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6. WINDOWS EXPLORER

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Abstract

Advancement in the Internet and networking technologies has grown during last two decades. To make a full usage of these technologies the application developers are also not left behind. Application developers are using their full skills and knowledge to make extensive use of the internal technologies.

6.1 Introduction

Windows explorer is a software application, part of Windows Operating Systems that provides a Graphical User Interface to the user to access the file system, either a file system on hard drive or network file system. With Windows Explorer, user can perform all activities in dealing with files and folders so that user can easily organize files and folders. Windows explorer is divided into two pane windows, the left pane (folder pane), contains a folders and drives on the computer, and the right pane (file pane), to display the contents of the selected folder.

6.2 The Windows Explorer

In this section, we'll create a new folder on the hard drive, but we'll use a tool called the Windows Explorer to do it. To bring up the Windows Explorer, do the following:

- From your Desktop, Click the **Start** button in the bottom left hand corner of your screen
- Click the green "**All Programs**" button