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Originally Answered: is Flask a web server?

Flask is **not** a web server.

Flask is a micro web application framework. That means it is basically a set of tools and libraries that make it easier to build web applications in Python.

Flask does however include a web server that can be used for testing and development) But when you're ready to host your app or put it into production, you should choose a different web server to use with it. Eg. Gunicorn, Tornado etc.