

Building SharePoint Web Parts with the Web ADF

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Agenda

- Today we will cover
 - Creating a custom Web Part that contains ADF controls
 - Deploying the Web Part in SharePoint
 - Debugging

Microsoft SharePoint

Browser-based collaboration and document management platform

Windows SharePoint Services 3.0 (WSS)

- Included with Windows Server
- Microsoft Office SharePoint Server 2007 (MOSS)
 - Licensed separately
 - WSS + extra features

Built on ASP.NET applications and services

- Postback model
- Modify site content using Web Parts

Web Parts

ASP.NET Server controls

- ASP.NET Web Part (recommended)
 - System.Web.UI.WebControls.WebParts.WebPart
- SharePoint Web Part
 - Microsoft.SharePoint.WebPartPages.WebPart
 - Included with SharePoint Server not SDK
 - Backward compatible, cross-page connections

Personalization

- Modify content, appearance, and behavior of Web Parts
- Tied to the identity of a user and page
- Persisted, long-term
- In custom Web Part controls, use Personalizable attribute on properties

Discussion topics

- ASP.NET AJAX support
- 64-bit support
- Inter-part communication
- Working with SharePoint data services

Additional Resources

- ArcGIS Server Resource Center
 - Web ADF sample
 Common Custom Controls
 - http://resources.esri.com/help/9.3/arcgisserver/adf/dotnet/samples_start.htm
- ArcGIS Server blog
 - http://blogs.esri.com/Dev/blogs/arcgisserver/
- MSDN ASP.NET Web Parts reference
 - http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/e0s9t4ck.aspx
- Microsoft SharePoint products and technologies

 <u>http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/bb931739.aspx</u>