Dynamic Webpages

Introduction

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Web Pages

Client — HTTP Request → Server
Server — HTTP Response → Client

Static Web Pages

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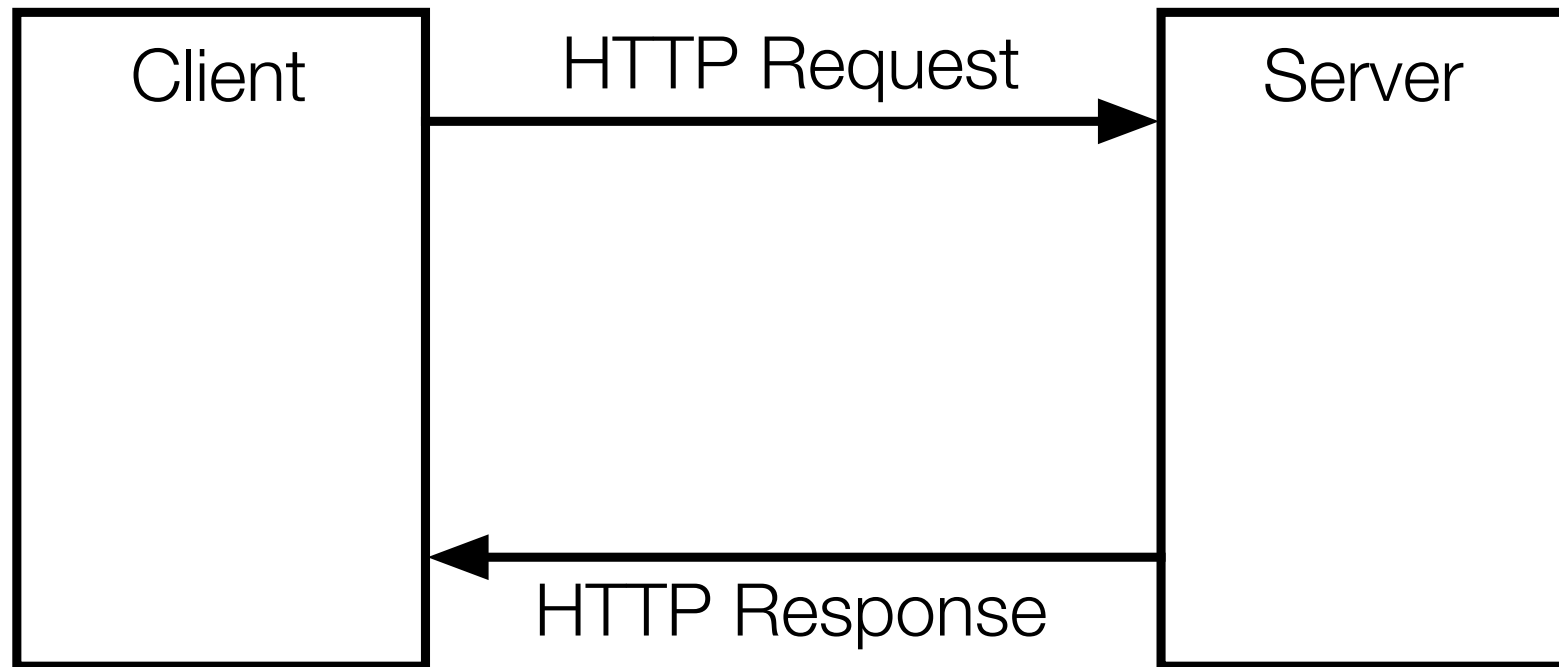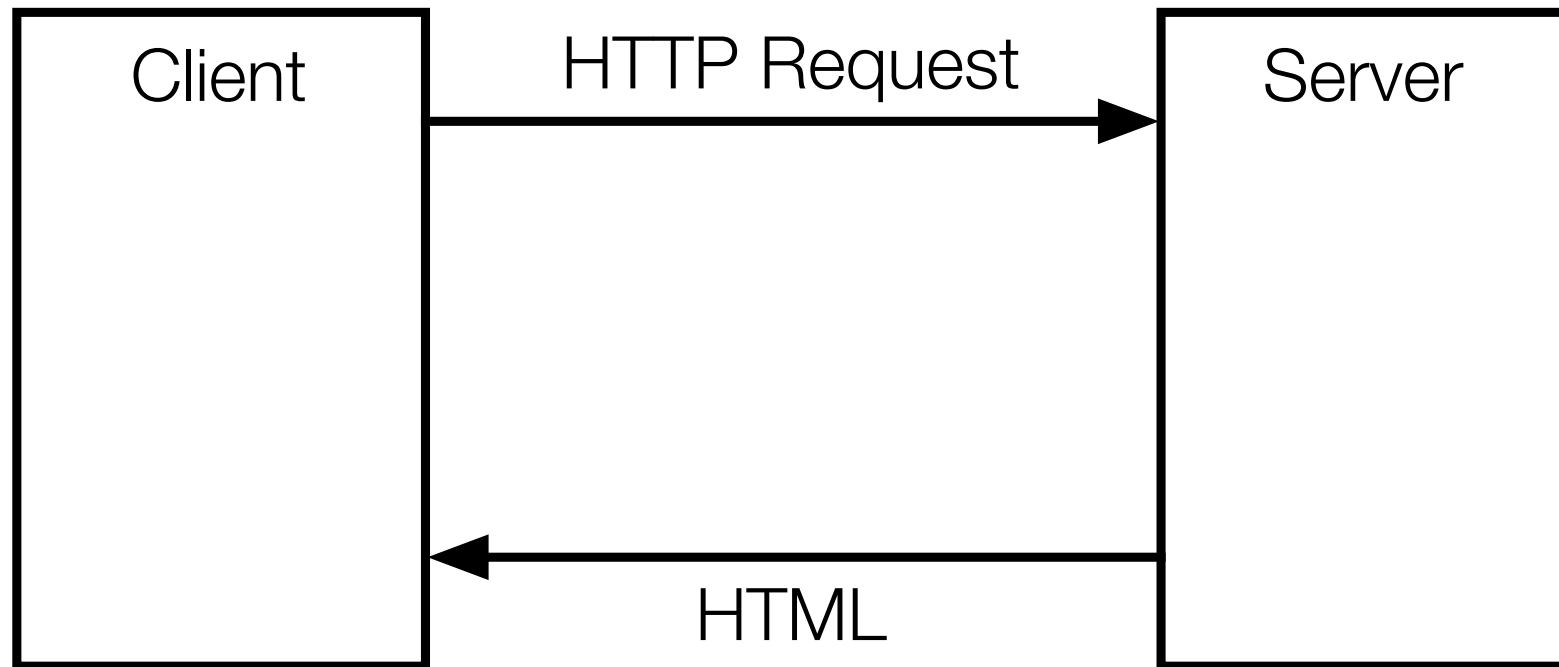SAN FRANCISCO

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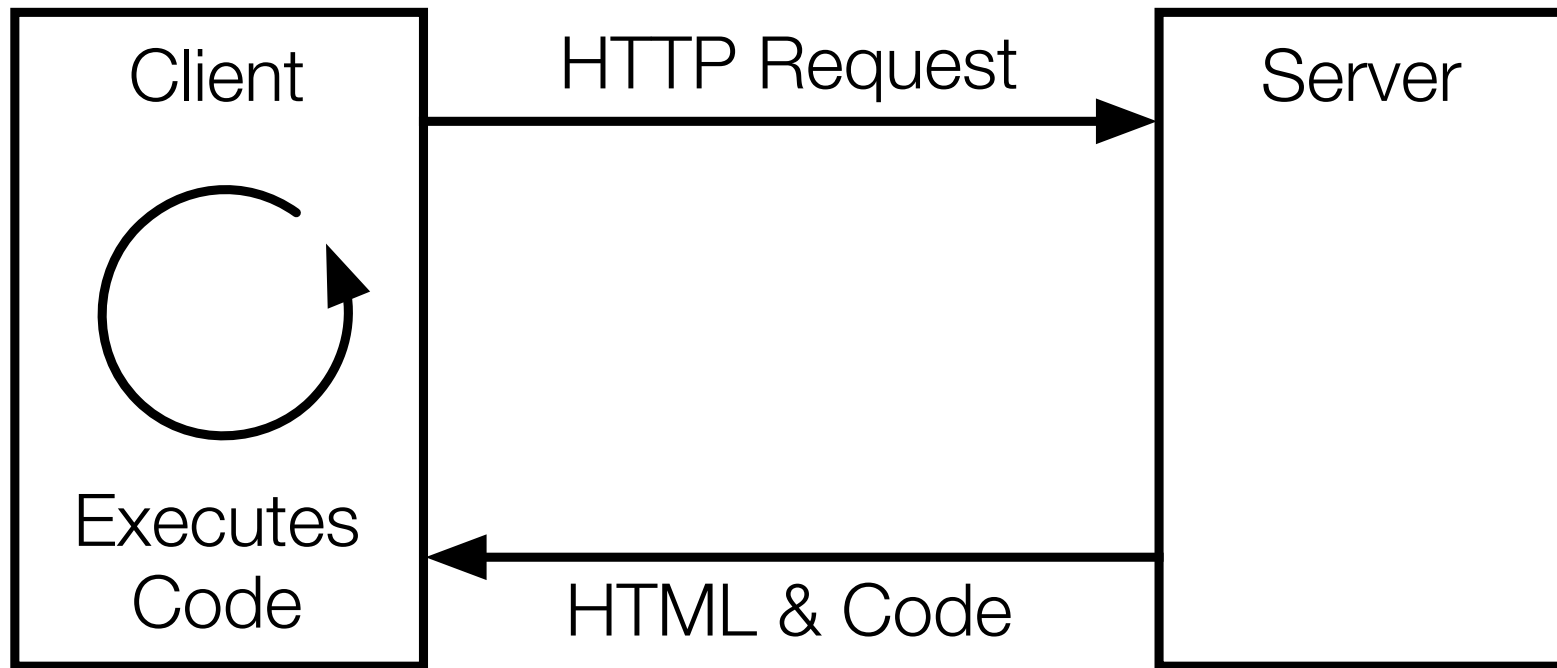
```
1   <!DOCTYPE html>
2   <html>
3   <body>
4
5   <p>This is a paragraph.</p>
6   <p>This is a paragraph.</p>
7   <p>This is a paragraph.</p>
8
9   </body>
10  </html>
```

http://www.w3schools.com/html/tryit.asp?filename=tryhtml_paragraphs1

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Dynamic Web Pages (Client-Side)

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```
1   <!DOCTYPE html>
2   <html>
3   <body>
4
5   <p>Click the button to get a time-based
6   greeting.</p>
7
8   <button onclick="myFunction()">
9       Try it
10  </button>
11
12  <p id="demo"></p>
13
14  <script>
15  function myFunction() {
16  var x = "";
17  var time = new Date().getHours();
18
19  if (time < 20)
20      x = "Good day";
21  else
22      x = "Good evening";
23
24  document.getElementById("demo")
25      .innerHTML=x;
26  }
27  </script>
28
29  </body>
30  </html>
```
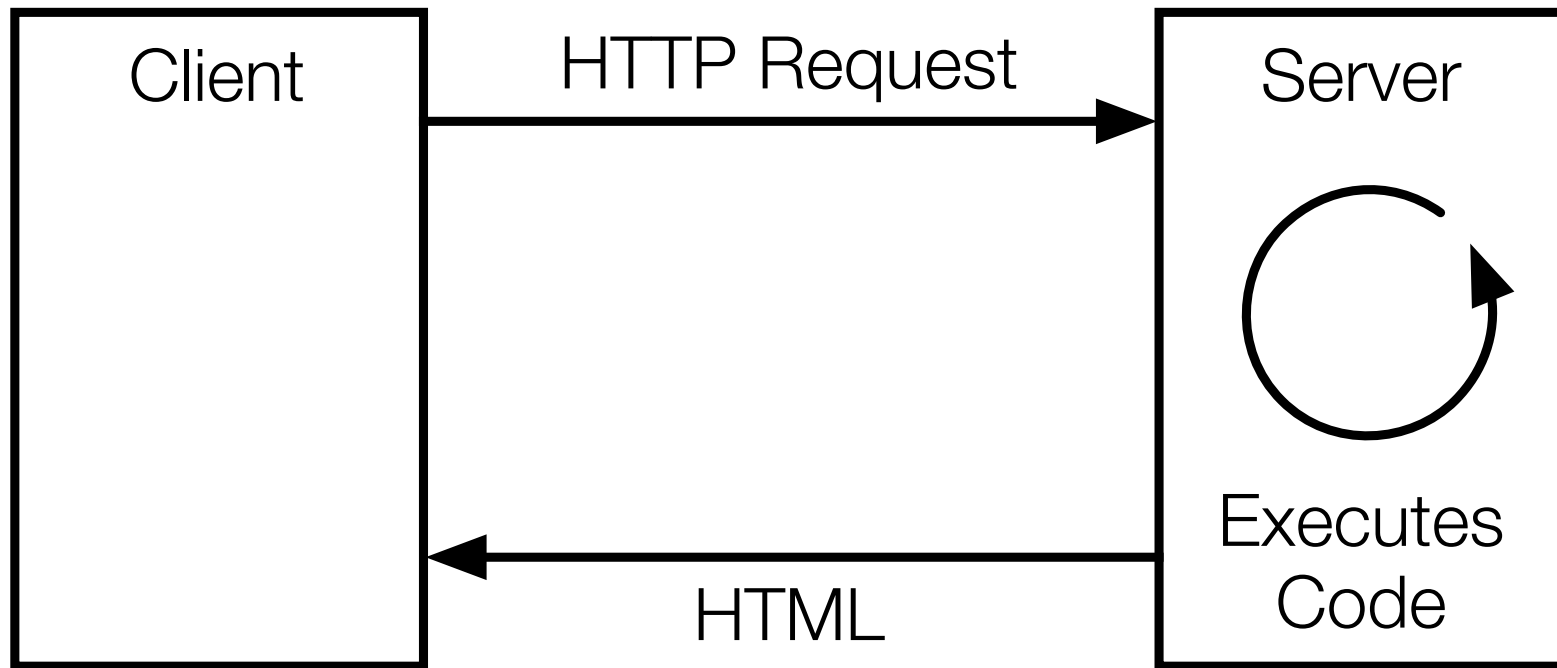
http://www.w3schools.com/js/tryit.asp?filename=tryjs_ifthenelse

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Dynamic Web Page (Server-Side)

```
1   <!DOCTYPE html>
2   <html>
3   <body>
4   <?php
5     if (date("H") < "20") {
6       echo "Have a good day!";
7     }
8   ?>
9   </body>
10  </html>
```

http://www.w3schools.com/php/php_if_else.asp

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Dynamic Web Pages

- **Client-Side**
  - Server returns HTML and code, client executes code
  - Examples include **Javascript**, **applets**, etc.

- **Server-Side**
  - Server executes code, and returns only HTML
  - Examples that generate HTML include CGI scripts (**Python**, **Perl**) and **servlets** (**Java**)
  - Examples that embed code in HTML include **PHP**, **JSP**

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