

Re: Html question

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It will be quite a high percentage, probably not as high as 95% though. However, most 'business people' in medium to large organisations will probably be running Outlook, logging in to an exchange server. Here, if they have been kept reasonably up to date, automatic display of inline images will probably be blocked.

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Check out the Entourage User's WebLog for hints, tips and troubleshooting

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Thanks for great reply Barry.

I'm going to go with your strategy. It's an important question as I'm a photographer and these are e mail promos being sent to thousands of potential clients down the road.

What percentage of business people have a client that shows attachment? My guess -- 95%, am I wrong?

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On 7/1/06 1:10 PM, in article C0CC9559.C7503%barry@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, "Barry Wainwright [MVP]" <barry@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

On 1/7/06 18:59, in article C0CC05F4.18725%studiok4485@xxxxxxxxxxxxx, "kevs" <studiok4485@xxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

I'm very ignorant of html thing.
If you send attachment do most people see them in body of text these days?
What percentage? If it's most, then now don't have to use the html option correct? Thanks
Kevs

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Attachments to plain text may or may not show up in the message viewing window – it all depends on the capabilities of the client. Many (entourage, eudora, outlook express) display the image 'in-line' under the message text, but by no means all clients do this.

If having it display in the message window is important, then HTML is a safer bet, but even then, there are many clients that don't display HTML at all, and many others that may hide images from untrusted sources.

Best (and politest) method is to send plain text, with an attachment. Every proper email client should be able to handle that, most likely in the way your recipient prefers, rather than in the way that you think they should.

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