

CS644/IT632/CS397K: Internet Computing with Distributed Components

The due day for all the tasks specified here is November 19, 2006.

Tasks to be completed in Weeks 10 and 11 (11/6 – 11/19):

1. Read Chapter 8 of the textbook. Try out all projects covered in your reading.
2. Review Chapter 1 of the textbook.
3. In course *Discussion Board* forum *Weeks10and11*, reply to each of the following questions:
 - a. In one or few sentences, informally explain what are application servers (applications? Software frameworks? Etc.)?
 - b. There are two types of session beans: stateless and stateful. Which of them could provide better scalability (serving more concurrent clients faster)?
 - c. What is the main function of J2EE SDK's "Deploytool"?