

# How to fall in love with Drupal again



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# About Me

- 15+ years of Drupal. Yikes!
- Live in Rhode Island
- Named one of the Best CEOs in the U.S.



# It begins with Rock 'n Roll

Remix the Drupal song:

<https://www.lullabot.com/articles/the-drupal-song-remix-tracks>

**Act I - Falling in love with Drupal**

**Act II - Falling out of love with Drupal**

**Act III - Falling in Love with Drupal again.**

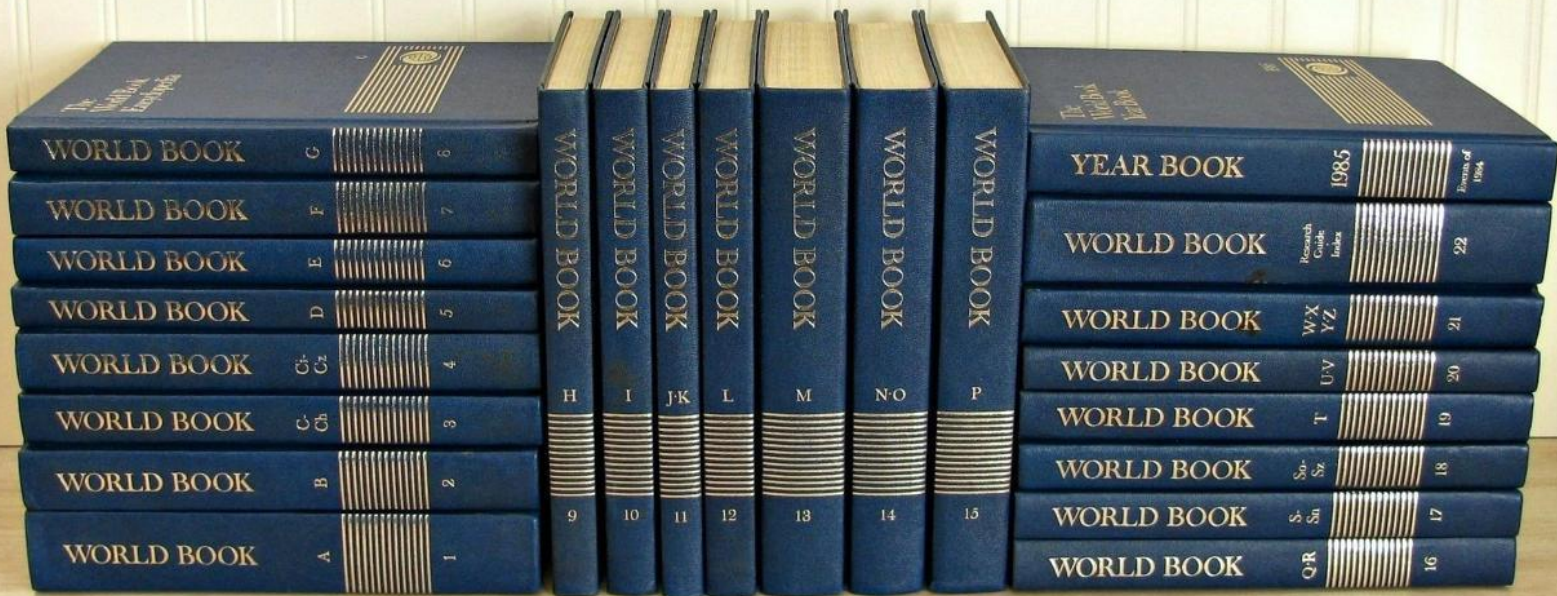
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**Collaborate Openly**

**Have Fun**

**Kick Ass**

# Act I - Falling In Love With Drupal



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**Papa, where do websites come from?**

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# So, you want to make a Web Page!




by [Joe Barta](#) - [PageTutor.com](#)

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Hello. My name is  and I'm going to give you a few simple lessons on how to make a Web Page. I must warn you though, this is for "all wet behind ears" Newbies. If you're at all experienced at this sort of thing, you'll probably find this tutorial a bit of a yawner.

You'll be happy to learn that it's really pretty simple. The basic idea is this... A web page is nothing more than a file, a HTML file to be exact. It's called HTML because web page documents have the file extension **.html** or **.htm**. HTML stands for **Hyper Text Mark-up Language**. (If you are unclear about this file extension stuff, then you really *are* newbie!! Take a [quick detour](#) for a few ramblings on the subject).

Let's get started. First, if you have any of them fancy HTML editors and have an inkling to break em in now... forget it. The worst way to learn is to use one of those things. (Although there are a few that you will find helpful, they'll only help you once you learn the basics, so don't even worry about it now.) What's the best way to learn HTML?? Notepad. I know, I know, you got this 9 megabyte Wunder Wizard that says it's gonna make putting up a web page as easy as scratching your head. Just trust me on this one. K? K.

Joe,  
  
Just wanted to drop you a line to let you know how much I enjoyed your tutorials. After reading your tutorials, I bailed on my old web site which was done with \*\*\*\* and started my own from scratch with Notepad. It was like crawling out of a 5 gallon bucket. I now can do exactly what I want.  
  
Thanks,  
Mike

### FAQ: *What the heck is Notepad and where do I get it?*



**A:** Notepad is the default Windows text editor. On most Windows systems, click your Start button and choose Programs then Accessories. It should be a little blue notebook. For our purposes, ANY text editor will do nicely. You can go to most any shareware/freeware site and pick yourself up a zippy new text editor, many of them being free. For the time being though, Notepad will do quite nicely.



Right from the outset, you will be doing yourself a very big favor if you pick yourself up a free copy of [NoteTab Light](#). It can be used as a simple Notepad replacement, or with a little fiddling, can be one of the most powerful text manipulation tools in the world. I give this wonderful free editor my personal "two-thumbs-up" and wholeheartedly encourage you to try it out and learn how to use it. I've tried quite a few editors and this is what I use every day.



**Mac Users:** SimpleText is the default text editor on the Mac. Mac users eventually might want to download [BEdit Lite](#), a more powerful, and free mac text editor.

And one more thing (again) at least while you're learning... put away Composer, put away Front Page, put away Sooper Dooper Web Page Cruncher. Just follow along with Notepad. Trust me. Would I lie? ;-)

Another tool you'll need is a *browser* to view your web pages. You're probably using a web browser right now to view these pages. The most widely used is Microsoft Internet Explorer. That's the default browser on most computers. A recently very highly rated browser is **Firefox**. It's free, it's an excellent alternative to Internet Explorer, and it contains tools that are especially useful to web developers. I use it all the time and I enthusiastically recommend you download it and give it a whirl.

If you use a service such as AOL or MSN your browser is whatever you use to browse web pages. (Of course you're not restricted to what the give you... you can use any browser you wish.)

Speaking of which, if you're using an online service such as AOL, MSN etc, you can still easily make a web page using these tutorials. The lessons are applicable no matter what you are using. Also, just because you're using AOL (or some other online service), that doesn't mean you have to use their tools... you are welcome to use whatever you want. WebTV's - I don't know much about WebTV, but I do know that people have been able to make web pages with it and WebTV's have made good use of these lessons. You might want to look for some WebTV specific sites to learn how they do it. Then you can come back here and go through these lessons.

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## 🔥 Drupal engine

Submitted by [Natrak](#) on Sunday, March 03, 2002 - 23:24

### Project description

Drupal is the English pronunciation for the Dutch word '[druppel](#)' which stands for '[drop](#)'. Drupal is a content management/discussion engine suitable to setup or build a content driven or community driven website. We aim towards easy installation, excessive configuration and fine-grained maintenance capabilities. Due to its modular design Drupal is flexible and easy to adapt or extend. Drupal is written using [PHP](#). The source code is available under terms of the [GNU General Public License \(GPL\)](#).

### Mission statement

To develop a leading edge open-source content management system that implements the latest thinking in community publishing, knowledge management, and software design. We value flexibility, simplicity, and utility in our product; teamwork, innovation, and openness in our community; and modularity, extensibility and maintainability in our code.

### Log in

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### Project information

[Drupal](#)

[Bugs](#): 41 open

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<?php
function node_invoke(&$node, $hook, $arg = 0) {
    if (is_array($node)) {
        $function = $node["type"] . "_$hook";
    }
    else if (is_object($node)) {
        $function = $node->type . "_$hook";
    }
    else if (is_string($node)) {
        $function = $node . "_$hook";
    }

    if (function_exists($function)) {
        return ($arg ? $function($node, $arg) : $function($node));
    }
}

function node_invoke_all(&$node, $hook, $op, $arg = 0) {
    $return = array();
    foreach (module_list() as $name) {
        if ((module_hook($name, "node") || module_hook($name, "nodeapi")) && module_hook($name, $hook)) {
            $function = $name . "_" . $hook;
            $result = $function($node, $op, $arg);
            if (isset($result)) {
                $return = array_merge($return, $result);
            }
        }
    }
    return $return;
}
```

## List of maintainers

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### BLOG API

M: James Walker

S: maintained

### DISTRIBUTED AUTHENTICATION MODULES

M: Moshe Weitzman

S: maintained

### FILTER SYSTEM

M: Steven Wittens

S: maintained

### LOCALE MODULE

M: Gabor Hojtsy

S: maintained

### MENU SYSTEM

M: Jonathan Chaffer

S: maintained

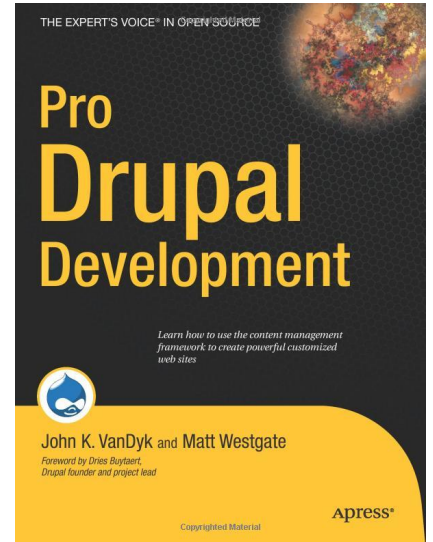
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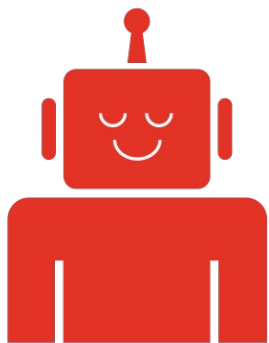
**M: Matt Westgate**

**S: maintained**



That's John.  
And he's going to LOVE this photo ->





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# Act II - Falling Out of Love With Drupal

**Acquia + Drupal Community**

**What if Drupal doesn't Save the World?**

# Drupal 8

**Holy ship, JavaScript!**





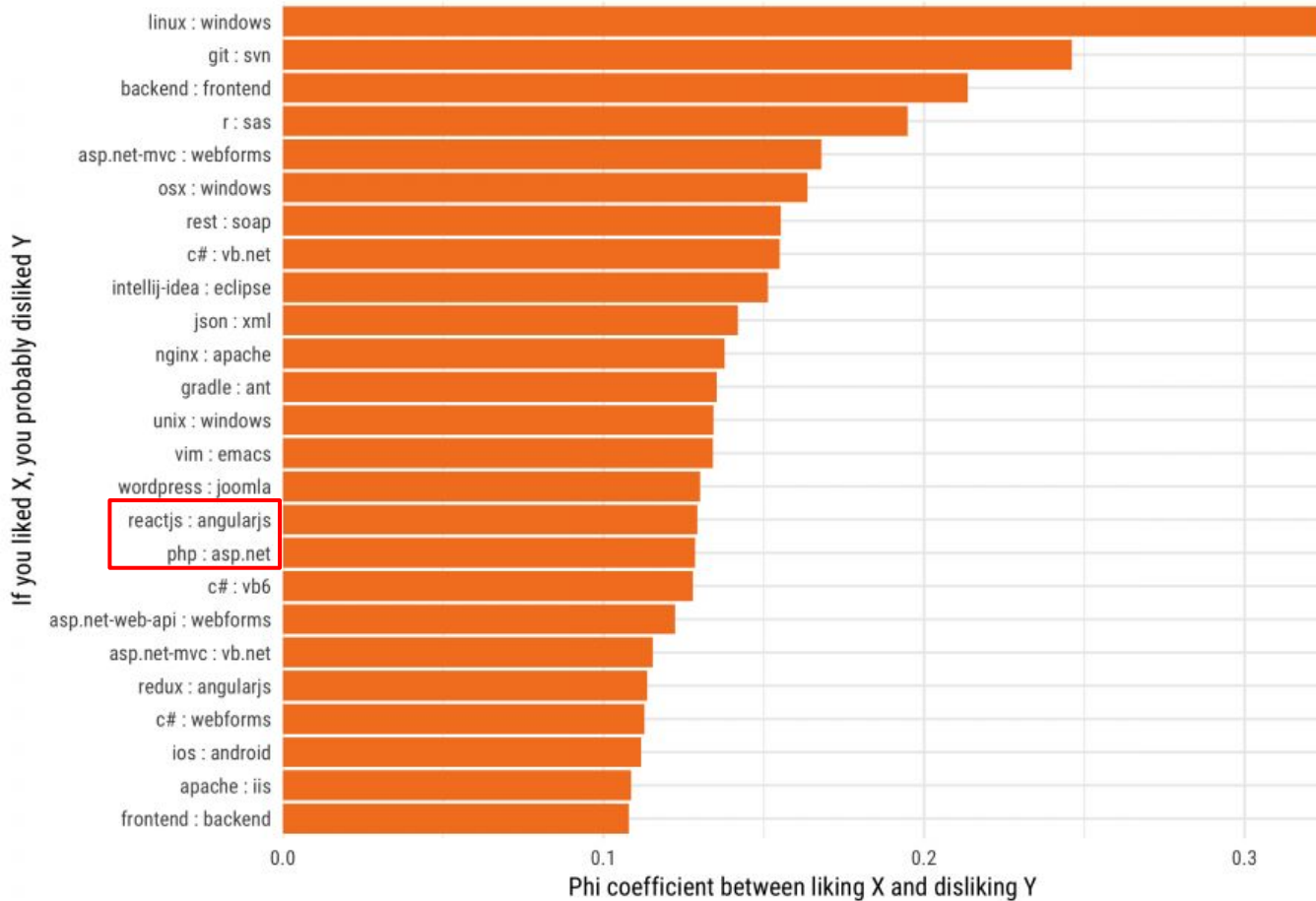
# Act III - In Love, Again

**Come from a place of abundance**  
*(it's our community, too)*

# Drupal + JavaScript

## Tag "rivalries": correlations between liking X and disliking Y

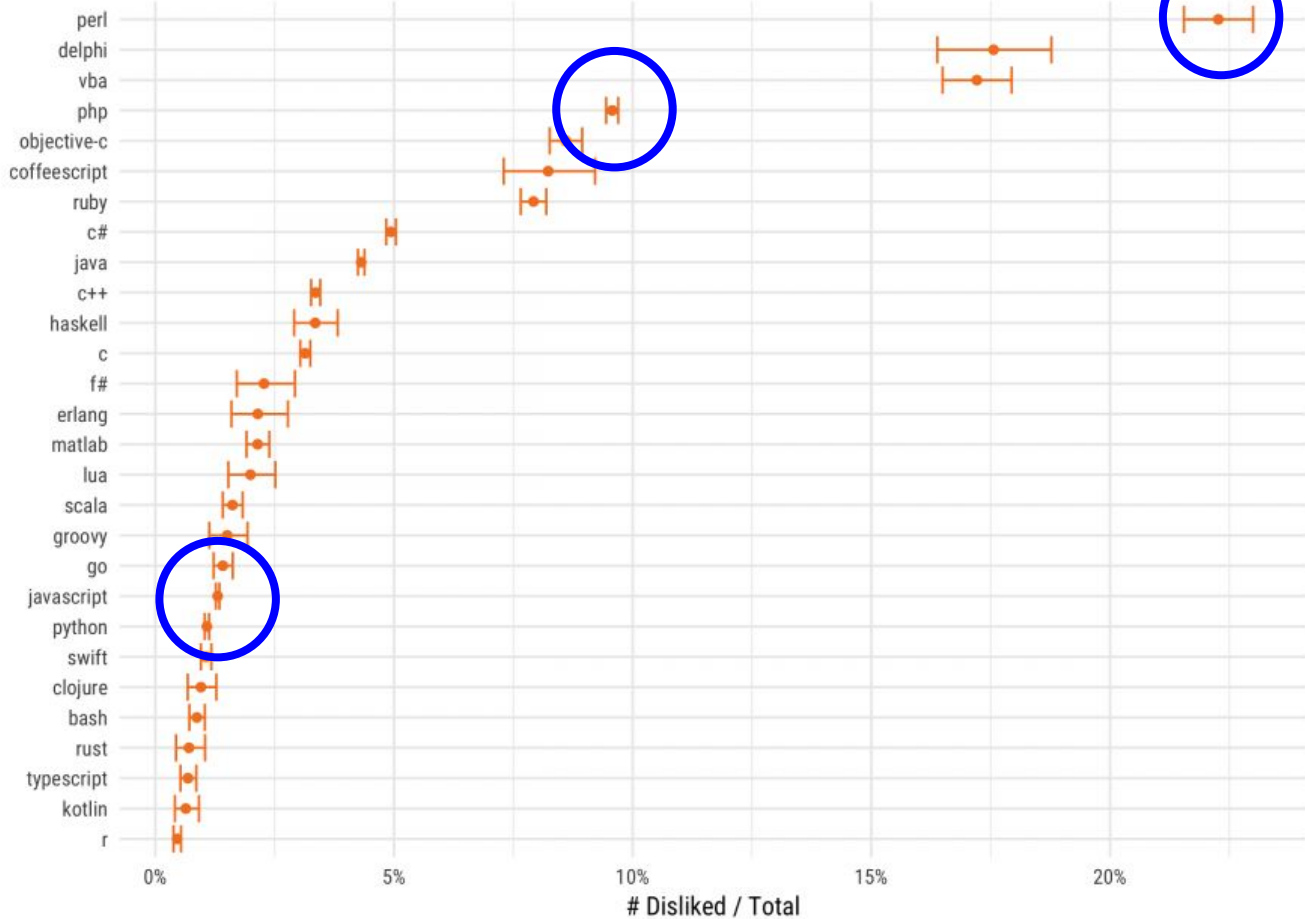
Based on "likes" and "dislikes" on Stack Overflow Developer Stories. Only tags with at least 1000 mentions overall





# How disliked is each programming language?

Based on "likes" and "dislikes" on Stack Overflow Developer Stories. Includes 95% credible intervals



# Drupal + JavaScript

<https://www.drupal.org/about/strategic-initiatives/admin-ui-js>

**We haven't found a better tool**



**We've changed lives  
(for the better)**

# You matter more than the cause<sup>1</sup>

1. Jeff Eaton: <https://events.drupal.org/nashville2018/sessions/you-matter-more-cause>

*Life is the stuff that happens while you're waiting for moments that never come.<sup>1</sup>*

1. Stay for the Community: <https://medium.com/@heyrocker/stay-for-the-community-revisited-a9efc5825de8>

**Be Human**

**Come from a place of abundance.**

**We haven't found a better tool.**

**Stay for the community.**

# Kick Ass



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