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# WEB PROGRAMMING & APPLICATIONS

## CHAPTER 5: PHP - MYSQL

### LESSON 07 – ADVANCED PHP

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2. File Handling
3. Cookies
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# 1. HTML Form Handling

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- ▶ HTML Forms
- ▶ GET vs POST Method
- ▶ When to use GET and POST
- ▶ URL Encoding
- ▶ Handing POST and GET data in PHP

# HTML Forms

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- ▶ HTML forms are used to pass data to a server via several input elements.
- ▶ All input elements are placed in between **<form>** and **</form>**.

```
1 <form action="">
2   Email: <input type="text" name="email"><br/>
3   Password: <input type="password" name="pass"><br/>
4   <input type="submit" value="Login" />
5 </form>
```



# GET Method

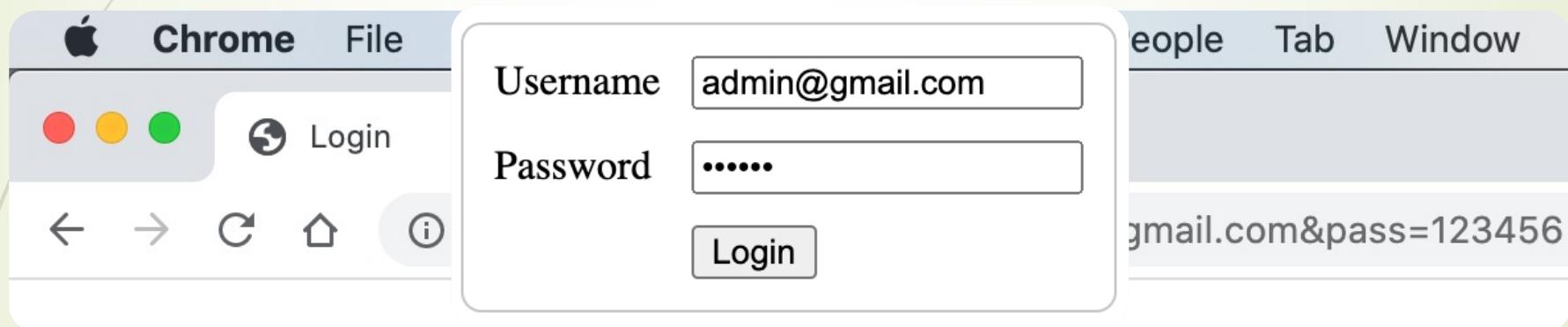
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- ▶ Information is **visible** to everyone.
- ▶ All variable names and values are **displayed** in the URL.
- ▶ GET Request **can be bookmarked**.
- ▶ Only **ASCII** characters are supported.
- ▶ GET has a limitation of **2KB payload**.

`http://localhost/login.php?  
email=admin%40gmail.com&pass=123456`

# GET Method

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# POST Method

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- ▶ Information is **invisible** to everyone.
- ▶ All variable names and values are attached to **HTTP Body**.
- ▶ POST request **can not be bookmarked**.
- ▶ No restriction on data type, **binary data** is also supported.
- ▶ Support **unlimited** of data size.
- ▶ More **secure** than GET.

# POST vs GET

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- ▶ Use GET request for non-sensitive data.
- ▶ Use POST request for: sensitive data like username, password, bank transactions, file uploading. (**Other security mechanisms should also be applied**).
- ▶ Use GET request when we allow user to bookmark the page:

<https://timkiem.vnexpress.net/?q=corona>

# URL Encoding

- ▶ Before the browser sends the information, it encodes it using a scheme called **URL encoding**.
- ▶ In this scheme, name/value pairs are joined with **equal signs** and different pairs are separated by the ampersand.

`http://localhost/login.php?email=abc@gmail.com&pass=123456`

- ▶ Spaces are removed and replaced with the **+** character and any other nonalphanumeric characters are replaced with a hexadecimal values.

Tuyển sinh → tuy%E1%BB%83n+sinh

# Handling GET Request

- The PHP provides **`$_GET`** associative array to access all the sent information using **GET** method.

```
1 <?php
1 <    $email = $_GET['email'];
2     $pass = $_GET['pass'];
3
4     if ($email == 'admin' && $pass == '123456'){
5         // correct id
5     }else {
6         // incorrect id
7     }
8
9
10 ?>
```

# Handling POST Request

- The PHP provides **`$_POST`** associative array to access all the sent information using POST method.

```
1 <?php
2     $email = $_POST['email'];
3     $pass = $_POST['pass'];
4
5     if ($email == 'admin' && $pass == '123456') { ;$">
6         // correct id
7     }else {
8         // incorrect id
9     }
10 ?>
```

# PHP Form Validation

- ▶ We better check if data is available before accessing them in `$_GET` and `$_POST`.
- ▶ `Isset()`
  - ▶ returns `false` if the parameter is null
  - ▶ returns `true` if the parameter is not null, but the parameter may be empty.
- ▶ `empty():`
  - ▶ returns `true` if the parameter is null or zero-length string.
  - ▶ returns false if the parameter has value or has length greater than zero.

# PHP Form Validation

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- ▶ \$a = NULL;
- ▶ \$b = '';
- ▶ \$c = 'Hello';

	<code>isset()</code>	<code>empty()</code>
\$a	false	true
\$b	true	true
\$c	true	false

# PHP Form Validation

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```
1 <?php
2     if (isset($_POST['email']) && isset($_POST['pass'])) {
3
4         $email = $_POST['email'];
5         $pass = $_POST['pass'];
6
7         if (empty($email) || empty($pass)) {
8             echo "Vui lòng nhập email & password";
9         }
10        else if ($email == 'admin' && $pass == '123456') {
11            echo "Đăng nhập thành công";
12        }else {
13            echo "Sai email hoặc password";
14        }
15    }else {
16        echo "Vui lòng sử dụng login form";
17    }
18 ?>
```

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1. HTML Form Handling
2. **File Handling**
3. Cookies
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## 2. File Handling

- ▶ File handling is an important part of any web application.
- ▶ When you are manipulating files you must be very careful.
- ▶ Common errors are: editing the wrong file, filling a hard-drive with garbage data, and deleting the content of a file by accident.
- ▶ File handling in PHP is very similar to file handling in C language.

## 2. File Handling

- ▶ File reading
- ▶ File writing

# Open a file

- ▶ The PHP **fopen()** is used to open a file for reading/writing.
- ▶ The first parameter of **fopen()** contains the name of the file to be opened and the second parameter specifies in which mode the file should be opened.

```
1 <?php  
2     $myFile = fopen('data.txt','rt')  
3         or die('Can not open data.txt');  
4 ?>  
5
```

# Open a file

- The file may be opened in one of the following modes:

Mode	Description
r	Open a file for read only
w	Write only. Opens and truncates the file; or creates a new file if it doesn't exist. Place file pointer at the beginning of the file.
a	Write only. Opens and writes to the end of the file or creates a new file if it doesn't exist.
r+	Read/Write. Starts at the beginning of the file.
w+	Read/Write. Opens and truncates the file; or creates a new file if it doesn't exist. Place file pointer at the beginning of the file.
a+	Read/Write. Preserves file content by writing to the end of the file.

## Read a file

► Here are the required steps to read a file with PHP.

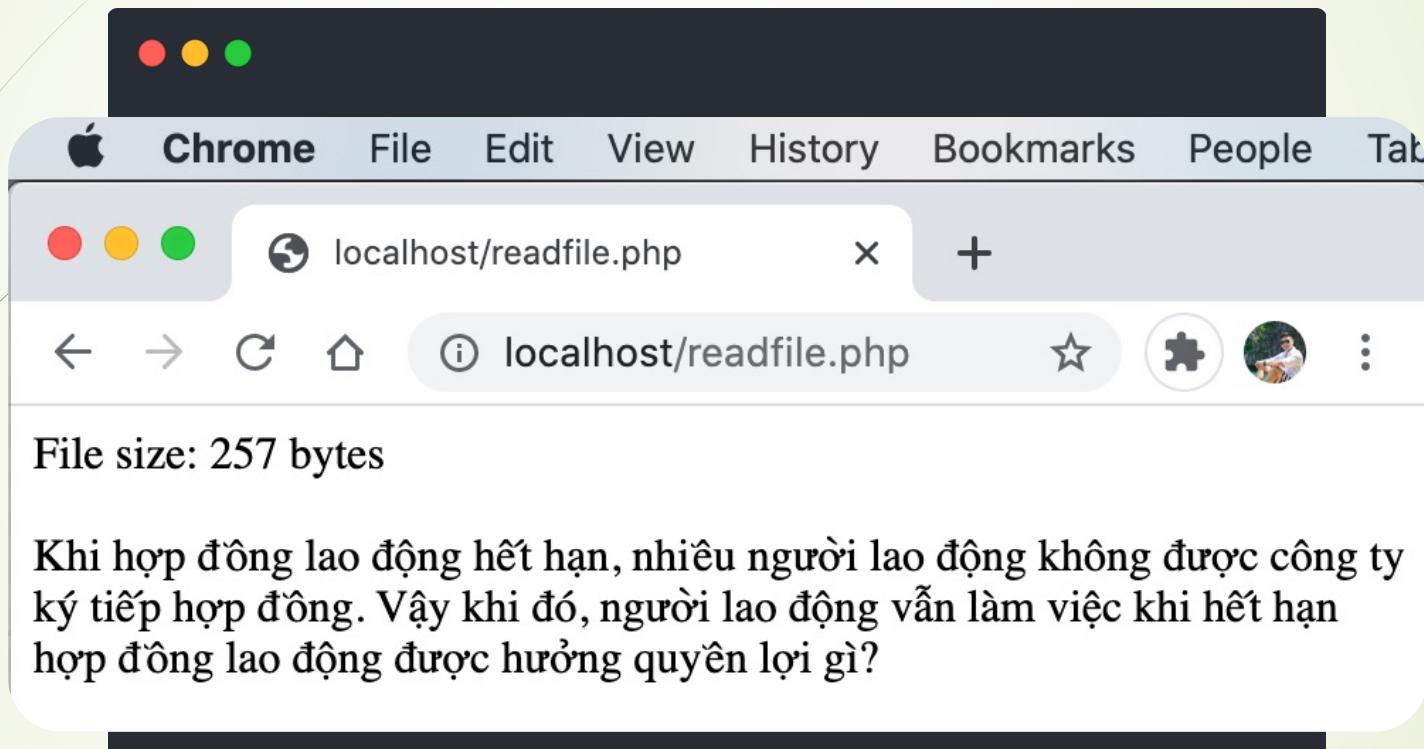
1. Open a file using `fopen()` function.
2. Get the file's length using `filesize()` function.
3. Read the file's content using `fread()` function.
4. Close the file with `fclose()` function.

# File reading functions

- ▶ **fread()**: read blocks of bytes
- ▶ **fgets()**: read a line
- ▶ **fgetc()**: read a character
- ▶ **file\_get\_contents()**: read all content of a file without opening.

# Read a file

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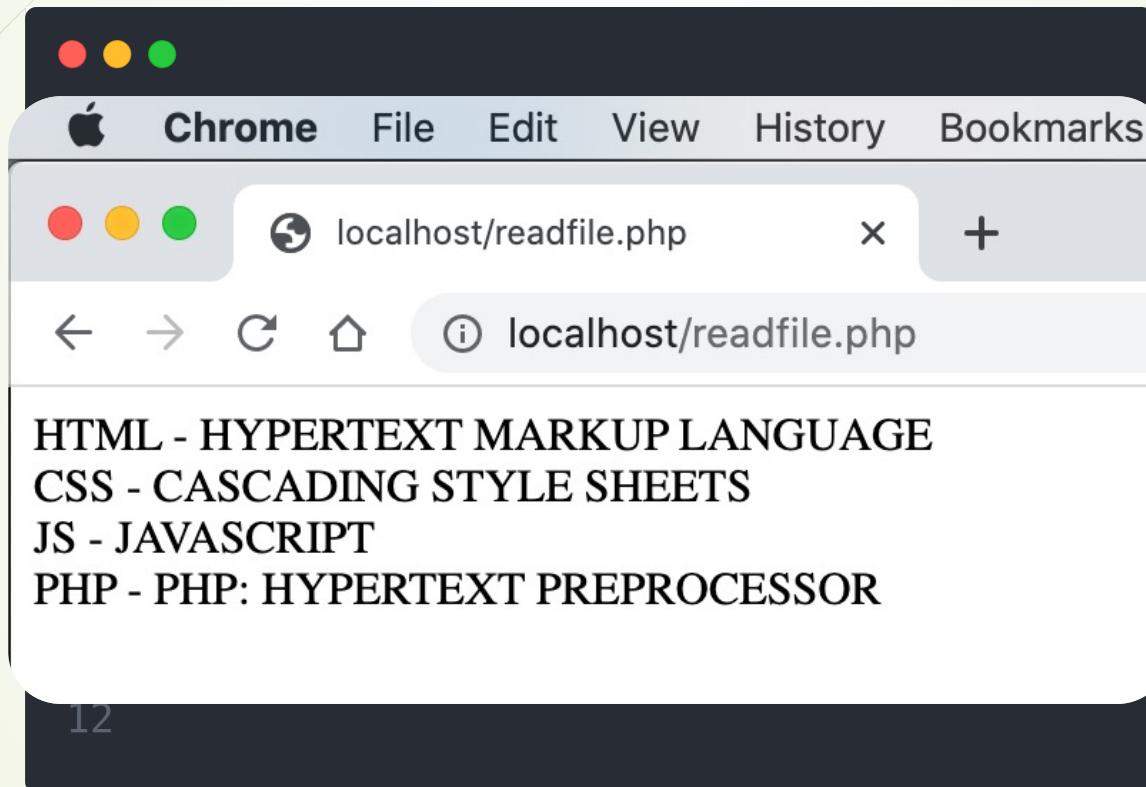
# Read a file line by line?



- 1 **HTML** - Hypertext Markup Language
- 2 **CSS** - Cascading Style Sheets
- 3 **JS** - JavaScript
- 4 **PHP** - PHP: Hypertext Preprocessor

# Read a file line by line

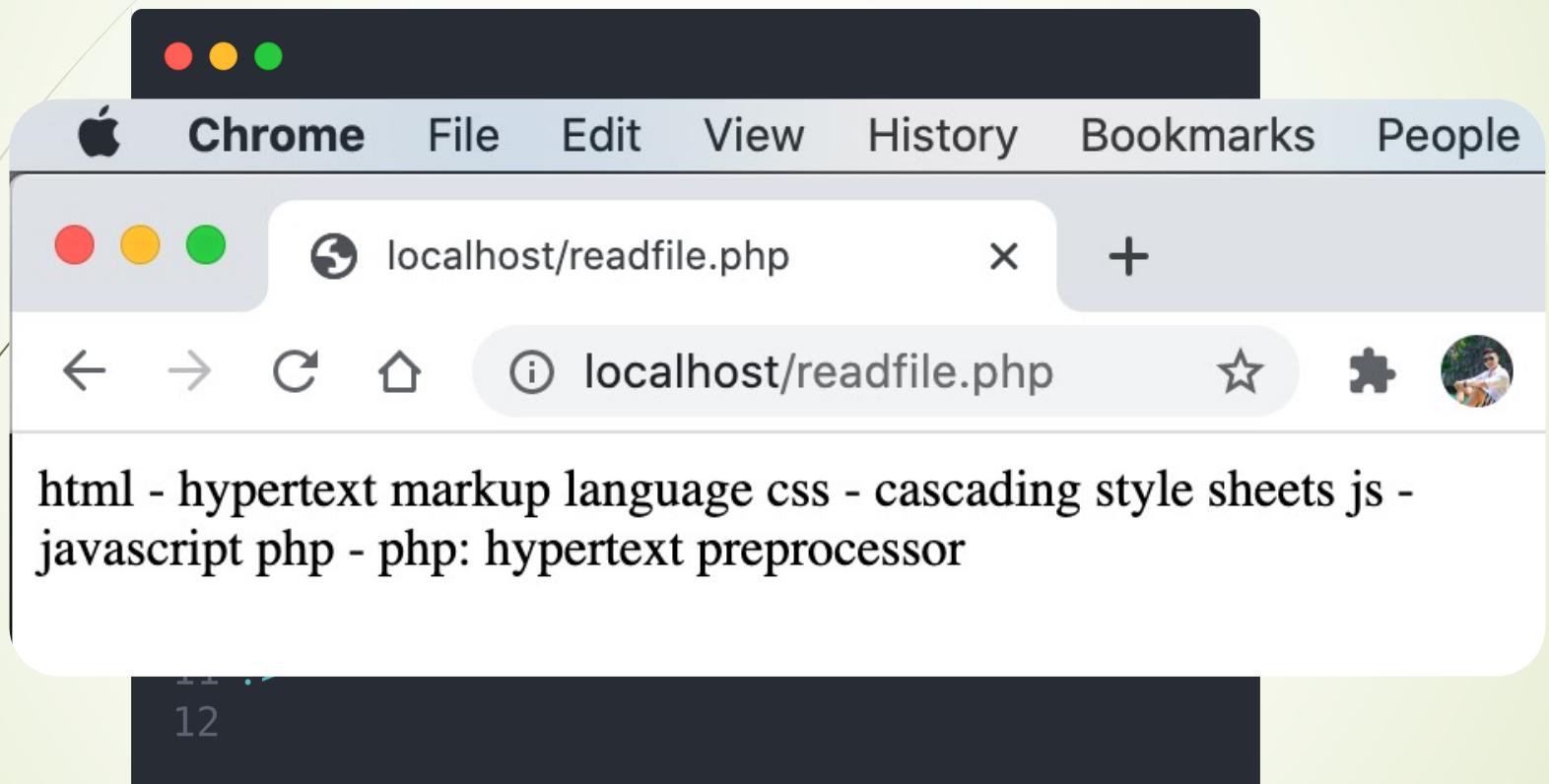
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# Read a file character by character



## File writing

► Here are the required steps to write a file with PHP:

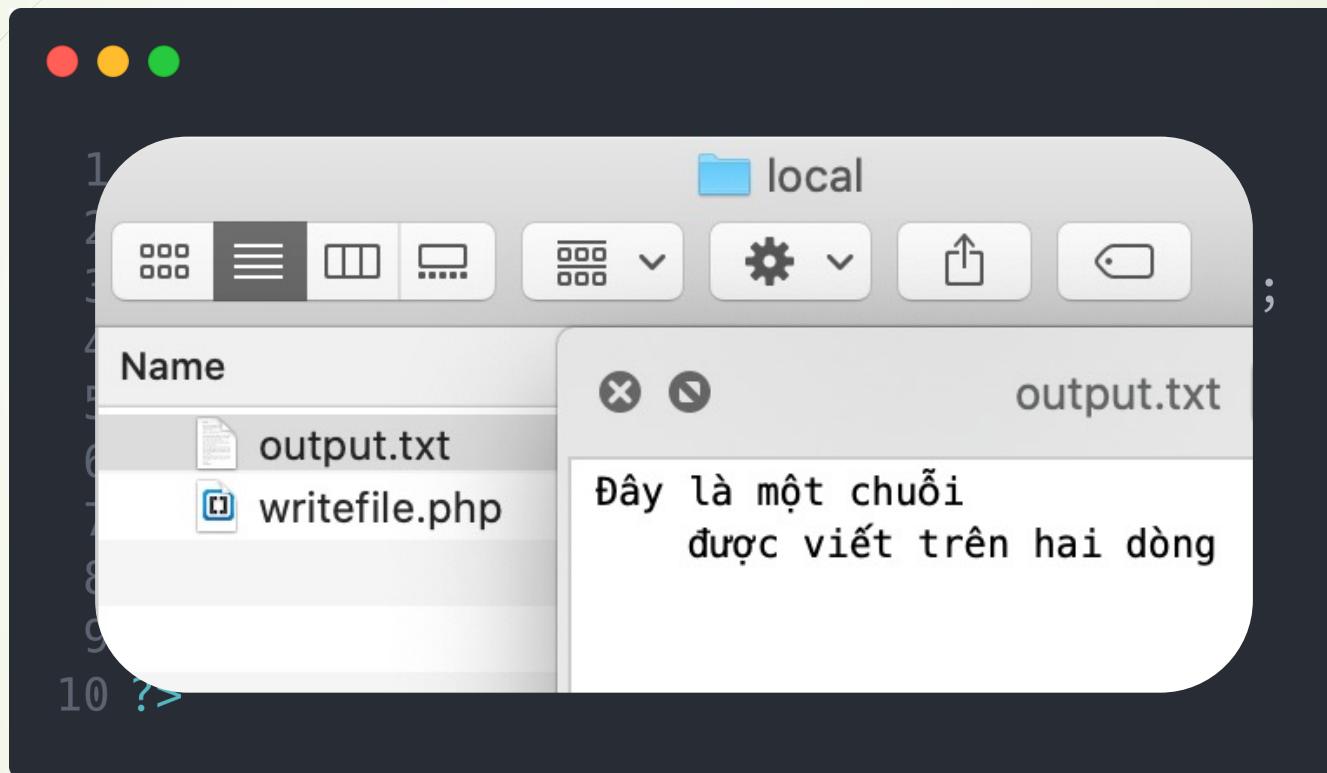
1. Open a file using `fopen()` function.
2. Check if the file has successfully opened.
3. Write data to file using `fwrite()` function.
4. Close the file with `fclose()` function.

# File writing functions

- ▶ **fwrite()**: write blocks of bytes
- ▶ **fgets()**: write a line
- ▶ **fgetc()**: write a character
- ▶ **file\_put\_contents()**: write all content of a file without opening.

# Write a file

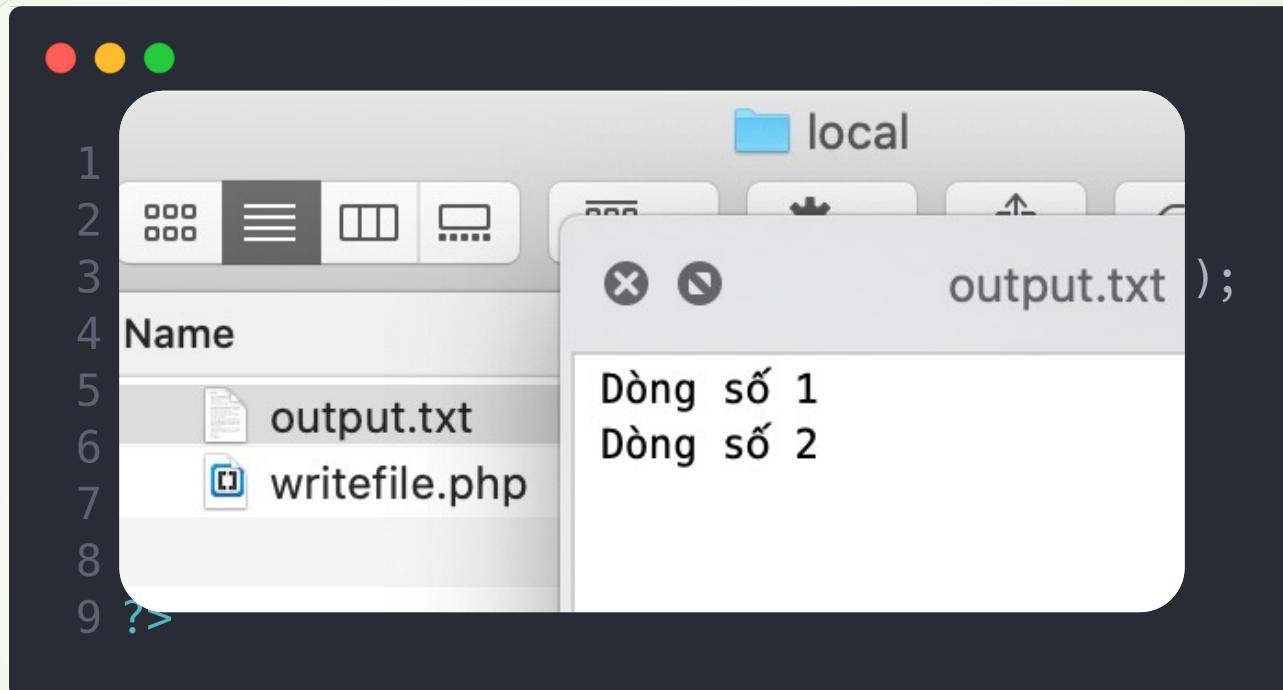
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# Write a file line by line

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### 3. Cookies

- ▶ What are cookies
- ▶ Create a cookie
- ▶ Modify a cookie value
- ▶ Delete a cookie

### 3. Cookies

- ▶ A cookie is a small file that the server embeds on the user's computer.
- ▶ Cookies are created when your browser visits a website that uses cookies to keep track of your movements within the site, help you resume where you left off, remember your registered login....
- ▶ Each time the same computer requests a page with a browser, it will send the cookie too.

### 3. Cookies

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- ▶ Each cookie is effectively a small lookup table containing pairs of (key, data) values - for example (firstname, John) (lastname, Smith).

Key	Value
email	abc@gmail.com
pass	123456
key	23sadb98sakjd924lkas

- ▶ By default the cookie is destroyed when the current browser window is closed.
- ▶ The time of expiry of a cookie can be set when the cookie is created.

# Create Cookies With PHP

- ▶ A cookie is created with the **setcookie()** function.

**`setcookie(name, value, expire, path, domain, secure, httponly);`**

- ▶ Only the name parameter is required. All other parameters are optional.
- ▶ The value of the cookie is automatically URL encoded when sending the cookie, and automatically decoded when received.

# Create Cookies With PHP

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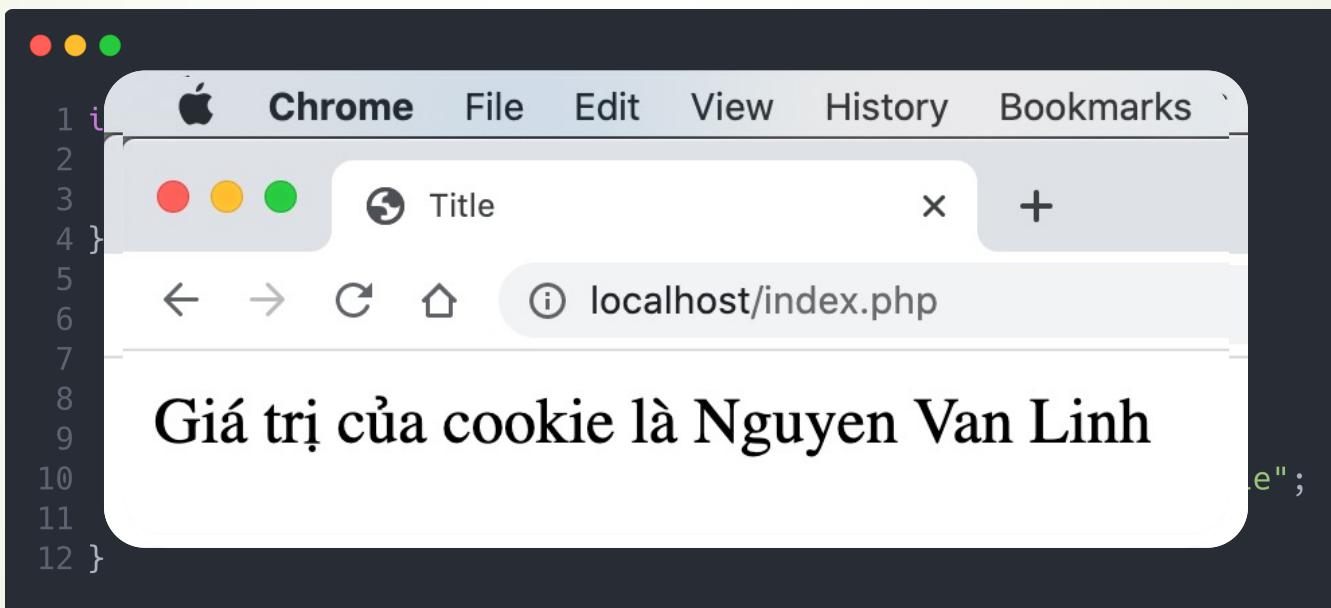


```
1 <body>
2   C Giá trị của cookie là Nguyen Huu Tho
3 
4   ?
5 </body>
```

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# Modify a Cookie Value

- To modify a cookie, just set (again) the cookie using the **setcookie()** function.



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# Delete a Cookie

- To delete a cookie, use the **setcookie()** function with an expiration date in the past:

```
7 <body>
8 Array
9 (
10     [Phpstorm-97d7f6fd] => f6693070-19ba-4f82-99b9-48c40d02ad8e
11     [Phpstorm-97d7f6fe] => 0d66fcb0-7a54-48c5-8a38-54c28728d2b7
12     [_ga] => GA1.1.151088546.1601028007
13     [PHPSESSID] => 32jgok3m90nir2r4s4n0kauaai
14 )
15 </body>
```

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## 4. Sessions

- ▶ What is session
- ▶ Start a session
- ▶ Get/Set PHP session values
- ▶ How PHP session works
- ▶ Destroy a PHP session

## 4. Sessions

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- ▶ Unlike a cookie, the information is not stored on the user's computer. Instead, it will be stored on web server.
- ▶ A session is a way to store information (in variables) to be used across multiple pages.
- ▶ Session variables hold information about one single user, and are available to all pages in one application.

# How PHP Session Works

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- ▶ Most sessions set a **session-id** on the user's computer that looks something like this: `765487cf34ert8dede5a562e4f3a7e12`.
- ▶ When a client sends a request, the web server checks for **session-id** in **cookies**.
- ▶ If there is a match, it accesses that session from file (or database/cache).
- ▶ If not, it starts a new session and returns **session-id** as a cookie.
- ▶ By default in Apache, session will be expired after 24 mins of inactivity.

# Start a PHP Session

- ▶ A session is started with the **session\_start()** function.
- ▶ The **session\_start()** function must be the very first thing in your document, before any HTML tags.
- ▶ Session variables are set with the PHP global variable:  
**`$_SESSION`**.

# Get/Set PHP Session Variable Values

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```
1 <?php  
2     session_start();  
3 ?>  
4 <ht  
5 <bo  
6     <?php  
7         if (isset($_SESSION['user']) &&  
8             isset($_SESSION['email'])) {  
9             $user = $_SESSION['user'];  
10            $email = $_SESSION['email'];  
11            echo "User: $user, email: $email";  
12        }  
13        else echo 'Session chưa có thông tin';  
14    ?>  
15 </b  
16 </h  
17 </body>  
18 </html>
```

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# Destroy a PHP Session

- ▶ To remove all global session variables and destroy the session, use **session\_unset()** and **session\_destroy()**:

```
● ● ●  
1 <?php  
2     // viết câu này trước tất cả các echo và  
3     // câu lệnh HTML  
4     session_start();  
5 ?>  
6 <!DOCTYPE html>  
7 <body>  
8     <?php  
9         // xóa tất cả giá trị có trong session  
10        session_unset();  
11  
12        // hủy toàn bộ session  
13        session_destroy();  
14    ?>  
15 </body>  
16 </html>
```

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## 5. Authentication

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1. HTTP Authentication.
2. Authentication using session.

## 5.1 HTTP Authentication

- ▶ HTTP supports the use of several authentication mechanisms to control access to pages and other resources.
- ▶ These mechanisms are all based around the use of the **401** status (Unauthorized) code and the **WWW-Authenticate**, **Authorization** response headers.
- ▶ The most widely used HTTP authentication mechanisms are:
  - ▶ **Basic**: The client sends the **username** and **password** as unencrypted base64 encoded text.
  - ▶ **Digest**: The client sends a **hashed form** of the password to the server (MD5).

# BASIC HTTP Authentication

- ▶ A method for an HTTP user agent to provide a **username** and **password** when making a request.
- ▶ A request contains a header field in the form of **Authorization: Basic <credentials>**, where credentials is the **base64** encoding of id and password joined by a single **colon** :
- ▶ Examples:

Base64(admin:123456)

# BASIC HTTP Authentication

- When the server wants the user agent to authenticate itself towards the server, the server must respond appropriately to unauthenticated requests ([401](#)).

*WWW-Authenticate: Basic realm= "Media"*

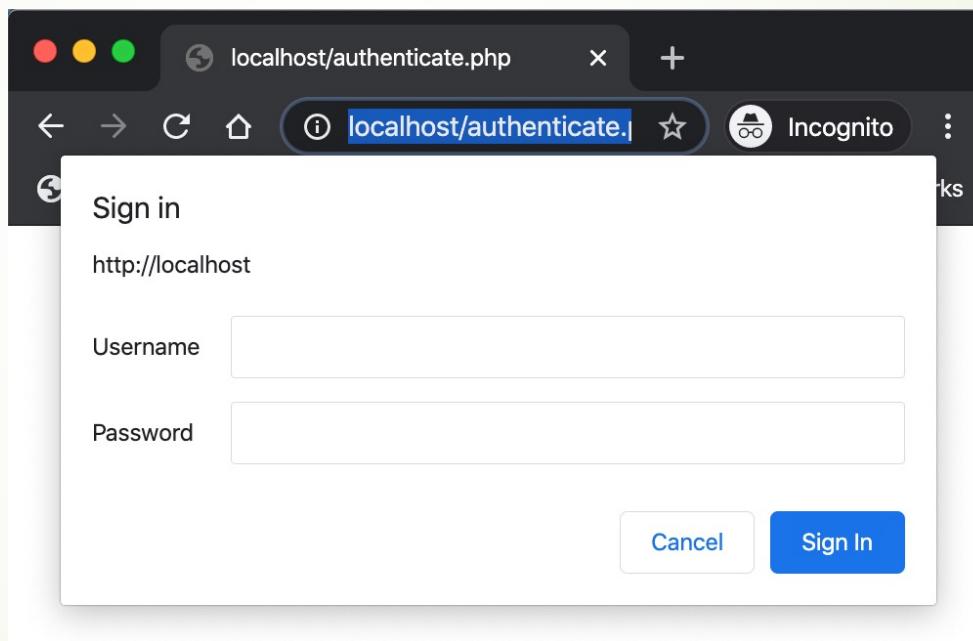
- When the user agent wants to send authentication credentials to the server, it may use the [Authorization](#) field.

*Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46MTIzMjU2*

*YWRtaW46MTIzMjU2 = Base64(admin:123456)*

# BASIC HTTP Authentication

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# BASIC HTTP Authentication

```
1 <?php
2   if (!isset($_SERVER['PHP_AUTH_USER'])) {
3     header('WWW-Authenticate: Basic realm="My Realm"');
4     header('HTTP/1.0 401 Unauthorized');
5     echo 'Text to send if user hits Cancel button';
6     exit;
7   } else {
8     echo "<p>Xin chào {$_SERVER['PHP_AUTH_USER']}.</p>";
9     echo "<p>Password là: {$_SERVER['PHP_AUTH_PW']}</p>";
10  }
11 ?>
```

## 5.2 Authentication using Session

- ▶ Demo: PHP login page using session.

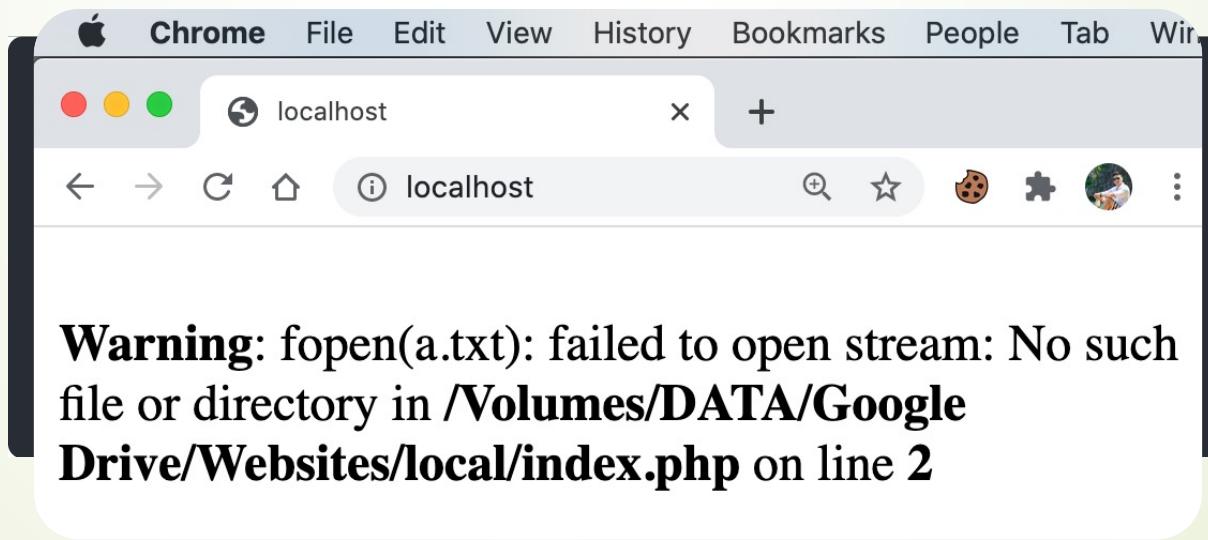
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# Error Handling

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- ▶ When an error occurs: a message with **filename**, **line number** and a **message** describing the error is sent to the browser.
- ▶ If our code lacks error checking code, our program may look **very unprofessional** and we may be open to **security risks**.



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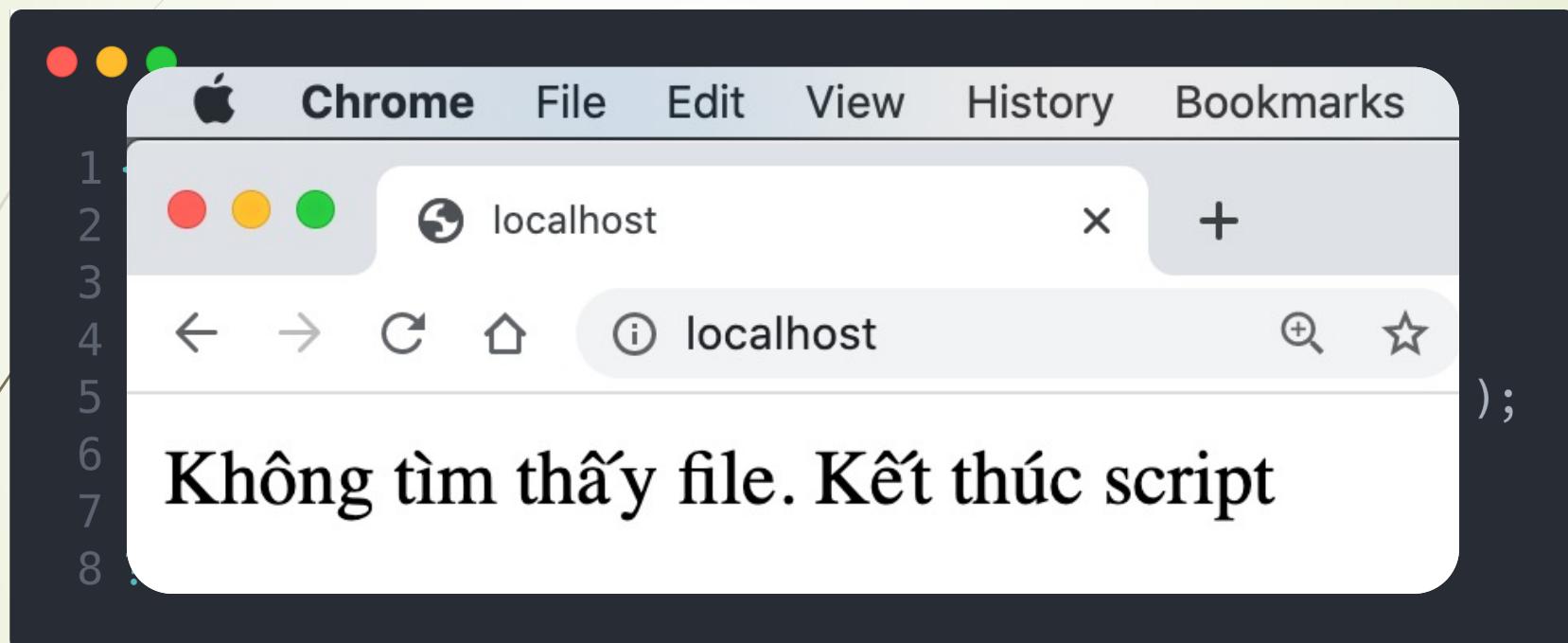
# Error Handling

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- ▶ There different error handling methods:
  - ▶ `die()` function
  - ▶ Custom errors and error triggers
  - ▶ Error reporting

# The die() function

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# Custom Error Handler

- We simply create a special function that can be called when an error occurs in PHP.

```
function error_function(error_level,error_message,  
error_file,error_line,error_context).
```

- Then use `set_error_handler()` to change the default error handler.

# Error Report levels

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<b>Value</b>	<b>Constant</b>	<b>Description</b>
1	E_ERROR	A fatal run-time error. Execution of the script is stopped
2	E_WARNING	A non-fatal run-time error. Execution of the script is not stopped
8	E_NOTICE	A run-time notice. The script found something that might be an error, but could also happen when running a script normally
256	E_USER_ERROR	A fatal user-generated error. This is like an E_ERROR, except it is generated by the PHP script using the function trigger_error()
512	E_USER_WARNING	A non-fatal user-generated warning. This is like an E_WARNING, except it is generated by the PHP script using the function trigger_error()
1024	E_USER_NOTICE	A user-generated notice. This is like an E_NOTICE, except it is generated by the PHP script using the function trigger_error()
2048	E_STRICT	Not strictly an error.
8191 <small>April 16, 2020</small>	E_ALL	All errors and warnings (E_STRICT became a part of E_ALL in PHP 5.4)

# Custom Error Handler

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```
1 <?php
2     function myErrorHandler($errno, $errstr) {
3         echo "<b>Error:</b> [$errno] $errstr<br>";
4         die();
5     }
6 ?>
```

# Custom Error Handler

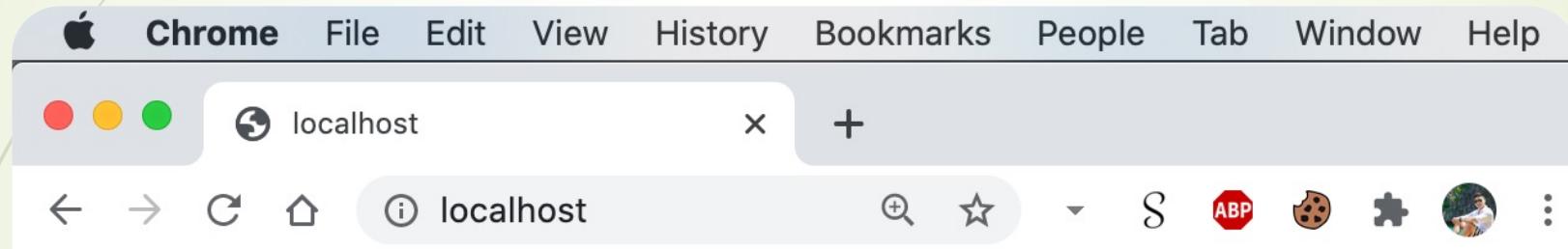
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```
1 <?php
2     // định nghĩa hàm xử lý lỗi
3     function myErrorHandler($errno, $errstr) {
4         echo "<b>Error:</b> [$errno] $errstr<br>";
5         die();
6     }
7
8     // đưa hàm vào sử dụng
9     set_error_handler('myErrorHandler');
10
11    // cỗ tình in một biến chưa khai báo
12    echo $name;
13 ?>
```

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# Custom Error Handler

► **Without** error handler



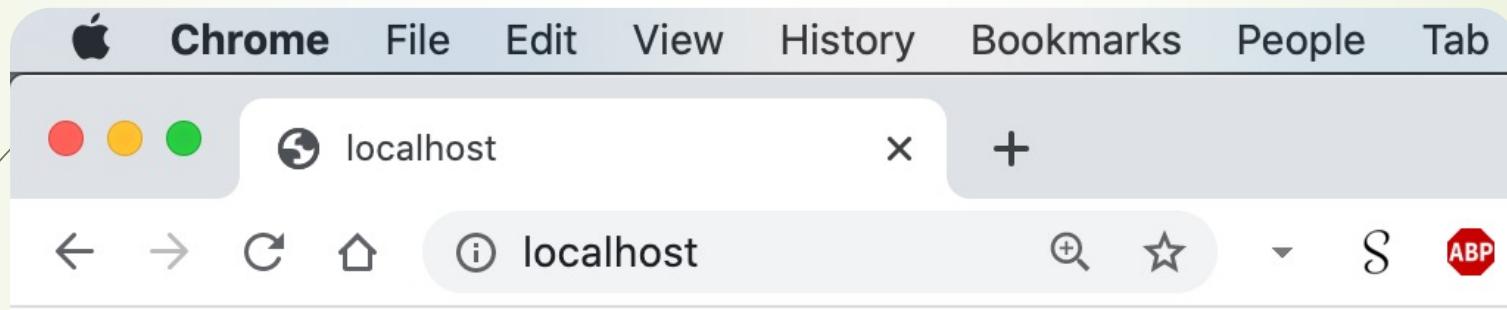
**Notice: Undefined variable: name in /Volumes/DATA/Google Drive/Websites/local/index.php on line 12**

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# Custom Error Handler

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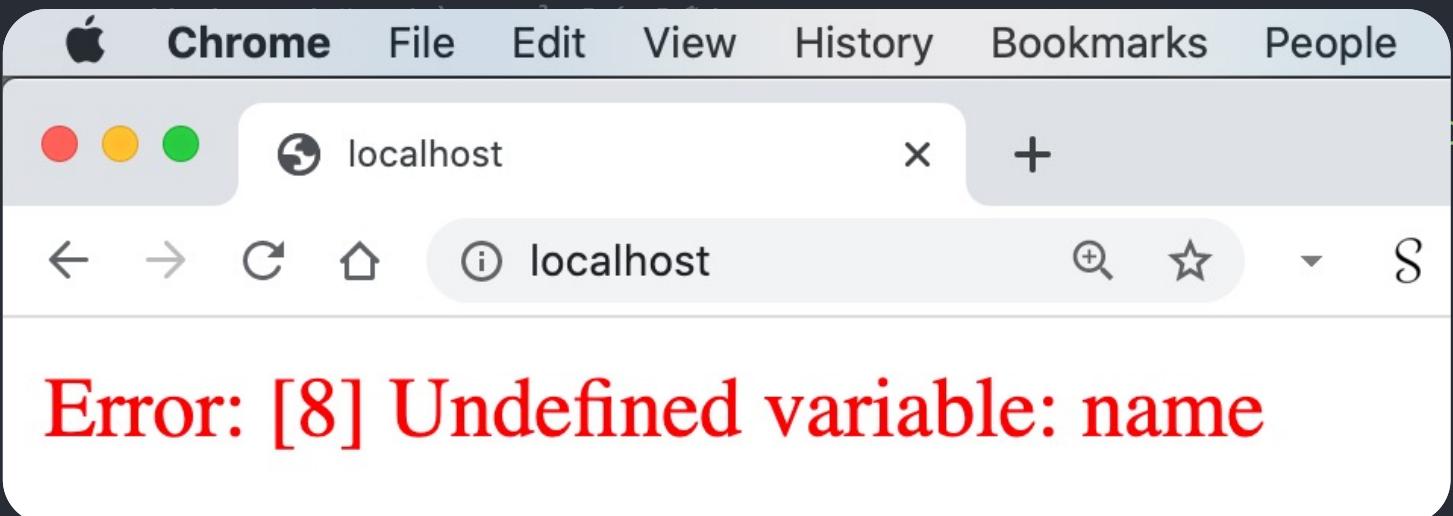
► **With** error handler



## Error: [8] Undefined variable: name

# Custom Error Handler

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A screenshot of a Mac OS X desktop environment. In the center is a Chrome browser window. The title bar of the browser says "localhost". The address bar also says "localhost". Below the browser window, a large red error message is displayed: "Error: [8] Undefined variable: name". To the left of the browser window, there is a dark gray terminal window showing the following PHP code:

```
1 <?php
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12 echo $name;
13 ?>
```

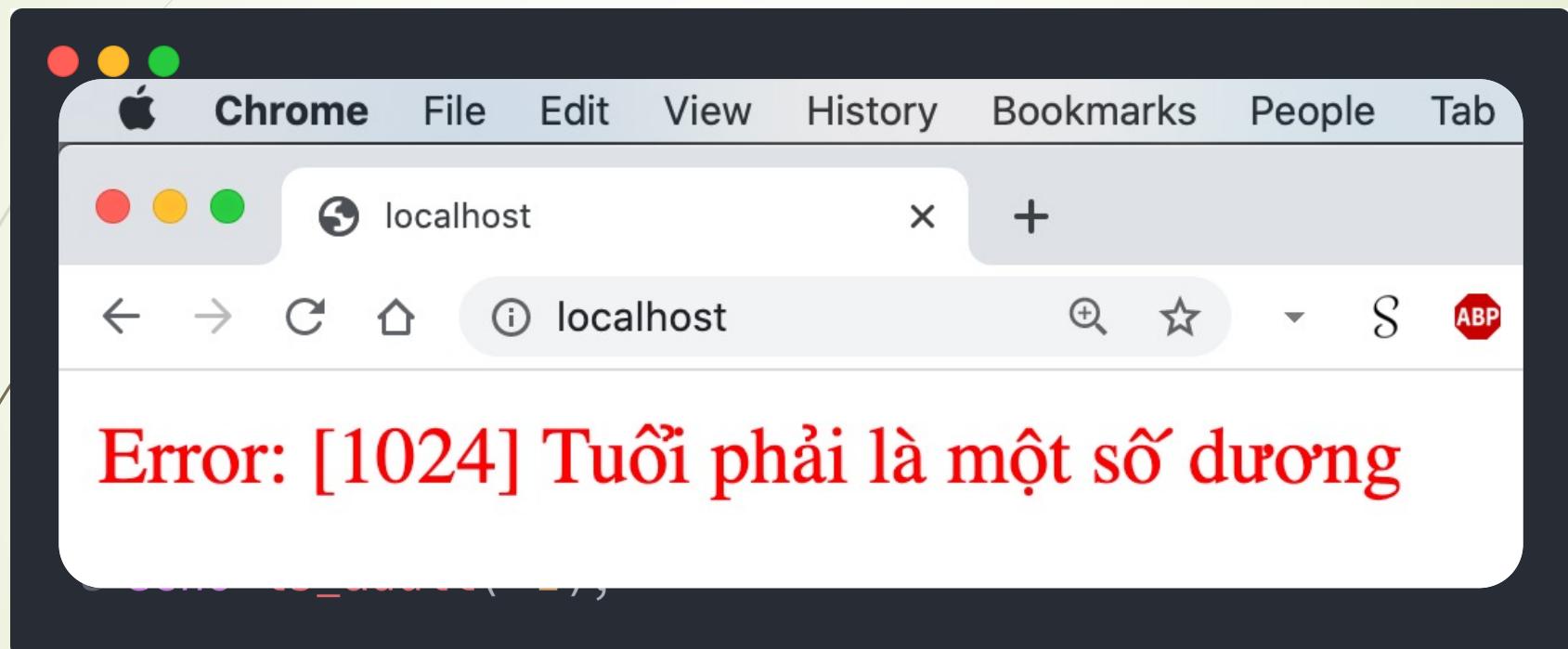
## Trigger an Error

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- ▶ In a script where users can input data it is useful to trigger errors when an illegal input occurs.
- ▶ In PHP, this is done by the `trigger_error()` function.

# Trigger an Error

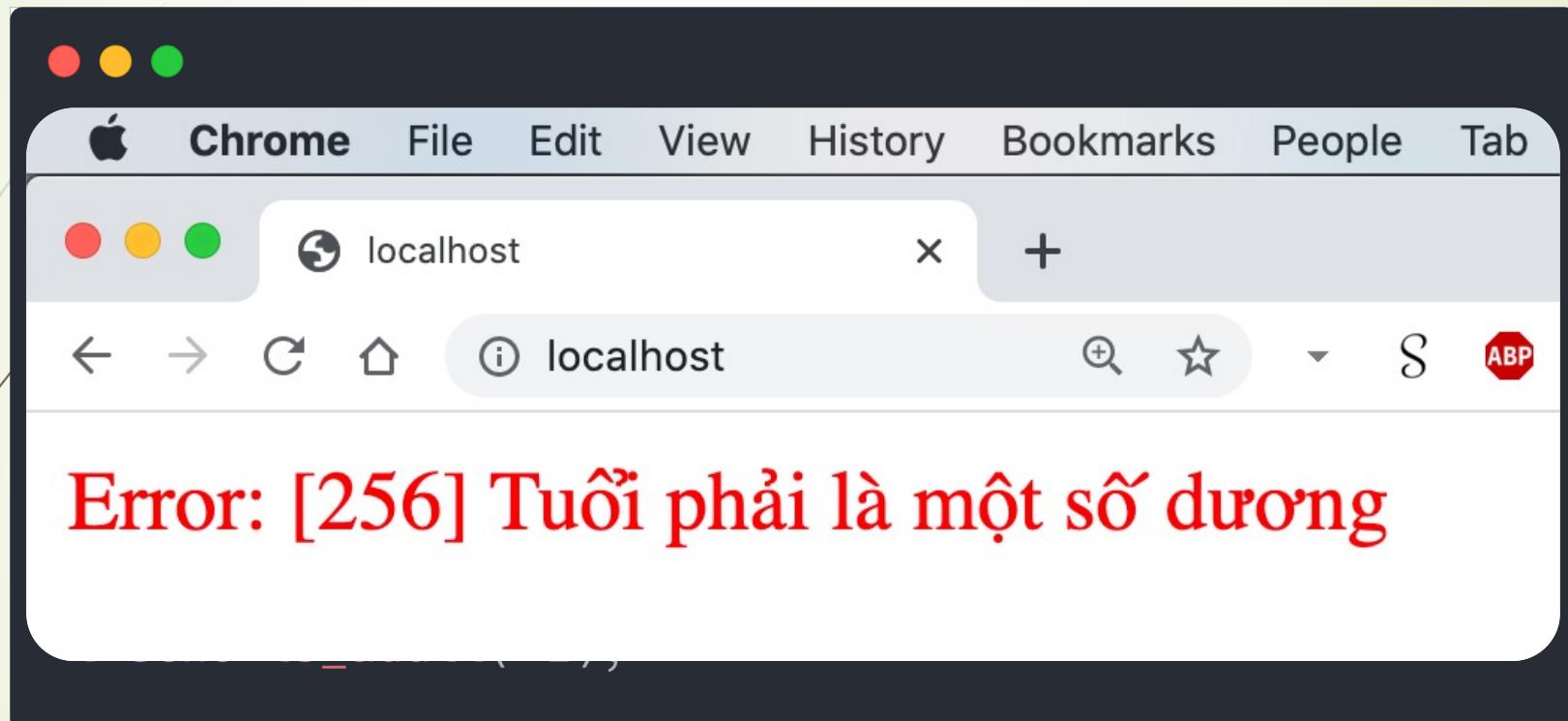
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# Trigger an Error

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# Error Logging

- ▶ By default, PHP sends an error log to the server's logging system or a file.
- ▶ By using the `error_log()` function you can send error logs to a specified file or a remote destination.

# Error Logging

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The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "mvmanh — nano /var/log/apache2/error\_log — 102x24". The title bar also displays "File: /var/log/apache2/error\_log". The terminal content is as follows:

```
2020] [php7:warn] [pid 1862] [client ::1:52928] PHP Warning:  Age value m$  
2020] [php7:warn] [pid 1862] [client ::1:52928] PHP Warning:  Age value m$  
2020] [php7:warn] [pid 451] [client ::1:52975] PHP Warning:  Age value mu$  
2020] [php7:warn] [pid 451] [client ::1:52975] PHP Warning:  Age value mu$  
2020] [php7:warn] [pid 451] [client ::1:52975] PHP Warning:  Age value mu$  
2020] [php7:notice] [pid 451] [client ::1:53035] PHP Notice:  Undefined v$  
2020] [php7:notice] [pid 1862] [client ::1:53111] PHP Notice:  Age value $  
2020] [php7:notice] [pid 451] [client ::1:53113] \xc4\x90\xc3\xab x\xe1\x$  
2020] [php7:notice] [pid 1862] [client ::1:53120] Da xay ra loi voi PHP  
2020] [php7:notice] [pid 1862] [client ::1:53120] Da xay ra loi voi PHP
```

Below the terminal window, a portion of a PHP file is shown:

```
18     echo is_adult(-1);  
19 ?>
```

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End

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► Q&A

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