



What is a web application?



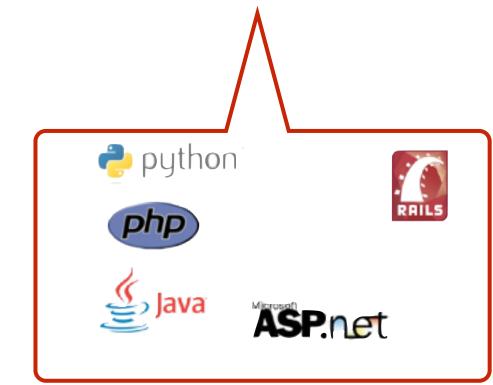








program running on the server



program running on the browser

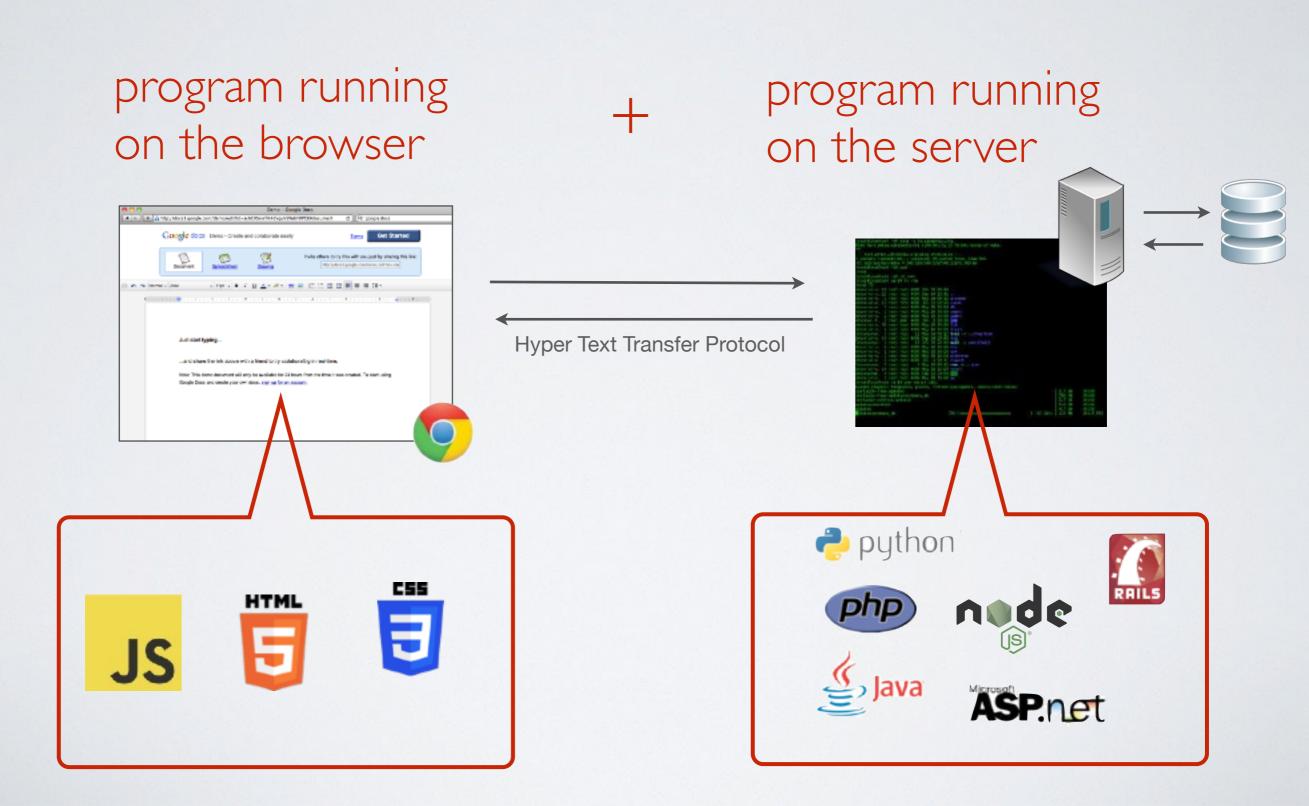






Hyper Text Transfer Protocol

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The HTTP protocol

Stateless application layer protocol for requesting/receiving data on the Web

- Standard TCP protocol on port 80 (by default)
- URI/URL specifies what resource is being accessed
- Different request methods
- Evolution: ... HTTP/I.I, HTTP/2.0, HTTP/3.0
- Clients are also called "User-agents"