WEB BROWSERS

A Web browser is a program that lets you view and explore information on the Web.

There are different kinds of browsers available on the Internet. The most used browsers on every home and offices are Internet Explorer, mozilla Firefox and Opera.

Popular Web Browsers

Windows Internet Explorer

Windows Internet Explorer is a series of graphical Web browsers developed by Microsoft and included as part of the Microsoft Windows line of operating systems. It is in rank 4 as of writing of this book, and was overtaken by its competitors to name a few like Firefox, Chrome and Opera and Safari.



FireFox Mozilla

Meet the World's best browser made just the way you like it. It is customizable in the look and feel. Futhermore, it has many features like private browsing, superspeed, session restore, tabs, password manager and many more. FireFox is wholly-owned by Mozilla Corporation/Foundation.

Opera

Opera is a Web browser and Internet suite developed by the Opera Software company. The browser handles common Internet-related tasks such as displaying Web sites, sending and receiving e-mail messages, managing contacts, chatting on IRC, downloading files via BitTorrent, and reading Web feeds. Opera is offered free of charge for personal computers and mobile phones.

Bing

Bing formerly Live Search, Windows Live Search, and MSN Search is a web search engine from Microsoft. Bing announced that it is working on new back-end search infrastructure, with the goal of delivering faster and more relevant search results for users known as "Tiger," the new index-serving technology is being incorporated into Bing globally starting in August 2011.

Chrome

Google Chrome is a freeware web browser[10] developed by Google. It was first released as a beta version for Microsoft Windows on September 2, 2008, and as a stable public release on December 11, 2008. As of January 2015, StatCounter estimates that Google Chrome has a 51% worldwide usage share of web browsers, indicating that it is the 2nd most widely used web browser in the world.



Lab. 2.3 Almost Famous

Estimated Completion time: 15 - 20 Minutes

Directions:

- 1. Launch **Inspiration**.
- 2. Open and perform **Almost Famous**.
- 3. Give at least four (4) popular Web browsers. Use the Internet to search for the necessary information.
- 4. Plot your answers in the diagram.
- 5. Follow the instructions properly to perform the activity correctly.
- 6. Save the activity as **AlmostFamous**.

Preview:



