

AN INTRODUCTION TO WEB PROGRAMMING

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- The structure of an HTML document
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BEFORE YOU BEGIN

You need a text editor:

- PC users:
 - Download and install Notepad++ (http://notepad-plus-plus.org/)
- Mac users:
 - Download TextWrangler
 (http://www.barebones.com/products/textwrangler/)

BEFORE YOU BEGIN

 You need a few browsers to test out your HTML code and make sure that it works in different browsers:

- Google Chrome: <u>www.google.com/chrome</u>
- Mozilla Firefox: www.mozilla.org/firefox/new
- MS Internet Explorer: <u>www.microsoft.com/ie</u>
- Apple Safari: <u>www.apple.com/safari</u>
- Opera: www.opera.com

HTML

- HTML stands for Hyper Text Markup
 Language.
- It is a language for describing creating web pages.
- HTML consists of "normal text" and markup "tags".
- Most "tags" have a open and close tag. (but not all)
 - <html> </html>
 - <body> </body>
 -
 - <center> </center>

There are many different standards, and document types on the web, the <!DOCTYPE> declaration helps the browser to identify and correctly display a web page.

<IDOCTYPE html> identifies the document as a HTML5

document.

Example:

<!DOCTYPE html>C

<html>

<body>

<center>

<h1>CSCI-A340 Introduction to Web Programming</h1>

</center>

P: CSCI-A 201 or CSCI-C 101 or INFO-I210. An introduction to programming web documents, including HTML, JavaScript, and PHP. Creation of a simple website, including a home page with dynamic elements, using both client-side and server-side techniques.

</body>

OUTPUT



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THE STRUCTURE OF AN HTML DOCUMENT

- An HTML document contains the following basic elements:
- DOCTYPE tag defines the document type (in this case HTML).
- <html> </html> tag which describes the web page.
- <head>.... </head> tag describes the header information of the web page.
- <body> </body> is the visible (renderable) page content.
- <h1> </h1> is displayed as a heading.
- is displayed as a paragraph.



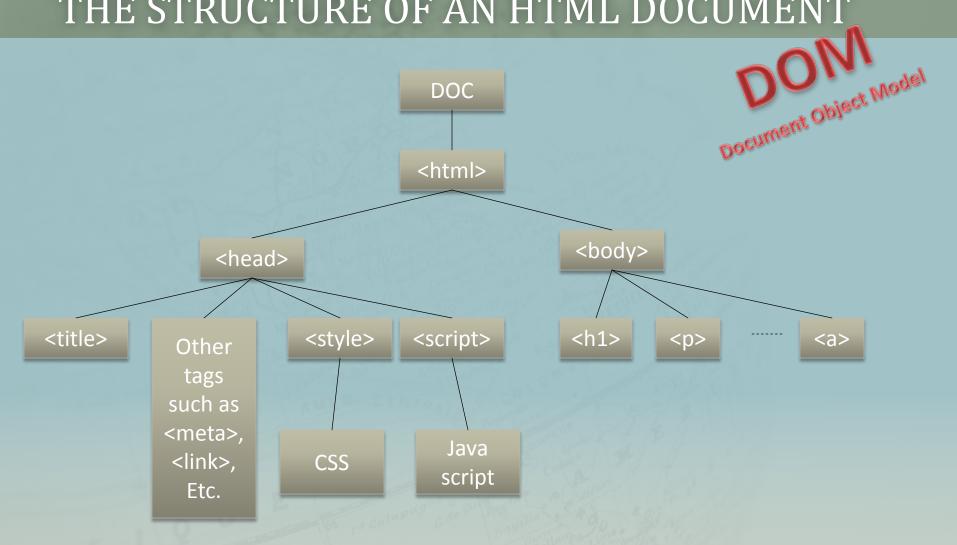
Image obtained from
http://www.w3schools.com/html/html_intro.asp

THE DOCUMENT OBJECT MODEL?

 DOM is an Application Programming Interface (API) for HTML and XML documents.

• It defines a structure of the document, and how it can be accessed.

THE STRUCTURE OF AN HTML DOCUMENT





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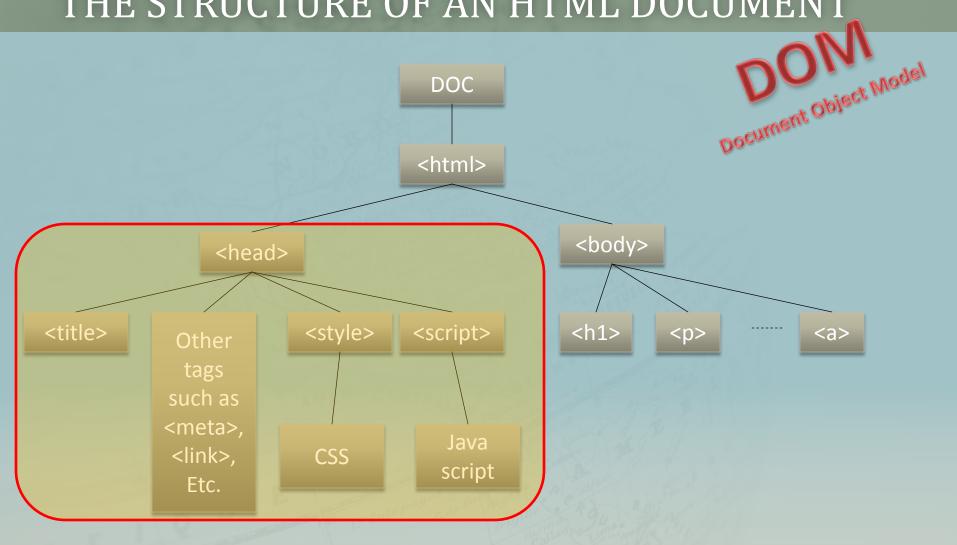
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THE STRUCTURE OF AN HTML DOCUMENT



<HEAD> TAG

- What can be inside a <Head> Tag?
 - <title> the title of the document </title>
 - <meta> meta data about the document
 - <base> the default address for all "relative" links on the page
 - <style> CSS style information </style>
 - - k> mostly used to connect to a CSS style sheet
 - <script> client-side script </script>

HTML______

<title> Tag

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
    <title>A340 Introduction to Web Programming</title>
</head>
                                                                                                           🖏 A340 Introduction to Web Programming - Mozilla Firefox
<body>
                                                  File Edit View History Bookmarks
                                                                               <u>T</u>ools
                                                                                     <u>H</u>elp
                                                  A340 Introduction to Web Programming
                                                             | file:///C:/wamp/www/A340/html_€ 🏫 ▽ 🧷 |
</body>
</html>
```

<meta> Tag

- The <meta> tag provides metadata about the HTML document.
- Metadata will not be displayed on the page, but it will be machine readable.
- Metadata can be used by browsers, search engines, or other web services.

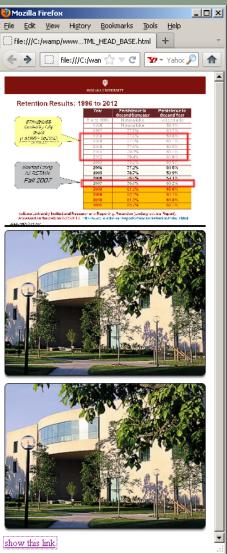
Example:

- Default character set:
 - <meta charset="UTF-8">
- Define keywords for search engines:
 - <meta name="keywords" content="HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, CSCI-A340, Indiana University South Bend">
- Define a description of your web page:
 - <meta name="description" content="Introduction to Web Programming">
- Define the author of a page:
 - <meta name="author" content="Hossein Hakimzadeh">
- Refresh document every 60 seconds:
 - <meta http-equiv="refresh" content="60">

<Base> Tag

<base> the default address for all links on the page.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<base href="https://retain.iusb.edu/retain/public/images/" >
</head>
<body>
<img src= "1996_2012_Retention.jpg" width="320" height="240">
<img src= "campus7.jpg" width="320" height="240">
<img src= "https://retain.iusb.edu/retain/public/images/campus7.jpg"</pre>
    width="320" height="240">
<a href="campus4.jpg">show this link</a>
</body>
</html>
```



<Style> Tag

- <style> CSS style information </style>
- The <style> tag allows you to insert the style information right into the HTML document.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
 <style>
                 body
                 background-color:lightblue;
                 h1
                 color:red:
                 text-align:center;
                 font-family: "Times New Roman";
                 font-size:20px;
</style>
</head>
<body>
<center>
<h1>CSCI-A340 Introduction to Web Programming</h1>
</center>
```

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</body>

```
<LINK> Tag
```

</head>

link attribute="value" attribute="value" ... >

```
<head>
rel="stylesheet" order="text/css"
type="text/css"
href="01_MyStyle.css">
```

Load an external CSS style sheet

More Info:

http://www.w3.org/TR/html401/present/styles.html#style-external

Example of <LINK> Tag

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
k
             rel="stylesheet"
             type="text/css"
             href="01_MyStyle.css">
</head>
<body>
<center>
<h1>CSCI-A340 Introduction to Web Programming</h1>
</center>
P: CSCI-A 201 or CSCI-C 101 or INFO-I210. An introduction to
     programming web documents, including HTML, JavaScript, and PHP.
     Creation of a simple website, including a home page with dynamic
     elements, using both client-side and server-side techniques.
</body>
</html>
```

```
/* 01 MyStyle.css */
body
background-color:lightblue;
h1
color:red:
text-align:center;
p
font-family: "Times New Roman";
font-size:20px;
```

<Script> Tag

 Java Script can be placed in both the HEAD as well as the BODY of the HTML file. In the HEADer, one can define a Java Script function which can be later called in the BODY of the file.

```
<script>
    client-side script
</script>
```

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<script>
function myAlert()
  alert("This is an alert box!");
</script>
</head>
<body>
<input
          type="button"
          onclick="myAlert()"
          value="Display Alert" />
</body>
</html>
```



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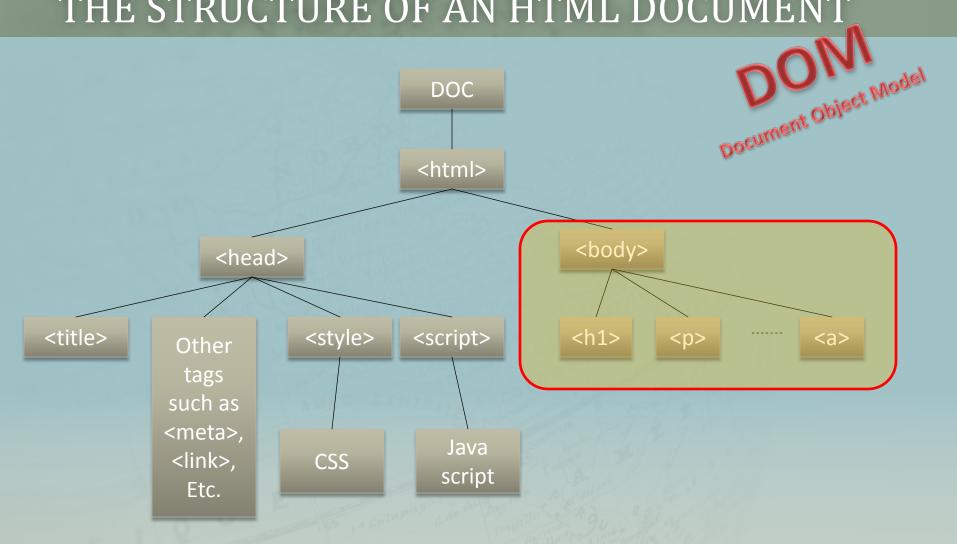
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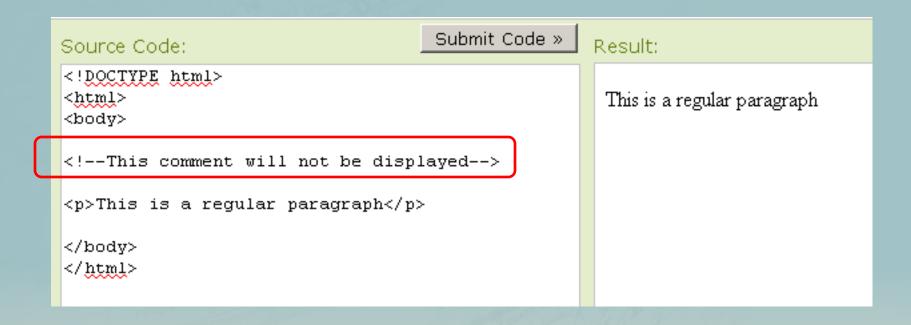
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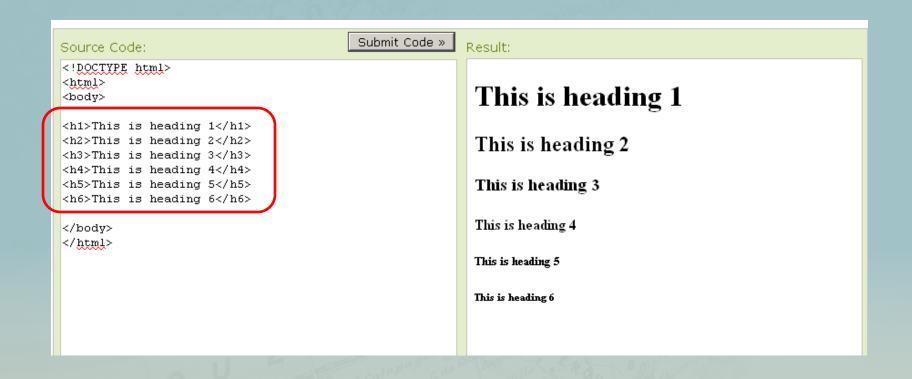
THE STRUCTURE OF AN HTML DOCUMENT



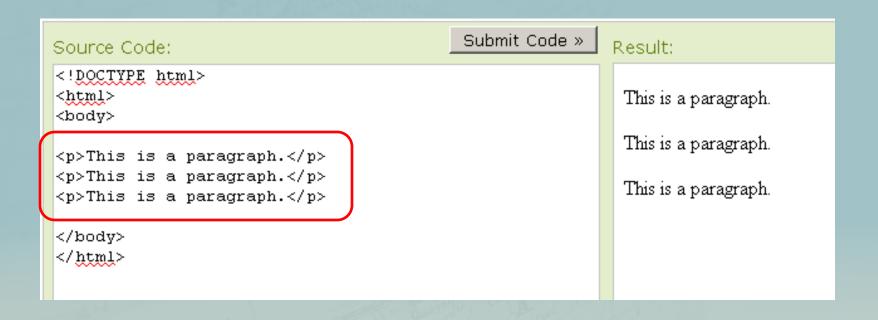
Documentation



Heading Element



Paragraph Element



• Link Element

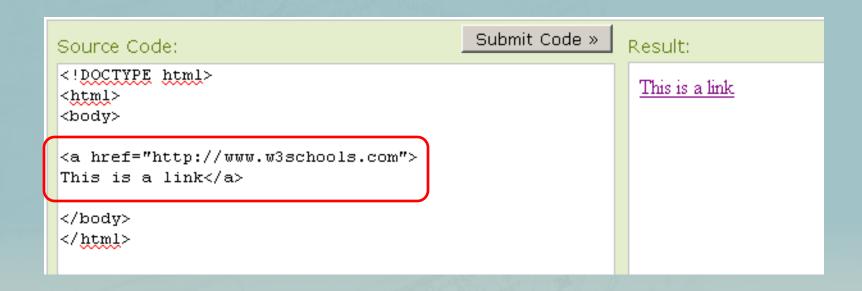


Image Element



HTML ELEMENTS AND ATTRIBUTES

• Element:

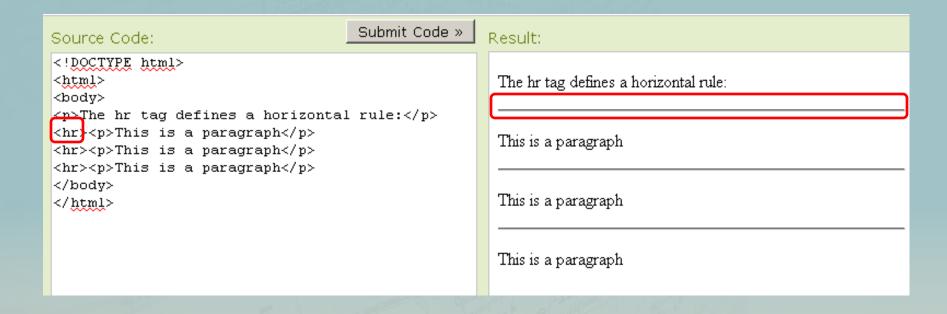
- An HTML element is everything from the start tag to the end tag.
- An HTML element starts with a start tag, and ends with an end tag.
- The element content is everything between the start and the end tag.

• Attribute:

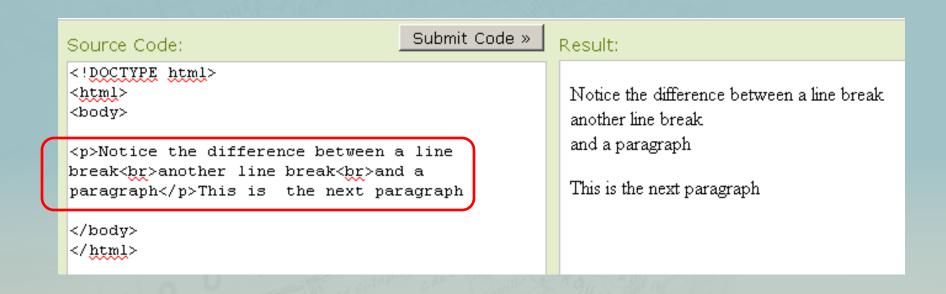
- An HTML elements can have one or more attributes. Attributes provide additional information about an element.
- Attributes are always specified in the start tag.
- Attributes come in name/value pairs like: name="value".

```
<img src = "https://retain.iusb.edu/retain/public/Slide3.JPG"
width = "320"
height= "240">
```

 Horizontal rule (in HTML 4, and Thematic Break in HTML 5)

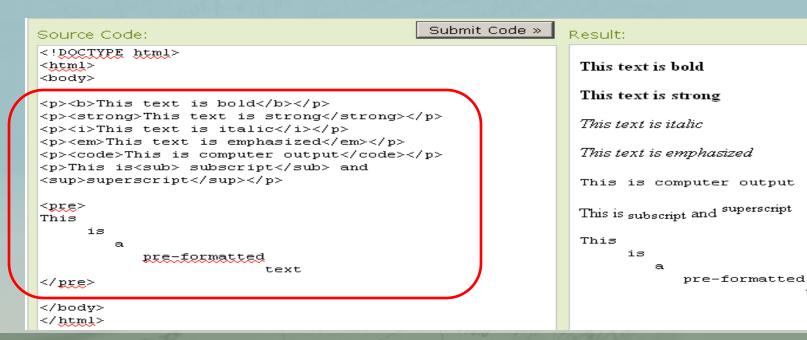


- Line Break (
)
- Use the
br> tag to start a new line without starting a new paragraph.



FORMATTING TAGS

- Bold/Strong
- Italic/Emphasized
- Code
- Subscript and Superscript
- Pre (preformatted text)



text

TABLE TAG

- Tables start with a tag.
- Each row starts with a tag.

 Each cell (table data) starts with a tag.

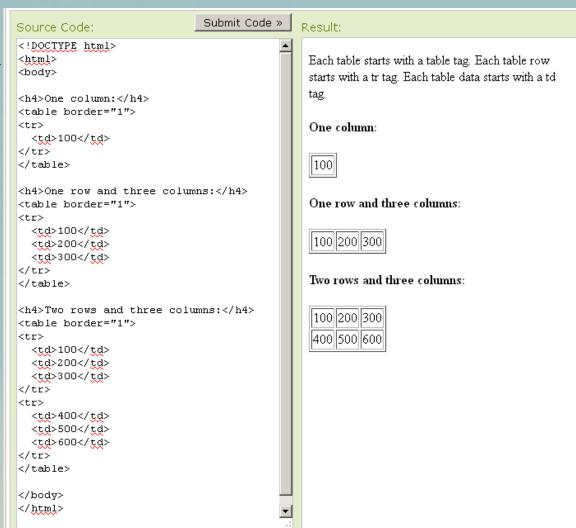


TABLE HEADERS

- Header
 information in a
 table are defined
 with the tag.
- All major
 browsers display
 the text in the
 element as
 bold and centered.

```
Submit Code »
                                Result:
Source Code:
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
                                Table headers:
<body>
<h4>Table headers:</h4>
                                 Name | Telephone | Telephone
Bill Gates 555 77 854 555 77 855
 Name
 Telephone
                                Vertical headers:
 Telephone
First Name: Bill Gates
 Bill Gates
 555 77 854
                                 Telephone: ||555 77 854
 555 77 855
                                 Telephone: ||555 77 855|
<h4>Vertical headers:</h4>
First Name:
 Bill Gates
Telephone:
 555 77 854
Telephone:
 555 77 855
</body>
</html>
```



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LISTS

Unordered Lists:

```
- 
     Coffee
     Milk
```

• Ordered Lists:

```
- 
     Coffee
     Milk
```

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<html>
<body>

Unordered list

Coffee
Milk

Ordered list

Coffee
Coffee

</body>
</html>
```

Unordered list

- Coffee
- Milk

Ordered list

- 1. Coffee
- 2. Milk

BLOCK VS. IN-LINE ELEMENTS

Block Elements:

- A block-level element is an element that creates large blocks of content like paragraphs or <div>divisions </div>.
- Block elements start new lines of text when you use them, and can contain other blocks as well as inline elements and text or data.

Inline Elements:

- An inline element is an element that define text or data in the document like BOLD
- Inline elements do not start new lines when you use them, and they generally only contain other inline tags and text or data, or they include nothing at all, like the

 tag.
- Finally, inline elements may not be displayed at all, they simply effect the rest of the document. Such as <style>, <meta>, <head>.

DIV TAGS

<div> Element

- The HTML <div> element is a block-level element that can be used as a container for grouping other HTML elements.
- The <div> element has no special meaning. Except that, because it is a block level element, the browser will display a line break before and after it.
- When used together with CSS, the <div> element can be used to set style attributes to large blocks of content.

DIV TAGS

Example 1:

This is some text.

This is a heading in a div element

This is some text in a div element.

This is a heading in a div element

This is some text in a div element.

This is some text.

DIV TAGS

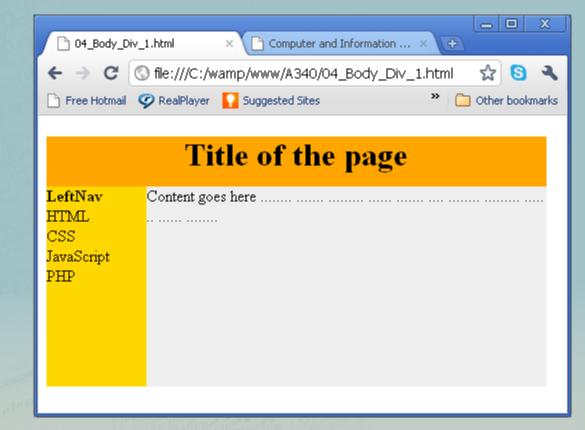
<div> Element:

- Another common use of the <div> element, is for document layout. It replaces the "old way" of defining page-layout using tables. Using tables is not the correct use of the element. The purpose of the element is to display tabular data.
 - Multiple columns are created by using <div> or elements. (see next page)
 - CSS can be used to position elements, or to create backgrounds or colorful look for the pages.

WEB PAGE LAYOUT

```
<body>
<div id="container" style="width:500px">
<div id="header"
                 style="background-color:#FFA500;
                 text-align:center;
                 height:50px;
                 width:500px;">
      <h1>Title of the page </h1>
</div>
div id="leftnav";
                 style="background-color:#FFD700;
                 height:200px;
                 width:100px;
                 float:left:">
      <b>LeftNav</b><br>
      HTML<br>
      CSS<br>
      JavaScript<br>
      PHP
</div>
<div id="content";
                 style="background-color:#EEEEEE;
                 height:200px;
                 width:400px;
                 float:left:">
 Content goes here ...... ...
</div>
 </div>
</body>
```

See what happens if you remove the outside container!



PAGE LAYOUT

Adding another <div> tag for the right nav.



ADDING MORE CONTENT...

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
<div id="container" style="width:500px">
          id="header"
                            style="background-color:#FFA500;
                            text-align:center;
                            height:50px;
                            width:500px;">
          <h1 style="margin-bottom:0;">Title of the page
                            <img src =
          "https://retain.iusb.edu/retain/public/Slide3.JPG"
                            width = "60" height="50" align="left" >
                            <img src =
          "https://retain.iusb.edu/retain/public/Slide3.JPG"
                            width = "60" height="50" align="right" >
          </h1>
</div>
<div
          id="topnav";
                            style="background-color:#AAD700;
                            height:30px;
                            width:500px;
                            float:left;
                            text-align:center">
          <b>TopNav:</b>
          Choice 1
          Choice 2
</div>
          id="leftnav";
<div
                            style="background-color:#FFD700;
                            height:200px;
                            width:100px;
                            float:left:">
          <b>LeftNav</b><br>
          HTML<br>
          CSS<br>
          JavaScript<br>
</div>
```

```
id="rightnav";
                      style="background-color:#FFD700;
                      height:200px;
                      width:100px;
                      float:right;">
        <b>RightNav</b><br>
        News<br>
        FAQ<br>
</div>
        id="content";
                      style="background-color:#EEEEEE;
                      height:200px;
                      width:300px;
                      float:left;">
Content goes here .....
<video width="160" height="120" controls>
<source src="FransLanting 2005.mp4" type="video/mp4">
Your browser does not support the video tag.
</video>
</div>
        id="footer";
                      style="background-color:#FFA500;
                      clear:both;
                      text-align:center;">
        <b>Footer</b>
</div>
</div>
</body>
</html>
```





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HTML FORMS

 HTML forms are used for collecting data (input) and interact with the user.

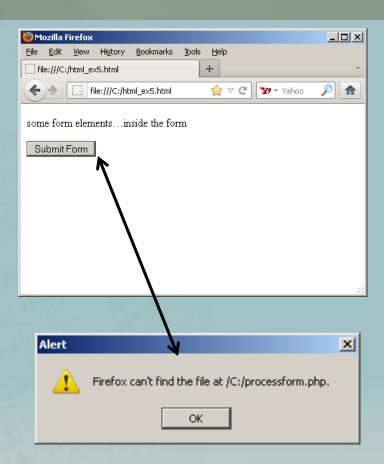
 Such data is then typically passed to the server for processing or storage in the database.



HTML FORMS

• A simple HTML form:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
<form action="processform.php">
   some form elements...inside the
   form
   <button> Submit Form </button>
</form>
</body>
</html>
```



HTML FORMS

Additional Form Attributes:

```
<form action ="processform.php"
    method ="get/post"
    target ="_self/_blank/etc.."
    etc...
    >
    some form elements...inside the
    form

<button> Submit Form </button>
```

</form>

Who to call:

when the form is submitted.

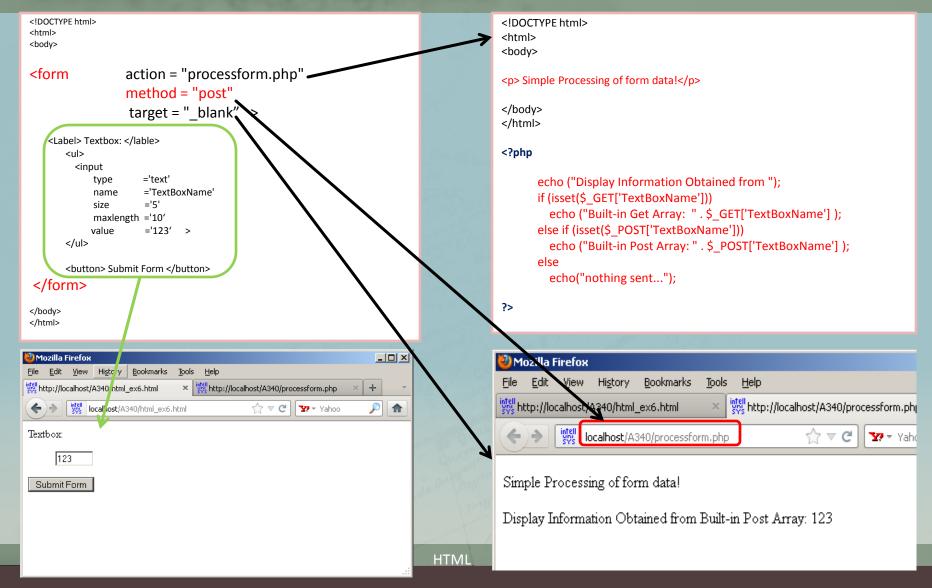
What method to use to submit the data:

The form-data can be sent as URL variables (with method="get") or as HTTP post transaction (with method="post").

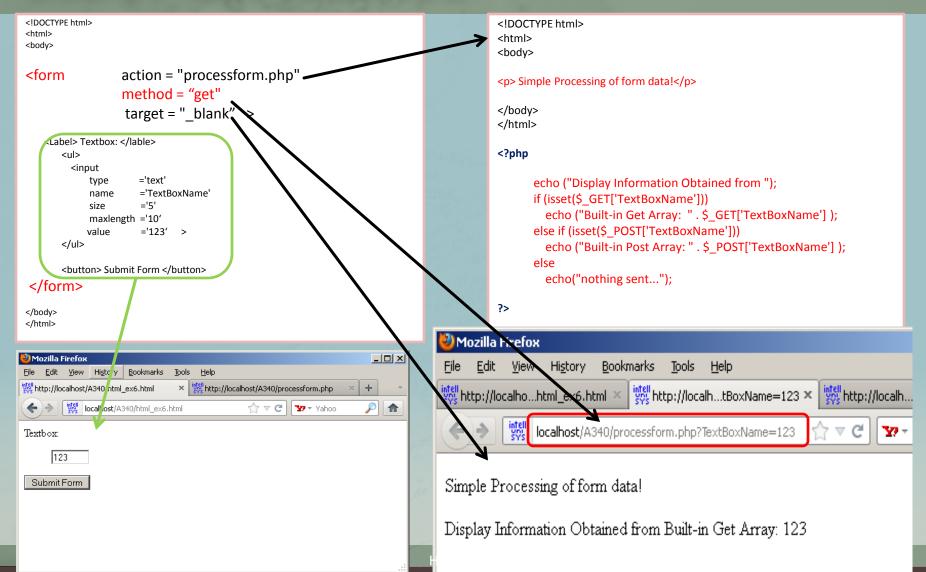
Where to display the response:

_self = current frame (default)
_blank = a new empty window
or tab.

USE OF **POST** METHOD



USE OF GET METHOD



HTML FORM ELEMENTS

A typical form can consist of:

- Textboxes
- TextAreas
- RadioButtons
- CheckBoxes
- ComboBoxes
- Listboxes

Indiana University South Bend Approximate time needed: 8 Minutes
We invite you to take part in a self-assessment survey. By answering the following questions you will help us better understand some of the reasons why you might be having academic difficulties in college, and allow us to develop effective strategies to try to help you and other students at Indiana University South Bend.
Why did you choose Indiana University? (Mark all that apply)
□ Reputation of the university □ Reputation of the degree program (e.g., Nursing, Chemistry, Business, Computer Science, etc.) □ IUSB offers the degree program I want □ Received a scholarship or financial aid from IU □ Location is close to home □ Size of the campus, or classes □ Cost □ A friend recommended it □ My parents recommended it □ My high school counselor recommended it
Was Indiana University South Bend your first choice? ○ Yes ○ No
How many other colleges besides IUSB did you apply to?
None
Do you plan to transfer to another school?
C No, I plan to finish my degree here at IU South Bend
C Yes, I plan to transfer to another campus of IU
C Yes, I plan to transfer to a non-IU campus
If you plan to transfer/leave prior to completing your degree, WHERE do you plan to go?

TEXTBOX

- A TEXTBOX can be created using an <input> element.
- <input> elements are typically used within a <form> element to obtain input from users.
- An input field can vary in many ways, depending on the type attribute.

```
Mozilla Firefox
                                                       File Edit View History
                                          Bookmarks Tools Help
                           file:///C:/html_ex5.html
Example:
                              🔷 | [] | file:///C:/htm 🏫 ▼ 😅 | 🌠 ▼ Yahoc 🔎 | 🏫
                           Textbox:
<!DOCTYPE html>
                               123
<html>
<body>
 Textbox: 
ul>
     <input
               ='text'
      type
                 ='TextBoxName'
       name
               ='5'
       size
       maxlength ='10'
       value ='xxx'
</body>
</html>
```

THE TYPE OF INPUT

The TYPE attribute in the input element can be:

- Text
- Textarea
- Email
- url
- Password
- Checkbox
- Radio
- number
- Range
- Button
- Reset
- Submit

Other:

- Color
- Date
- Datetime
- datetime-local
- File
- Hidden
- Image
- month
- Search
- Tel
- time
- week

HTML FORM

<input type="radio" name="gender" value="female"> Female

<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="1"> Critical Thinking
<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="2"> Problem Solving

<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="3" CHECKED> Communication <bre>

<hr>

<!DOCTYPE html>

Numeric Value (between 0 and 5):

<input type="number" name="numbervalue" min="0" max="5">

<hr>

Numeric Range (between 1 and 10):

<input type="range" name="points" min="1" max="10" step="1" value = "5">

<hr>

<input type="submit">

<input type="reset">

</form>

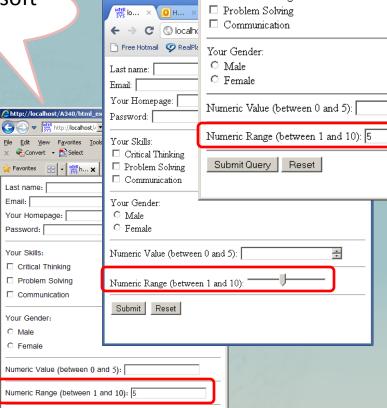
</body>

</html>

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Google Chrome

Microsoft IE



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Mozilla Firefox

Last name: | Email:

Password:

Your Skills:

Your Homepage:

Critical Thinking

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

intell http://...8.html × intell http://l...ame=123 intell http://l...form.php

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Submit Query Reset



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FIELDSET

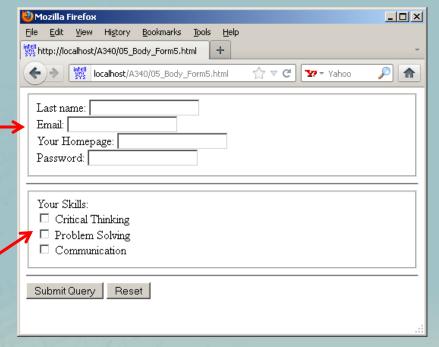
 The <fieldset> tag is used to group related elements in a form.

The <fieldset> tag
 draws a box around
 the related elements.

```
<form action="processform.php">
<fieldset>
Last name: <input type="text" name="lname"><br>
Email: <input type="text" name="email"><br>
Your Homepage: <input type="url" name="homepage"><br>
Password: <input type="password" name="pwd" maxlength="8"><br>
</fieldset>
<hr>
<fieldset>
<label> Your Skills: </label> <br>
<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="1"> Critical Thinking<br>
<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="2"> Problem Solving <br>
<input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="3"> Communication <br>
</fieldset>
<hr>
<input type="submit">
<input type="reset">
</form>
```

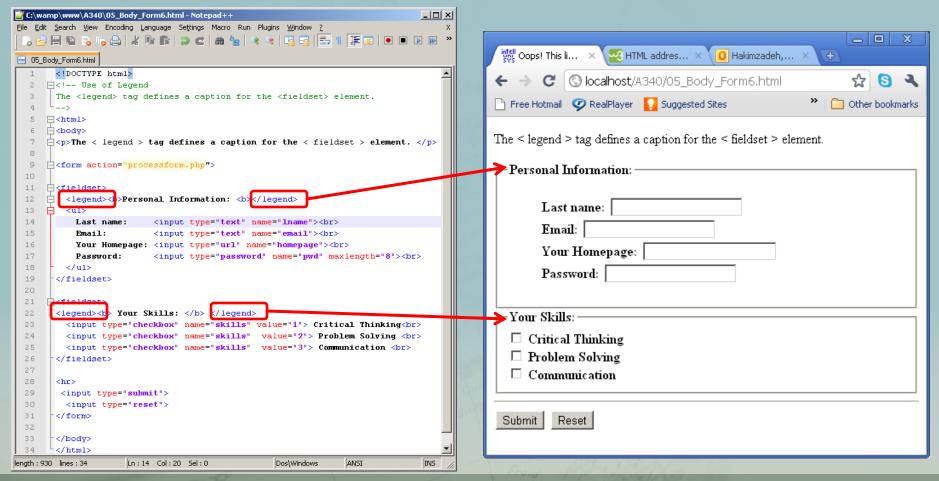
FIELDSET

```
C:\wamp\www\A340\05_Body_Form5.html - Notepad++
                                                                File Edit Search View Encoding Language Settings Macro Run Plugins Window ?
 05_Body_Form5.html
      <!DOCTYPE html>
     -<html>
     ⊟<body>
     6
     <fieldset>
        Last name: <input type="text" name="lname"><br>
  8
  9
        Email:
                  <input type="text" name="email"><br>
 10
        Your Homepage: <input type="url" name="homepage"><br>
        Password: <input type="password" name="pwd" maxlength="8"><br>
 11
 12
       </fieldset>
 13
 14
 15
       <fieldset>
 16
       <label> Your Skills: </label> <br>
 17
        <input type="checkbox" name="skills" value="1"> Critical Thinking<br>
 18
        19
         cinnut_tupe="checkbox" name="skills" value="3"> Communication <br>
       </fieldset>
 20
 21
       <input type="submit">
 22
 23
        <input type="reset">
 24
       </form>
 25
 26
 27
      </body>
 28
       </html>
length: 689 lines: 28
               Ln:1 Col:16 Sel:0
                                        Dos\Windows
                                                    ANSI
                                                                 INS
```



LEGEND TAG

The <legend> tag defines a caption for the <fieldset> element.





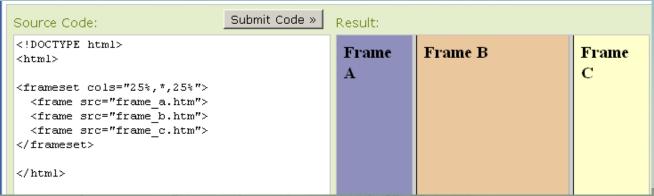
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FRAME / FRAMESET

- The <frame> and <frameset> tags are not supported in HTML5.
- The <frame> tag defines a window (frame) within a <frameset>.
- Each <frame> in a <frameset> can have different attributes, such as border, scrolling, the ability to resize, etc.



IFRAME

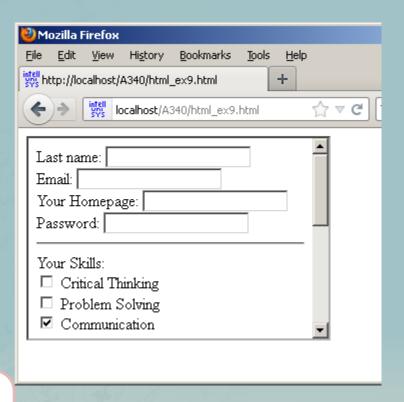
 An iframe is used to display a web page within a web page.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<iframe
    src="05_Body_Form4.html"
    width="500"
    height="200">
</iframe>
```

</body>

Additional attributes such as frameborder, align, scrolling, etc. can be added to the iframe.



DISPLAYING VIDEOS (USING VIDEO TAG)

• The standards at this point are still a little loose. (Below only seems to works in Chrome)

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
<video width="320" height="240" controls autoplay>
<source
   src="../Development/videos/FransLanting_2005.mp4"
   type="video/mp4">
   Your browser does not support the video tag.
</video>
</body>
</html>
```



DISPLAYING VIDEOS (USING EMBED)

• The <embed> tag defines a container for an external application or interactive content (a plug-in).

</html>



http://www.w3schools.com/tags/tag_embed.asp