A Overview of the Internet

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About the Talk

This talk is a brief overview of the Internet how it is used by people how it evolved and how it is evolving.

Web and the Internet: Timeline

Chronology

Arpanet :- Internetwork communication network that is distributed. nuclear war

Protocols

Telnet :- remote logging on

FTP :- transfer of files

Email :-

Newsgroups :- foundation of the social element of the internet.

Rise in home computing, games, graphics, offices, new tools

Concepts: Vannevar Bush 1946 "invented" the internet Minitel(France Telecom/BT) 1982 - Terminal Online Services Compuserve 1989 Ted Nelson "hypertext" Tim Berners Lee "World Wide Web" 1990ish 1994 Netscape, explosion of the web By 1996 increasingly clear that finding things was difficult

Software and Tools

- Gopher
- Usenet News Servers
- Telnet Clients :- Windows Telnet, TerraTerm, xTerm or Putty
- FTP Clients :- Filezilla, WinFTP, CuteFTP
- Browsers :- lynx, Web Browsers, RSS Readers/Aggregators.

- Message Client :- MSN, Yahoo, Jabber, Facebook Chat, Skype, Gtalk, AIM, IRC etc.
- Internet telephony :- Skype, Gtalk, MSN, SIP(Ekiga etc.).

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• Google Chrome

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Flock

• Alta Vista

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- Google Me (or a google entry into the Facebook Market)

The Future

What will the future be? What will Web 3.0 be?

- Convergence of Search Engines, Catalogues, Chat Clients, Social Netorking, Twitter, Facebook. Myspace, Bebo, Google Wave, Google Buzz, Google ME? etc.
- Access points Smart Phones, Games Consoles, internetTVs.
- Non Latin domain names! 2010?
- Will HTML5 make Flash Redundant

- Google SPDY Protocol replacing http?
- IPV6 replacing IPV4?
- Apples market value overtakes Microsoft?
- 2010 Facebook overtakes google as the most popular website
- Spring 2010 more Internet Messages being sent than emails.

Thanks for having a look

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