

Client Side and Server Side Scripting

Client-side scripting refers to scripting that occurs in your browser or, at the very least, on the client's computer. JavaScript is the most common example, but other client-side technologies such as Flash exist. JavaScript is an ECMAScript standard implementation. Most modern browsers have it built in, or there are plug-ins for things like Flash and other client-side languages. Server-side scripting refers to scripting that occurs on the server. PHP is one of several methods for doing server-side programming. When you submit a form, the data is sent to the server and processed before being used to generate an HTML page. After that, the HTML page is returned to the client's browser. Ajax is a technology that combines client-side and server-side components. It enables you to request portions of a webpage or information for that webpage without having to request an entirely new webpage.