



Processing Forms

Retrieving and using Form Information





Create a form

- A simple form used in this presentation:

Name:

Email:

Messsage:



Form Code

```
<form name="contact" id="contact" method="post" action="mail.asp">
  <p>
    <label>Name:
    <input name="fromname" type="text" id="fromname" size="40" />
  </label>
</p>
<p>
  <label>Email:
  <input name="email" type="text" id="email" size="40" />
</label>
</p>
<p><label>Comments:<br />
  <textarea name="message" cols="60" rows="8"
id="message"></textarea></label>
</p>
  <p class="ctr"><input name="Submit" type="submit" value="Submit" />
</p></form>
```



Retrieve with ASP

- To retrieve the information from a form field it depends on which method the form uses to pass the information.
 - Get method: `request.querystring("field")`
 - Post method: `request.form("field")`



ASP Send with CDONTS

```
<%
```

```
Dim objCDOMail 'Holds the mail server object
```

```
Set objCDOMail =
```

```
    Server.CreateObject("CDONTS.NewMail")
```

```
objCDOMail.From = Request.Form("fromname") &  
    Request.Form("email")
```

```
objCDOMail.To = "cdwise@wiserways.com"
```

```
objCDOMail.Subject = "WebTech SIG ASP Test"
```

```
objCDOMail.Body = request.Form("message")
```

```
'Send the e-mail
```

```
objCDOMail.Send 'Close the server object
```

```
Set objCDOMail = Nothing
```

```
Response.Redirect("asp-code.html")
```

```
%>
```



PHP Send Mail

<?

```
$email = $_REQUEST['email'] ;  
$fromname = $_REQUEST['fromname'] ;  
$message = $_REQUEST['message'] ;
```

```
mail( "sigleader@webtechsig.org", "WebTech SIG PHP  
Test", $message, "From: {$fromname} <{$email}>");  
header( "Location:  
http://webtechsig.org/presentations/forms2/php-  
code.html" );
```

?>



Additional Resources

- ASP
- http://www.webwizguide.info/asp/tutorials/email_using_cdonts_tutorial.asp