More on Web Development Basics

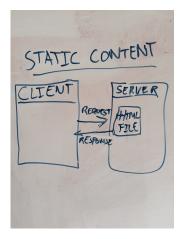
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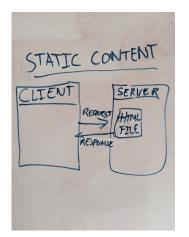
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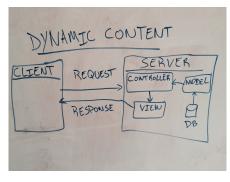


Figure : Dynamic Content

Figure: Static Content

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MVC in Django

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In Django MVC == MVT

| General | Django | |
|------------|----------|--|
| Model | Model | |
| Controller | View | |
| View | Template | |

Table: MVC mapping in Django.

GET

- GET
- POST

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- PUT

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- PUT
- DELETE

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| Action | URL | Verb | What this does | |
|---------|---------------|--------|--|--|
| Index | /books | GET | show me all the books in the database | |
| Show | /books/1 | GET | show me a <i>particular</i> book in the database | |
| New | /books/new | GET | start creating a new book | |
| Create | /books | POST | add a new book to the database | |
| Edit | /books/1/edit | GET | start making changes <i>particular</i> book | |
| Update | /books/1 | PUT | save changes to a <i>particular</i> book in the database | |
| Destroy | /books/1 | DELETE | delete a book from the database | |

Table: Mapping REST actions to URLS and verbs.

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| Create | /books | POST | /books/create |
| Edit | /books/1/edit | GET | /books/1/edit |
| Update | /books/1 | PUT | /books/1/update |
| Destroy | /books/1 | DELETE | /books/1/destroy |

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Let's take a look at our app

Let's add some content

Creating the book model

Some admin

So how do we get to see our view?