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What is SAP UI5

SAP UI5 is the new UI technology from SAP to build **responsive web** applications and is the successor of SAP GUI, Webdynpro and BSP. It is a framework which is based on libraries to quick design user experience.

Framework - collection of libraries

Library - collection of classes

Class - collection of properties, events, methods and aggregations

So basically SAP provide the facility to build our user experience, which is going to help the companies to build web applications which can run on mobile devices any platform and any browser.

**Responsive Web Application** - An application which adopt itself according the device, platform and browser. so that is the definition of responsive application.

So when we will build responsive web application using UI5 then make sure that application works on any platform and any device.

Follow Below Steps in order to build UI5 application

1. We are going to launch our development tool call SAP Business Application Studio. (It is a web-based development tool available in free.)
2. Create a basic skeleton of our project (Which is nothing but a folder inside the best tool). The Folder should have webapp folder (web-application folder)
3. *A screenshot of a computer

   Description automatically generated*Add a index.html file to the webapp folder. *[when we start building applications, it starts with this html file called* ***index.html****]*.

Basically html file consists of **2 parts** -> Header Body.

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Body is what the content we want to show to the user.

1. Now we use **ui5 framework** in html file, to use ui5 framework we need to call them. So basically we use **script tag** in html to load or call 3rd party libraries/framework. We use this tag in **header part**

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| Factors | SAP Business Application Studio (BAS) | VS Code |
| Usage : Online/Offline | The tool can only be used in online mood | The tool can be used in offline mood |
| Owns this tool | SAP is offering this tool in SAP BTP(Business Technology Platform) | Offered by microsoft, which is for download |
| Cost | Trial mode for 90 days it is free. But after, it will cost 2-6 EUR per month per user. | Lifetime free |
| Speed | Sometimes the speed and performance is not good. | It depends on local machine, but still its performance is very good. |
| Responsible for code backup | All code which we write are store on internet, so anytime if device is lost or damaged, we can continue with other device as well. | As it is offline, code is not store on internet. Here you are responsible for backup. |
| Tech | It is a baby of VS code, infact SAP downloaded the source code of vs code and published as BAS | It is more supreme and it is original. |
| Limitations | It is a multi-cloud development tool provides all development capabilities for UI5, Native HANA | As per UI5 concerned except adaptation project, it supports everything |

**Development tools for Ui5 Applications (video-02)**

# BTP (Business Technology Platform)

BTP stands for Business Technology Platform which is platform as a Service (PaaS) to allow development teams to design, develop, deliver, test, manage end to end applications in the cloud.

For learning purpose for 90 days SAP is offering free BTP account – we can register through gmail.

Runtime

Tools

Virtualization

BTP

Hardware

Networking

OS

So before develop/build any software we need to have setup for all this things **hardware, software, networking, OS, Virtualization, Tools, Runtime** for each employee. So basically it is a time consuming and expensive. So to remove this problem BTP is providing a platform, where we no need to setup all these things, just we need to take subscription for BTP and we can continue to building the app.

# BAS (Business Application Studio)

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# Dev Space

A dev space is private area for developer which confine the requirements to develop a particular application. SAP installs all the recommended tools needed to build Fiori apps in the dev space for us. It is a virtual machine running in the cloud.

* It isolate developers work from each other.
* When a developer does something wrong, which cause a system corruption, it wont affect to the other developer.
* In trial account we can run max 2 dev space. And one will be running at a time.
* After starting the dev space, click on the **open folder** and choose Projects
* In the Project folder create a new project.
* Add index.html file with some content.
* Go to extension and install Live server extension (one time)
* Right click on the index.html file and choose run with five server.

# VS Code – Tool in local machine

Pre-requisites

1. Download and install node js. [Click here and Get Link](https://nodejs.org/en/download) (Only **v16.19.0**)
2. Download and install vs code. [Click here and Get Link](https://code.visualstudio.com/download)
3. You can check node js is ready or not by command : node -v
4. VS codes needs a workspace, it is a folder on your computer where you keep all the projects and files
5. Once VS code is installed, we also need to download the live server (Like we did in BAS)

# Client Server Architecture**(video-03)**

Client-server architecture is a type of computer network where multiple clients request and receive files and services from a centralized server over a local or internet connection. A client uses an application as an interface to connect to the server.

# Request Response Architecture

Server

Browser(Client)

[Mobile, Workstation, Laptop]

Request- ***header, body(opt)***

Internet

**port**

response – ***header, body (html, text, pdf, image, Json, xml, word)***

* GET – read the data from server
* POST – Insert data from server
* PUT – Update the data
* DELETE – Delete the data

types of request

**Port** – it is like a door, once request goes first it comes to port and port is listen which type of request it is then it process in the server and from the data -base it validate the request and then it gives the response. This is how any web application works, and this is how also our Fiori application will work.

So when we want to build applications and run from client side, then we need to understand the Web Technologies

**Web Technologies**

* **HTML**
* **CSS**
* **Java Script**
* **J Query**

HTML And HTML5

HTML stands from hyper text markup language. It is used to create static web page. We can not do any dynamic operation in web page with help of html. HTML introduced in 1991.

* HTML is markup language, not programming language.
* HTML is purely tag based
* These tags are released by the company named W3 School.
* All browser vendors are part of it.
* Browser directly understand html.
* An HTML page consists of head (brain) and body (content part user will see)

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| YEAR | VERSION |
| 1991 | HTML |
| 1995 | HTML 2.0 |
| 1997 | XHTML |
| 1999 | HTML 4.0 |
| 2014 | HTML 5 |

# Difference between HTML5 and UI5

HTML5 is a markup language and it doesn't have programming capabilities but SAP UI5 is a framework which is based on libraries approach to build web applications.

 HTML5 is mainly for the purpose of creating a simple webpage without formatting and logic but UI5 provides standard style and components to build rich UIs

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* An HTML page is also known as HTML document.
* All HTML elements will follow below syntax.

<tagName property=””>CONTENT</tagName>

* There are some exceptions where you can skip writing end-tag.
* HTML is case sensitive, but it is good practice to write tags in small letters.
* We can use CTRL + SPACE to show code completion, in any tools.
* HTML at runtime produced a tree data structure, where the nodes of the tree are html element,
* This data structure is known as ***Document Object Model (DOM)***
* We can see this data structure by clicking **F12** key

# What is DOM

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# HTML <!DOCTYPE> Declaration

All HTML documents must start with a <!DOCTYPE> declaration.

The declaration is not an HTML tag. It is an "information" to the browser about what document type to expect.

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Description automatically generatedIn HTML 5, the declaration is simple: <!DOCTYPE html>

# HTML <meta> Tag

The <meta> tag defines metadata about an HTML document. Metadata is data (information) about data.

<meta> tags always go inside the <head> element, are typically used to specify character set, page description, keywords, author of the document, and viewport settings. Metadata is used by browsers (how to display content or reload page), search engines (keywords), and other web services.

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The charset attribute specifies the character encoding for the HTML document.

The description attribute specifies the description of my web page.

The author specifies the author of the web page

The keyword specifies the keyword of the web page, this keyword used by the search engine.

# HTML Headings

HTML headings are defined with the <h1> to <h6> tags.

<h1> defines the most important heading. <h6> defines the least important heading.

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# HTML <em> Tag

The <em> tag is used to define emphasized text. The content inside is typically displayed in **italic.**

# Comments in html

To comment the html line enter the Command **CTRL + /**

# HTML <p> Tag

The <p> tag defines a paragraph in html.

# HTML <a> Tag

The <a> tag defines a hyperlink, which is used to link from one page to another.

The most important attribute of the <a> element is the href attribute, which indicates the link's destination.

# HTML <img> Tag

The <img> tag is used to embed an image in an HTML page.

The <img> tag has two required attributes:

src - Specifies the path to the image

alt - Specifies an alternate text for the image, if the image for some reason cannot be displayed

**Note:** Also, always specify the width and height of an image

# HTML Unordered Lists

The HTML <ul> tag defines an unordered (bulleted) list.

An unordered list starts with the <ul> tag. Each list item starts with the <li> tag.

The list items will be marked with bullets (small black circles) by default:

# HTML Ordered Lists

The HTML <ol> tag defines an ordered list. An ordered list can be numerical or alphabetical.

An ordered list starts with the <ol> tag. Each list item starts with the <li> tag.

The type attribute of the <ol> tag, defines the type of the list item marker:

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| type="1" | The list items will be numbered with numbers (default) |
| type="A" | The list items will be numbered with uppercase letters |
| type="a" | The list items will be numbered with lowercase letters |
| type="I" | The list items will be numbered with uppercase roman numbers |
| type="i" | The list items will be numbered with lowercase roman numbers |

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# HTML <label> Tag

In the label tag we define a attribute **for** that binds or connect to the input element such as text, email, password, text area etc. So that when ever user click on the label it directly redirects to the user to the input.

**Note :** The <label> tag needs a ***for*** attribute whose value is the same as input **id.**

# HTML <input> Tag

The <input> tag specifies an input field where the user can enter data.

The <input> element is the most important form element.

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Description automatically generatedThe <input> element can be displayed in several ways, depending on the **type** attribute.

# HTML <form> Tag

An **HTML form** is *a section of a document* which contains controls such as text fields, password fields, checkboxes, radio buttons, submit button, menus etc.

An HTML form facilitates the user to enter data that is to be sent to the server for processing. HTML forms are required if you want to collect some data from of the site visitor.

**There are two attributes of the form tag that we should be familiar with:**

* There is a attribute called **action** in the form tag, where we pass the server URL, so when user submit the form it redirects to that URL.
* The **method** attribute is used to upload the data. The most commonly used attributes are the GET and POST methods. Default is **GET**