

# What do client side and

## server side mean? |

### Client side vs. server

#### side

Client side and server side describe where web application code runs.

Glossary of Terms

## Learning

### Objectives

After reading this article you will be able to:

- Understand the client-server model
- Learn the types of processes that take place on clients and servers

## What is the client-server

Client side and server side are web development terms that describe where application code runs. Web developers will also refer to this distinction as the frontend vs. the backend, although client-side/server-side and frontend/backend aren't quite the same. In a [serverless architecture](#), the serverless vendor hosts and assigns resources to all server-side processes, and the processes scale up as application usage increases.

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