6 Internet Information Services (IIS)

6.1 Web Server

The term web server can refer to either the hardware (the computer) or the software (the computer application) that helps to deliver web content that can be accessed through the Internet.

The most common use of web servers is to host websites, but there are other uses such as gaming, data storage or running enterprise applications.

- IIS - Internet Information Services,   Microsoft Windows
- Apache Web Server,   Open Source,   Cross-platform: UNIX, Linux, OS X, Windows, ...
- Nginx   (pronounced "engine x")   - Has become very popular latly
- GWS (Google Web Server)
- etc.