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INTERNET TECHNOLOGY AND WEB DESIGN

Chapter: 8.2 Web Publishing

Topic: 8.2.1 Overview

Overview

- Information publishing is the publishing of information on computer networks.
- A Web server is a good example of an information publishing system.
- The Web browser is the container into which web information is published.
- By far, the most practical way to publish information is with Web technologies.
- The Internet and intranets provide the platform for wide range of information either internally or externally.
- Publishing information is more than creating content.
- It is also about managing security, document flow copyright and other factors.
- Document management is a science into itself which includes storing, tracking, versioning, indexing and searching for a document.
- Web page are compound documents that can hold text and individual objects like pictures, sounds, videos, Java applets, ActiveX controls and an electronic mail message with an attachment such as a graphic.
- The original purpose of compound documents was to provide a single place where users could store all the elements related to a document and if necessary, send the document to someone else.

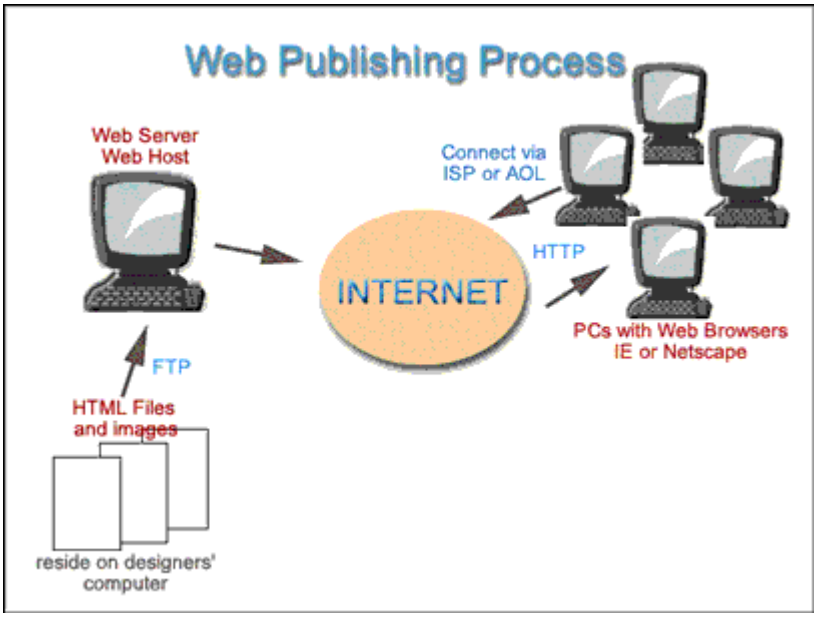

FIG 8.1: Web Publishing