
 - A stateless protocol does not require the HTTP server to retain information or status about each user for the duration of multiple requests.



– *from: <https://www.openhome.cc/Gossip/ServletJSP/BehindHttpSession.html>*

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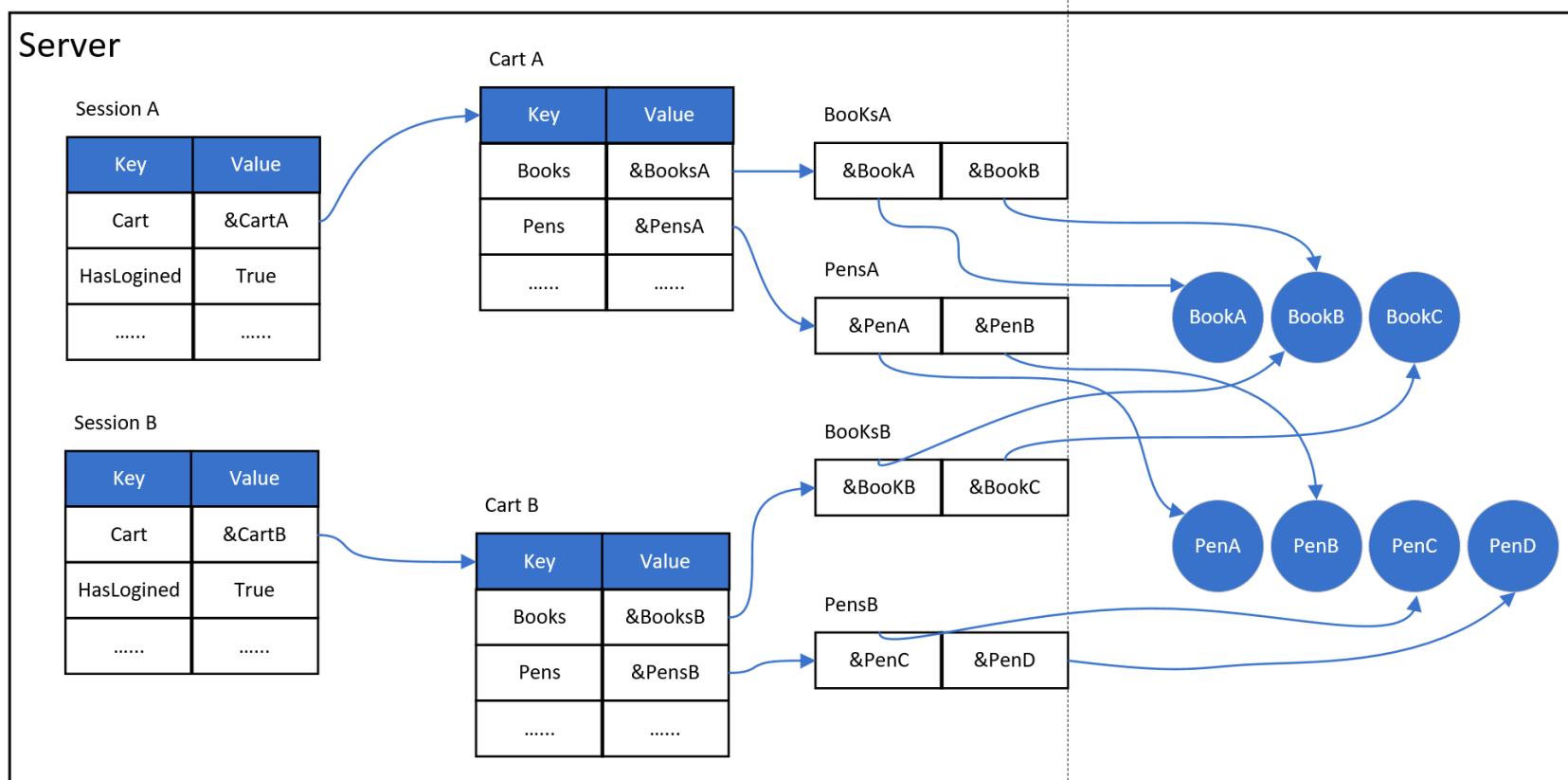
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Chrome Debugging

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The screenshot shows the Postman homepage. At the top, there's a search bar with 'Search Postman' and a 'Upgrade' button. Below the header, there's a section titled 'Recently visited workspaces' with a link to 'My Workspace'. The main content area has a heading 'Postman works best with teams' followed by a paragraph about collaborating in real-time. There are two cards: 'REST API basics' and 'Integration testing'. Under 'Explore popular APIs', there are cards for 'Salesforce Platform APIs' (by Salesforce Developers) and 'PayPal APIs'. On the right side, there's a DevTools panel showing a list of errors related to MobX and EventsMiddleware.js. The bottom right corner has a 'Console' tab and a 'What's New' section.

- Postman is an API platform for building and using APIs.
 - Postman simplifies each step of the API lifecycle and streamlines collaboration so you can create better APIs—faster.
- Download
 - <https://www.postman.com/>
- Docs
 - <https://learning.postman.com/docs/introduction/overview/>



The screenshot shows the Postman application interface with several UI elements annotated:

- RequestMethod**: A red box highlights the "POST" button in the top left.
- URL**: A red box highlights the URL input field containing "http://localhost:8080/user/toLogin".
- 点击发送**: A red box highlights the "Send" button in the top right.
- Cookies**: A red box highlights the "Cookies" tab in the Headers section.
- Request Headers**: A red box highlights the "Headers" section, which contains a JSON object with three entries: { "name": "jjj", "password": "123123" }.
- Request Body**: A red box highlights the "Body" tab, showing the same JSON object: { "name": "jjj", "password": "123123" }.
- Response Body**: A red box highlights the "Pretty" tab in the Response Results section, displaying the JSON response: { "msg": "登录成功", "status": 1, "id": null, "data": { "userType": 3 } }.

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