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DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

COURSE NAME: 19CT503 – Internet Programming

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Unit 1- WEBSITE BASICS

Topic : Web clients-web servers

Web Clients

- web clients is an application software that allows us to view and explore information on the web.
- User can request for any web page by just entering a URL into address bar.
- Web clients can show text, audio, video, animation and more. It is the responsibility of a web browser to interpret text and commands contained in the web page.

Browser	Vendor
Internet Explorer	Microsoft
Google Chrome	Google
Mozilla Firefox	Mozilla
Netscape Navigator	Netscape Communications Corp.
Opera	Opera Software
Safari	Apple
Sea Monkey	Mozilla Foundation
K-meleon	K-meleon

Architecture



Controller

- works as a control unit in CPU.
- It takes input from the keyboard or mouse, interpret it and make other services to work on the basis of input it receives.

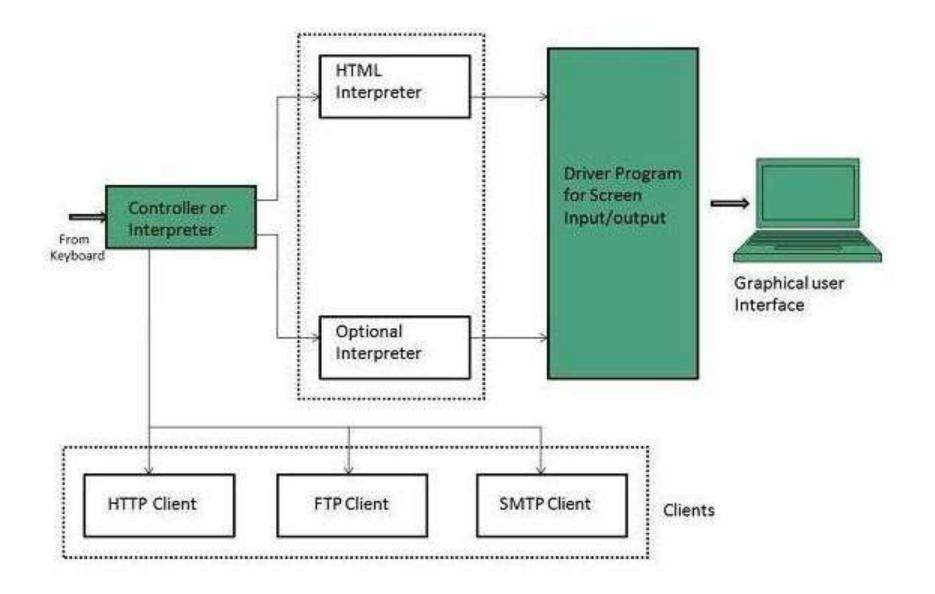
Interpreter

• receives the information from the controller and execute the instruction line by line.

Client Program

• describes the specific protocol that will be used to access a particular service.

- Following are the client programs tat are commonly used:
 - HTTP
 - SMTP
 - FTP
 - NNTP
 - POP



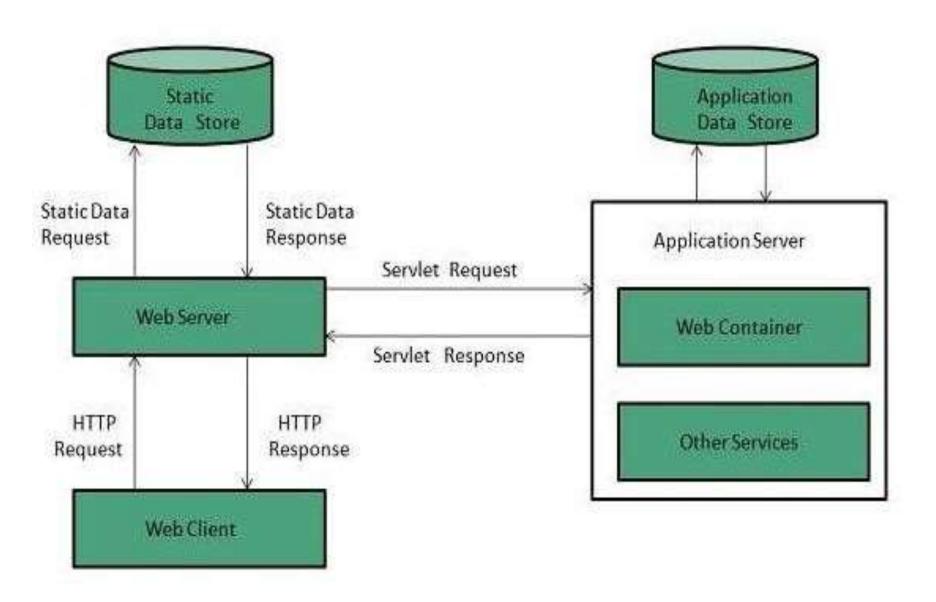
Web server

- Server is a device or a computer program that accepts and responds to the request made by other program, known as client.
- It is used to manage the network resources and for running the program or software that provides services.
- Web server contains only web or servlet container.

- It can be used for servlet, jsp, struts, jsf etc.
- It can't be used for EJB.
- It is a computer where the web content can be stored.
- Examples of Web Servers are:
 - Apache Tomcat and Resin
 - Internet Information Services
 - Lighttpd
 - Sun Java System Web Server
 - Jigsaw Server

Web Server Working

- It can respond to the client request in either of the following two possible ways:
- Generating response by using the script and communicating with database.
- Sending file to the client associated with the requested URL.



Important points

- If the requested web page at the client side is not found, then web server will sends the HTTP response: Error 404 Not found.
- When the web server searching the requested page if requested page is found then it will send to the client with an HTTP response.
- If the client requests some other resources then web server will contact to application server and data is store for constructing the HTTP response.





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