The Browser's High Level Structure

THE BROWSER'S MAIN COMPONENTS:

1. The user interface

this includes the address bar, back/forward button, bookmarking menu etc, except the window where you see the requested page.

2. The browser engine

marshals(安排) actions between the UI and the rendering engine.

3. The rendering engine

responsible for displaying requested content.

4. Networking

for network calls such as HTTP requests.

5. UI backend

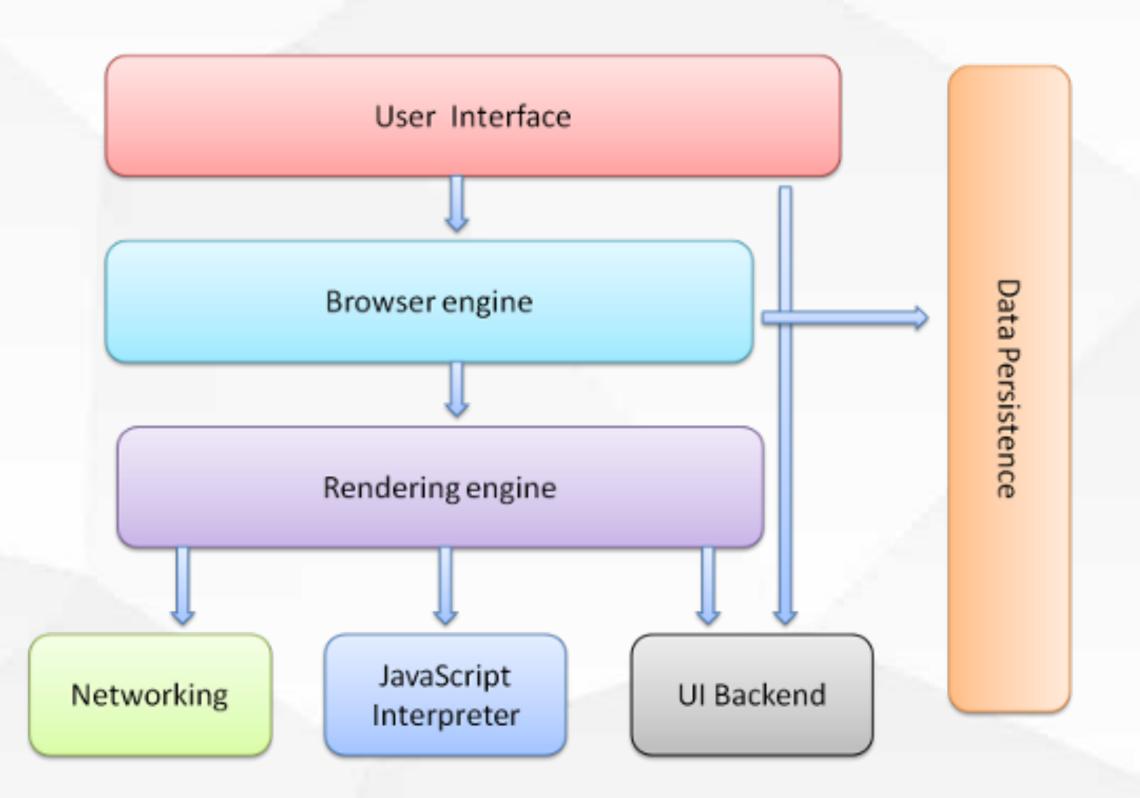
used for drawing basic widgets like combo boxes and windows. This backend exposes a generic interface that is not platform specific.

6. JavaScript interpreter

Used to parse and execute JavaScript code.

7. Data storage

Persistence layer to save all sorts of data locally, such as cookies localStorage, IndexedDB, WebSQL and FileSystem.



MAIN COMPONENTS OF BROWSER

2.The rendering engine