Web Programming with PHP and Javascript

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<html>
   <head>
        <title>Bacon Ipsum</title>
    </head>
    <body>
            Bacon ipsum dolor sit amet chuck
            sirloin shank andouille.
    </body>
</ht.ml>
```

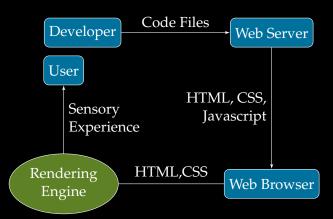
Trends in the Tech:

- maximizing code reuse
- improving semantics and modularity
- increasing interactivity and media support

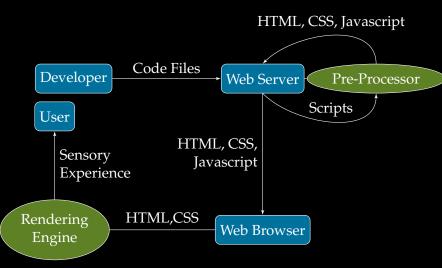
Trends in the Tools:

- generating code automatically
- enforcing MVC design patterns
- augmenting code dynamically

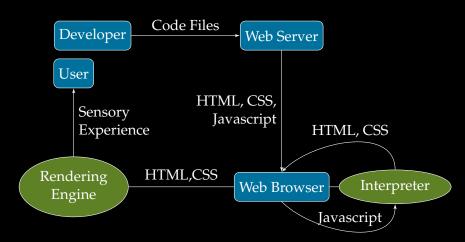
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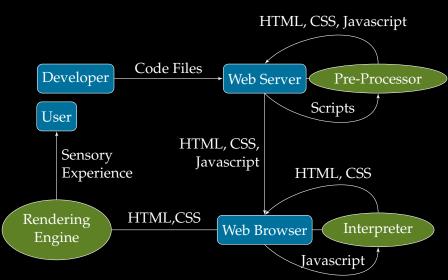
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PHP

PHP: Hypertext Preprocessor³

```
<?php
    $myVar = 'Hello World!';
    echo $myVar;
?>
```

- Imperative
- Recent class-based Object Oriented Programming support
- Loosely typed
- Embeddable
- ▶ Good documentation of syntax and libraries

Not related to Java!

- Imperative
- Prototype-based OOP
- Functional programming capability
- Loosely typed
- Embeddable
- Can be used server- or client-side
- Many robust libraries for out-of-the-box functionality
 - ▶ jQuery
 - mooTools
 - Dojo
 - ► Node.js

- ▶ Install an AMP stack (Apache server, MySQL, PHP)
- Get a good, lightweight text editor⁴
- Extend your browser's inspection tools (Optional)

Windows

- WAMP **XAMPP**
- ► Sublime Text 2 Notepad++

Mac

- MAMP XAMPP
- ► Sublime Text 2 **TextWrangler**

Linux

- BitNami LAMP XAMPP
- ▶ Sublime Text 2 VIM

Chrome

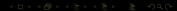
Firebug Lite

Firefox

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Safari

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A BASIC PHP EXAMPLE

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```
<?php
    $employeeArray =
        array('Tom','Jerry','Jack','Sally');

for($i = 0; $i < sizeof($myBasicArray); $i++){
        echo $myBasicArray[$i] . '\n';
}
?>
```

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    $employeeArray =
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    for (\$i = 0; \$i < sizeof(\$myBasicArray); \$i++)
        echo $myBasicArray[$i] . '<br />';
?>
```

AN EMBEDDED PHP EXAMPLE

```
<html>
  <head><title>Embedded PHP Demo</title></head>
  <body><h1>Employees</h1>
    <thead>Name
           Job Title</thead>
      </body>
</html>
```

AN EMBEDDED JAVASCRIPT EXAMPLE

```
<ht.ml>
   <head><title>Javascript Demo</title>
   <script>
   </script> </head>
   <body>
      <form name="new-employee">
         Name: <input type="text" id="employee-name"><br />
         Title: <input type="text" id="job-title"><br />
         <input type='button' onclick='addEmployee()' value='Submit Emp</pre>
      <thead>NameJob Title
         </body>
</html>
```

END NOTES

¹Check out w3schools to read up on HTML.

²Check out Tizag's Javascript tutorials

³PHP is a recursive acronym

⁴For our purposes, heavy duty editors like "Eclipse for PHP Developers" will be cumbersome and unnecessary. If given the choice between your computer's basic text editing environment and a bulky project management editor, choose the former.