Developing Web Applications with PHP

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Introduction

What is PHP?

- PHP Hypertext Processor
- Embedded Scripting language for HTML
- Combines elements of Perl, C and Java
- Creates Dynamic Web Page
- Server Side Scripting
- Command line scripting
- It generates XML doc, PDF files, Flash animation

Introduction

History of PHP

- Created by Rasmus Lerdorf in 1995 for resume tracking.
- Originally a set of Perl scripts known as the "Personal Home Page".
- Zeev Suraski and Andi Gutmans released Zend Engine in 1998. It supports ODBC database, multiple platform.

Introduction

Free Software – Source code is available, User can read and modify the source code – PHP License Platform Independent – Runs on Linux, Unix, Solaris, Mac OS X and Windows

Web Server: Apache, Netscape Enterprise Server and Microsoft IIS

Supported Database: ODBC, Oracle, MYSQL, SQLite, PostgreSQL and so on.

PHP on Linux

- Download xamp server xampp-linux-1.7.2.tar.gz
- Extract this file into lopt/

Start xamp Server:

```
File Edit View Terminal Help

root@ragu-laptop:~# cd /opt/lampp/
root@ragu-laptop:/opt/lampp# ./lampp start

Starting XAMPP for Linux 1.7.2...

XAMPP: Starting Apache with SSL (and PHP5)...

XAMPP: Starting MySQL...

XAMPP: Starting ProFTPD...

XAMPP for Linux started.

root@ragu-laptop:/opt/lampp#
```

The Script Tags:

- > <?php //Code ?> => XML Style
- > <? //Code ?> => SGML Style
- > <% //Code %> => ASP Style
- > <script language="php"> //Code </script> => Script Style

```
Eg:-
<?php
echo "Hello AIT";
?>
```

Data Types:

- Strings
- Integers
- Float
- Boolean
- Array
- Object
- Resource

Variables:

- Simillar to C, Java variables
- Its an identifier which points to a memory location
- Variable start with \$ Dollar sign
- Its Losely/Weakly Typed Language

Variables Declaration in C, Java:

```
Int a=10;
float f=5.2;
```

Variables Declaration in PHP:

```
$a=10;
$f=5.2;
```

Variables - Rules:

Special Characters are not allowed

```
*, +, #, @, ^, ! and so on
```

Invalid Variables:

\$city*

\$address+

\$emp#name

\$emp@emailid

Valid Variables:

\$city

\$address1

\$emp_name

Constants:

Value does not change throughout the execution

Syntax

define("ConstName",value);

Eg:

define("THE_YEAR",2010);

echo "The year: ".THE YEAR;

echo "The year: ".the year;

Operators:

- Arithmetic Operators
- Increment/Decrement Operators
- Comparison Operators
- Bitwise Operators
- Logical Operators
- Casting Operators
- Combined Assignment Operators
- Conditional Operators

Arithmetic Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Additional	+
2	Subtraction	-
3	Multiplication	*
4	Division	1
5	Modulus	%

Increment/Decrement Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Increment	++
2	Decrement	

Comparison Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Value Equality	==
2	Value and Type Equality	===
3	Not Equal	!= and <>
4	Type and Value Inequal	!==
5	Greater than	>
6	Greater than or equal	>=
7	Less than	<
8	Less than or equal	<=

Bitwise Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Bitwise Negation	~
2	Bitwise AND	&
3	Bitwise OR	
4	Bitwise XOR	^
5	Left Shift	<<
6	Right Shift	>>

Logical Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Logical AND	&&
2	Logical OR	
3	Logical XOR	xor
4	Logical Negation	<u>!</u>

Casting Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	To Integer	(int)\$a
2	To Float	(float)
3	To String	(string)
4	To Boolean	(bool)
5	To Array	(array)
6	To Object	(object)

Combined Assignment Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Assignment	=
2	Plus Equal	+=
3	Minus Equal	-=
4	Multiply Equal	*=
5	Divide Equal	/=
6	Modulus Equal	%=
7	Bitwise AND Equal	&=
8	Bitwise OR Equal	 =
9	Bitwise XOR Equal	^=
10	Concatenate Equal	.=

Conditional Operators

Si No	Operation	Operator
1	Conditional	cond?true:false

```
Eg: $a=10; $b=5; $big=($a>$b)?$a:$b;
```

Flow Controls

- PHP supports C, Java's flow controls(Conditional Statements)
- Executes a statement depending on some condition

if if/else switch

Flow Controls - if

```
Syntax
if(exp)
true stmt;
```

```
Eg:- Output:
```

Flow Controls - if/else if(exp) //true stmt; else //else stmt; Eg:-<?php \$stu name="Ram"; if(\$stu name=="Ram") echo "Welcome \$stu name
"; else echo "Access Denied
"; ?>

Flow Controls - switch

Syntax	Eg
switch(expression) { case 1: First case stmt break; case 2: Second case stmt break; default: default stmt break; }	<pre><?php \$name="Ram"; switch(\$name) { case 'Raghu': echo "Hi Raghu"; break; case 'Ram': echo "Hi Ram"; break; default: echo "Access Denied"; break; }</pre></pre>

Loops

- Repeats block of statement
 - > for
 - while
 - > do while
 - foreach

Loops - for

Syntax1	Syntax2	Eg
for(initialization;Condition;Increment) { Stmt }	for(initialization;Condition; Increment): Stmt endfor;	for(\$i=0;\$i<10;\$i++) { echo \$i; }

Loops - while

Syntax1	Syntax2	Eg
Initialization while(Condition) { Stmt Increment/Decrement }	Initialization while(Condition): Stmt Increment/Decrement endwhile;	\$i=0; while(\$i<10) { echo \$i; \$i++; }

Loops – do while

Syntax	Eg
Initialization	\$i=0;
do	do
\{	{
Stmt	echo \$i;
Increment/Decrement	\$i++;
}while(Condition);	}while(\$i<10);

Loops – foreach

Its used with arrays

Syntax1	Syntax2	Eg
foreach(\$arrayName as	foreach(\$array as	foreach(\$array as
\$element)	\$elem):	\$elem)
{	Stmt	{
Stmt	endforeach;	echo "Element: \$elem";
}		}

PHP with Web Forms

Gives global variable to access web form element

Global Variable

```
$_GET – get method
```

- \$_POST post method
- \$ REQUEST get/post method

Access Textfield

\$Name=\$_POST["txtName"]; //txtName is name of Textfield

Access Radio Button

\$gender=\$_POST["rdGend"]; //rdGend is name of Radio button groups

Access Dropdown list

```
foreach($_POST["ddlCourse"] as $val)
{
if($val!=""")
$ddlVal=$val;
```

- Block of code that performs certain task
- It can be called more than one time
- Its compiled only one time.
- Allows user to reuse the code
- Input zero or more parameters
 Types of Function
- Built-in/Pre-defined function
- User-defined function

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Pre-defined Function

The function which is already defined in language

```
Eg:-
```

\$len=strlen("Raghu");

User-defined Function

The function which is defined by user

Define a Function

Define a function with keyword 'function'

```
Eg:-
function some_function($arg1,$arg2)
{    //Some Code }
function other_function()
{    //Some Code }
Calling a Function
```

Calling a Function

- Call the function with function name
- Pass parameters if function definition has parameters

```
Eg:-
some_function($param1,$param2);
other function();
```

Returning Values from User-Defined Functions

- A function can return a value/output using keyword 'return'
- The statment return stops execution of the function and execution control back to the function calling point.
- Return value can be hard-coded.
- Return value can be return value of another function

```
Eg:-
function arithmetic_Sum($val1,$val2)
{
    $result=$val1+$val2; //return ($val1+$val2);
    return $result;
```

Strings

Strings

- Its collection of characters
- PHP provides many function to manipulate string

String Formatting

- > printf()
- > sprintf()

Strings

printf()

- Similar to printf() function in C
- It requires an argument "Format Control String" or "Type Specifier".

Type Specifier

Specifier	Description	
d	Display argument as a decimal number	
b	Display an integer as a binary number	
С	Display an integer as ASCII equivalent	
f	Display an integer as a floating-point number (double)	
0	Display an integer as an octal number (base 8)	
S	Display argument as a string	
X	Display an integer as a lowercase hexadecimal number (base 16)	
X	Display an integer as a uppercase hexadecimal number (base 16)	

Strings

Printf() - Eg:

Prog	Output
<pre><?php \$no=490; echo "Type of variable: \$ty "; printf("Decimal: %d",\$no); printf(" Binary: %b",\$no); printf(" Double: %f",\$no); printf(" Octal: %o",\$no); printf(" String: %s",\$no); printf(" Hexadecimal(Lower): %x",\$no); printf(" Hexadecimal(Upper): %X",\$no); ?></pre>	Decimal: 490 Binary: 111101010 Double: 490.000000 Octal: 752 String: 490 Hexadecimal(Lower): 1ea Hexadecimal(Upper): 1EA

Strings

String Manipulation:

strlen()	str_ireplace()
strpos()	str_word_count()
stripos()	trim()
strtoupper()	ltrim()
strtolower()	rtrim()
strstr()	ucfirst()
stristr()	ucwords()
substr()	explode()
str_replace()	

Arrays

- Its collection of data
- Its used to store and organize data
- Same array can hold nos, char, strings and so on

Types of Array

- One dimensional array Array with numeric index
- Associate array Each ID key is associated with a value
- Multi dimensional array An array containing another array

Array Declaration

Use array() to declare an array

Arrays

One Dimensional Array Declaration

Use **array()** to declare an array

```
Syntax
```

```
$array name1=array();
$array name2=array("val1","val2");
$array name3∏="val1";
$array name3∏="val2";
Eg:
$color_arr=array("red","green","blue","yellow");
Two Dimensional Array Declaration:
$array name=array(key1=>val1,key2=>val2,key3=>val3);
Eg:
$StuInfo= array("Raghu"=>1001,"Ram"=>1002,"Raja"=>1003);
```

Arrays

Array Function

count()	array_merge()
sizeof()	array_keys()
reset()	array_values()
array_push()	shuffle()
array_pop()	each()
array_unshift()	list()
array_shift()	

Date and Time

PHP supports date and time related functions

Functions

- > getdate()
- > date()
- > time()

getdate()

It returns today's date, month, year, seconds, minutes, hours to array

```
Eg:-
$date_array=getdate();
date()
```

Display the date and time as user's requirement

Syntax:

```
$str=date(format,timestamp);
Eg:
$str=date("d/m/Y");
```

Format – Day and Week

Format	Description	Returned Value
d	Day of the month with leading zeros	01, 02 to 31
j	Day of the month without leading zeros	1, 2 to 31
D	Textual representation of day in three char	Sun, Mon
I	Full textual representation of day	Sunday, Monday to Saturday
N	ISO-8601 numeric representation of day	1-Monday, 2-Tuesday
S	Suffix for the day	St, nd, rd, th 1st, 2nd
W	Numeric representation of day	0-Sunday 1-Monday
Z	Day of the year	0 to 365

Format – Month and Year

Format	Description	Returned Value
F	Full Textual representation of month	January to December
М	Short textual representation of month	Jan, Feb to Dec
m	Numeric representation of month with leading zeros	01, 02 to 12
n	Numeric representaion of month without leading zeros	1,2 to 12
t	Total no of days in the given month	28, 29, 30 and 31
L	Whether given year is leap year or not	1 – leap year 0 – Not a leap year
0	ISO-8601 Numeric representation of a year – 4 digit	1999, 2010
Υ	Numeric representation of year – 4 digit	1999, 2010
У	Numeric representation of year – 2 digit	99, 10

Format – Time

Format	Description	Returned Value
а	Lowercase Ante Meridiem and Post Meridiem	`am or pm
A	Uppercase Ante Meridiem and Post Meridiem	AM or PM
В	Swatch internet time	000 to 999
g	12 hour time format without leading zero	1 to 12
G	24 hour time format without leading zero	0 to 23
h	12 hour time format with leading zero	01 to 12
Н	24 hour time format with leading zero	00, 01 to 23
i	Minutes with leading zero	00 to 59
S	Seconds with leading zero	00 to 59
u	Microseconds	eg- 651241

Format	Description	Returned Value
е	Timezone identifier	Eg – GMT, UTC
I	Whether or not the date is in daylight saving time	1 – daylight saving time 0 - otherwise
0	Difference to GMT time in hours(no colon between hour and min)	Eg- +0530, -0230
Р	Difference to GMT time in hours with colon between hour and min	Eg- +05:30, -02:30
Т	Timezone abbreviation	IST, CST, PST, EST
Z	Timezone offset in seconds. The offset for timezone west of UTC is always negative and for those east of UTC is always positive.	-43200 to 50400
С	ISO 8601 date	2010-10- 24T13:33:39+02: 00
r	Formatted date	Sun, 24 Oct 2010 13:34:40+0200

PHP Include

- Insert the content of one php file into another php
- It can be done using include() and require()
- Both the functions are same but handles error differently

include()	require()
Generates a warning message if the file is not exist	Generates a fatal error if the file is not exist
Script will continue the execution	Script will stop the execution

Syntax

- include("someFile.php");
- require("someFile.php");

PHP File Handling

- Allows user to access a file
- It can be done using fopen() and fclose()
 Syntax

```
$fileName=fopen(filename,mode);
Eg:
<?php
$fileName=fopen("someFile.txt","r");
//Code
fclose($fileName);
<?</pre>
```

Mode

Mode	Description
r	Read Only
r+	Read/Write
W	Write Only
W+	Read/Write
a	Append. Opens and writes to the file or creates a new file if it does not exist
a+	Read/Append
X	Write Only, Creates a new file, Returns FALSE if file already exist
χ+	Read/write, Creates a new file, Returns FALSE if file already exist.

PHP File Upload

- Allows user to upload a file from HTML file
- > \$ FILES is used to upload a file

Eg:

- \$_FILES["file"]["name"] => Name of the uploaded file
- \$_FILES["file"]["type"] => Type of the uploaded file
- \$ FILES["file"]["size"] => Size of the uploaded file
- \$_FILES["file"]["tmp_name"] => The name of the temporary copy of the file stored on the server
- \$_FILES["file"]["error"] => Error code

Save Uploaded File

- Uploaded file will not be stored
- Copy of uploaded file is stored in temporary server
 Eg:

```
<?php
if (file_exists("upload/" . $_FILES["file"]["name"]))
{
    echo $_FILES["file"]["name"] . " already exists. ";
}
else
{
    $tmpName=$_FILES["file"]["tmp_name"];
    move_uploaded_file($tmpName,"upload/".$_FILES["file"]["name"]);
    echo "Stored in: " . "upload/" . $_FILES["file"]["name"];
}
?>
```

Cookies

- HTTP Protocol is Stateless protocol
- Http never store user's info
- Identify user info
- Its a small file it includes user info at browser/client side
- Browser max can store 20 files
- Max size of an individual file is 4KB

Create a Cookie

- setcookie() Creates cookieSyntax
- > setcookie(name,value,expire_time);
 Eg:
- setcookie("user","Raghu",time()+3600);//Expire in one Hr Retrieve a Cookie Value
- Variable \$_COOKIE is used to retrieve a cookie value Eg:
- \$UserName=\$_COOKIE["user"];
 Retrieve all Cookie Values
- > print_r(\$_COOKIE);

Delete a Cookie

- Same setcookie() is used to delete a cookieSyntax
- > setcookie(name,Null_Value,time()-3600);
 Eg:
- > setcookie("user","",time()-3600);

Eg:

```
<?php
setcookie("user","Raghu",time()+3600);
if(isset($_COOKIE["user"]))
echo "Welcome ".$_COOKIE["user"]."<br>";
else
echo "Welcome guest<br>";
?>
```

Drawbacks of Cookie

- Its not safety since its stored in client side
- Anyone can read Cookie file easily

Sessions

- Similar to cookies
- User info stored in Server side in /tmp
- Each client identified by Unique no → Session Id
- Session Id is stored in cookie
- User can store more no of variables
- It maintains user info across the web pages

Start Session

- session_start() starts new session
- It generates session Id

Sessions Variable

```
    $_SESSION – Retrieves session variable
    Syntax
    $_SESSION['var_name']
    Eg:
```

> \$name=\$_SESSION['user'];
Remove Session Data

b unset() - Removes session variable
Syntax
unset(\$_SESSION['var_name']);
Eg:
unset(\$ SESSION['user']);

End a Session

session_destroy() - Destroys all session variable

Syntax

```
session_destroy();
<?php
session start();
if(isset($ SESSION['visit']))
   $ SESSION['visit']++;
   echo "No of visit: ".$ SESSION['visit']."<br>";
}else
   echo "Session data is not available<br>";
   $ SESSION['visit']=0;
}?>
```

Thank you