

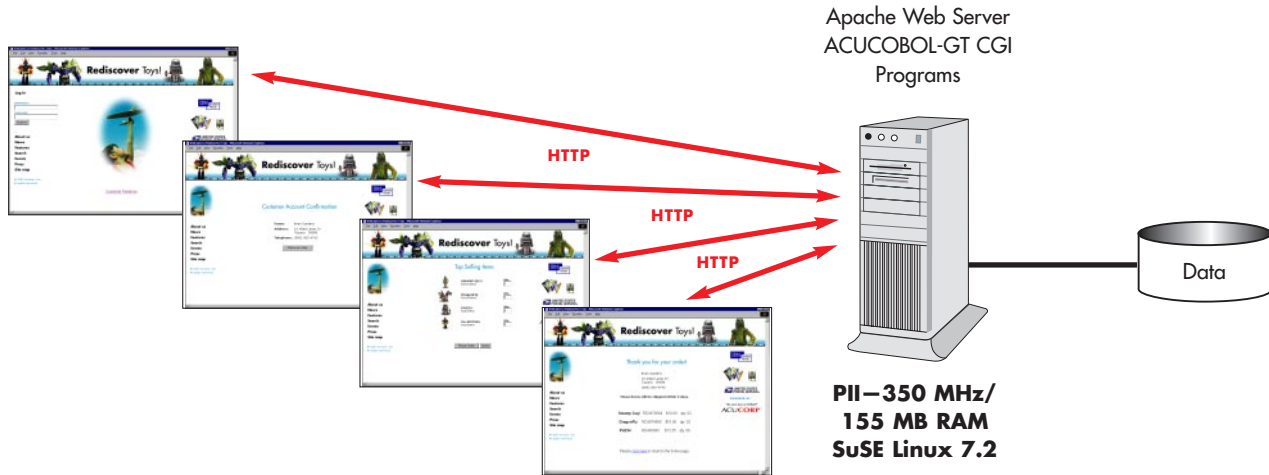
# Rediscover Toys!



## How Does it Work?

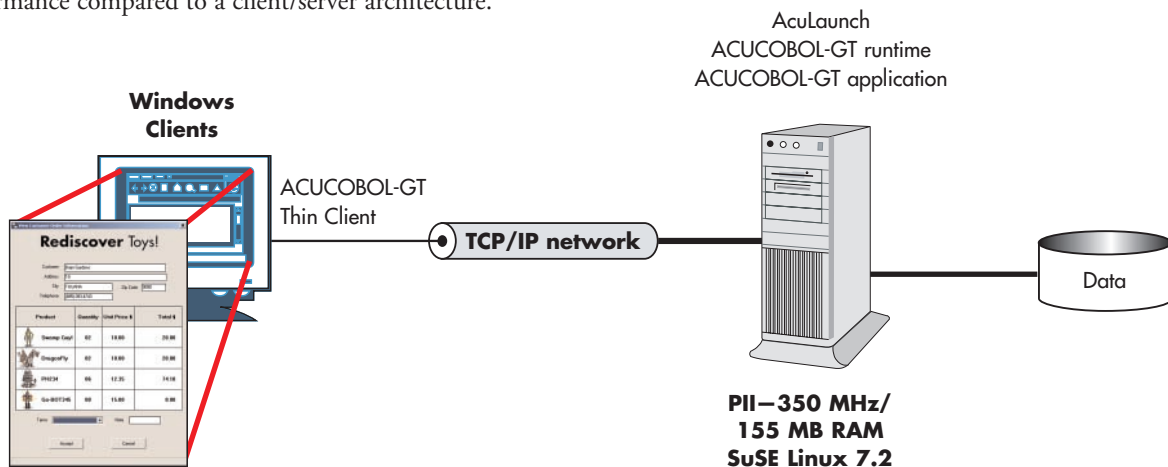
### Part 1. The e-Store: Application for Placing Orders

Rediscover Toys! Inc. has an HTML front end that allows new and existing clients to place orders on-line from their available inventory. On the back end the application resides on a Pentium II server running SuSE Linux and Apache Web Server. The HTML pages trigger ACUCOBOL™-GT CGI programs to validate the customer information, process the order, and issue a confirmation of the purchase.



### Part 2. The Customer Relations Application: Application for Checking Orders

Rediscover Toys! has developed a GUI application to expedite the customer service operations. This application takes advantage of the graphical capabilities of ACUCOBOL-GT and the deployment benefits of Acucorp's Thin Client technology. The program executes on a Pentium II server running SuSE Linux and displays the graphical user interface on the Windows client. This architecture facilitates centralized system deployment, configuration, and maintenance, while allowing enhanced security and remote access across most networks, including the Internet. Because the application and the database reside locally on the server, this solution provides improved performance compared to a client/server architecture.



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