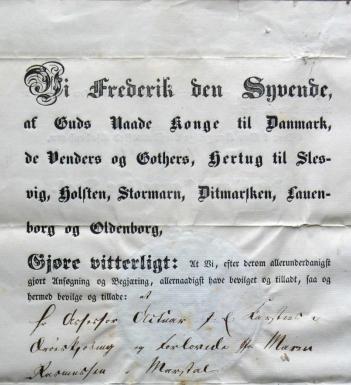


(Basic) Lecture 2

First of all

- Content is the key word for html. It does not describe style!!
- Scripts for behavior
- CSS for styling



maae, uben foregaaende Lysning af Prædikestolen, hjemme i Huset sammenvies, af hvilken Præst de det begjære og dertil kunne formaae, naar de paabudne Copulationspenge, (som dog nu i Folge Forordningen af 12 Septbr. 1792 blot betales i Tilsælde af, at Wielsen forrettes udi Vor Rongelige Residentsstad Kjøbenhavn, eller paa dens Grund) ester de derom forestrevne Regler ere blevne betalte; dog skulle de med Uttester bevise, at savel den Sognepræst, hvilken det ellers tilhørte at forrette Vielsen, som Kirkens ovrige Betjente, samt Solen, Fattige og andre Vedkommende have erholdt deres lovlige Betaling, ligesom og Vielsen skal forrettes af en til en vis Meniabed beskiktet Præst, som dør staae til Unsvar for Forretningens Systighed

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Some of the low.

HTML

- HTML is a markup language used for creating webpages. The contents of each webpage are defined by HTML tags. Basic page tags, such as <head>, <body>, and <div> define sections of the page, while tags such as , <form>, <image>, and <a> define elements within the page. Most elements require a beginning and end tag, with the content placed between the tags. For example, a link to the our favorite eclass home page may use the following HTML code:
- Eclass

Markup Language

 A markup language is a computer language that uses tags to define elements within a document. It is human-readable, meaning markup files contain standard words, rather than typical programming syntax.

Hypertext Markup Language (HTML)

- Describes the content and structure of information on a web page
- Not the same as the presentation (appearance on screen)
- Surrounds text content with opening and closing tags
- Each tag's name is called an element
 - syntax: <element> content </element>
 - example: This is a paragraph

XHTML

- Uses a markup format called XML
- XML + HTML = XHTML
- Standardized in 2000
- A strict XHTML page uses some different syntax and tags than HTML

Structure

To declare namespace and keep each name unique. For XHtml is mandatory

- HTML is saved with extension .html
- Basic structure: tags that enclose content, i.e., elements
- Header describes the page
- Body contains the page's contents

Page Title <title>

- Placed within the head of the page
- Displayed in web browser's title mark and when bookmarking the page

Paragraph

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, the last book in the series, begins directly after the events of the sixth book. Voldemort has completed his ascension to power and gains control of the Ministry of Magic

output

Placed within the body of the page

Headings <h1>, <h2>, ... <h6>

```
<h1> Harry Potter </h1> <h2> Books </h2> <h3> Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone </h3> HTML
```

Harry Potter

Books

Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone

output

Horizontal rule <hr />

```
 First paragraph 
<hr />
 Second Paragraph 
HTML
```

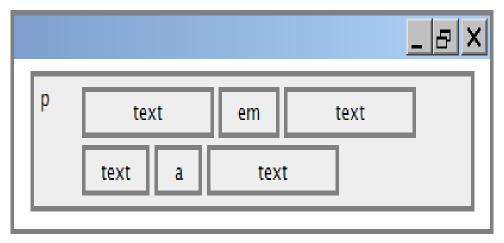
First Paragraph

Second Paragraph

output

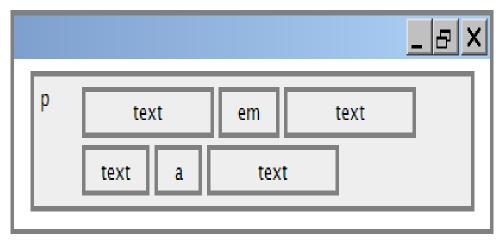
Should be immediately closed with />

Block and Inline Statements



- Block elements contain an entire large region of content
 - examples: paragraphs, lists, table cells
 - the browser places a margin of whitespace between block elements for separation

Block and Inline Statements (cont.)



- Inline elements affect a small amount of content
 - examples: bold text, code fragments, images
 - the browser allows many inline elements to appear on the same line
 - must be nested inside a block element

More HTML tags

- Some tags can contain additional information called attributes

 - example: Next page

More HTML tags

- Some tags don't contain content; can be opened and closed in one tag
 - syntax:

```
<element attribute="value" attribute="value" />
```

- example: <hr />
- example:
-

Links <a>

```
Search
<a href="http://www.google.com/">Google</a>
now!

HTML
```

Search Google now!

output

- The href attribute specifies the destination URL
- Links or anchors are inline elements, so they must be placed inside a block element such as a p or h1

More about anchors

```
<a href="deathlyHallows-book.html">Harry Potter and the
Deathly Hallows Book</a>
<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org"
title="Search">Wikipedia</a>
HTML
```

Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows

<u>Wikipedia</u> output

- Types of URLs that can appear in anchors:
 - Absolute: to another web site
 - Relative: to another page on this web site

Nesting tags

Bad

```
<a href=" deathlyHallows-book.html"> Harry Potter and the
Deathly Hallows Book 
This text also links to Harry Potter Book</a>

HTML
```

- Tags must be correctly nested: a closing tag must match the most recently opened tag
- The browser may render it correctly anyway, but it is invalid XHTML

Images

HTML



- The src attribute specifies source of the image URL
- XHTML also requires an alt attribute describing the image

More about images

```
<a href="http://harrypotter.net/">
<img src="images/dumbledore.jpg" alt="Dumbledore from Harry
Potter"
title="Alas! Ear wax!"/>
</a>

HTML
```



- If placed inside an a anchor, the image will become a link
- The title attribute specifies an optional tooltip

Line Break


```
One Ring to rule them all, One Ring to find them, <br/>
/> One Ring to bring them all and in the darkness bind
them.
 In the Land of Mordor where the Shadows lie. 
HTML
```

One Ring to rule them all, One Ring to find them, One Ring to bring them all and in the darkness bind them

In the Land of Mordor where the Shadows lie.

output

- br should be immediately closed with />
- br should not be used to separate paragraphs or used multiple times in a row to create spacing

Comments <!-- ... -- >

```
<!-- My web page, by Bob Student
CSE 380, Fall 2048 -->
CSCS courses are <!-- NOT --> a lot of fun!
HTML
```

CS courses are a lot of fun!

output

- Comments are useful for disabling sections of a page
- Comments cannot be nested and cannot contain a --

Phrase elements ,

```
HTML is <em>really</em>,
  <strong>REALLY</strong> fun!

HTML
```

HTML is really **REALLY** fun!

output

- em: emphasized text (usually in italic)
- strong: strongly emphasized text (usually in bold)
- The tags must be properly nested for a valid page

Unordered list: ,

```
No shoes
No shirt
No problem!

HTML
```

- No shoes
- No shirt
- No problem!

output

- ul represents a bulleted list of items (block)
- **li** represents a single item within the list (block)

More about unordered lists

```
<111>
Harry Potter characters:
<l
Harry Potter
Hermione
Ron
LOTR characters:
<111>
Frodo
Bilbo
Sam
HTML
```

More about unordered lists (cont.)

- Harry Potter characters:
 - Harry Potter
 - Hermione
 - Ron
- LOTR characters:
 - Frodo
 - Bilbo
 - Sam

output

Ordered list

```
Apple business model:

Beat Microsoft
Beat Google
Conquer the world!

HTML
```

Apple business model:

- 1. Beat Microsoft
- 2. Beat Google
- 3. Conquer the world

output

- ol represents a numbered list of items
- we can make lists with letters or Roman numerals using CSS (later)

Common error: Not closing a list

```
No shoes
No shirt
No problem!
Paragraph after list...

HTML
```

- No shoes
- No shirt
- No problem!

Paragraph after list...

output

 If you leave a list open, subsequent contents will be indented

Common Error: Improper nested list placement

```
<111>
Harry Potter characters:
<u1>
Harry Potter
Hermione
Ron
LOTR characters:
<111>
Frodo
Bilbo
Sam
HTML
```

 closing the outer li too early (or not at all) will render correctly in most browsers, but it is incorrect XHTML

Definition list <dl>, <dt>, <dd>

```
<dl>
<dt>newbie</dt> <dd>one who does not have mad skills</dd>
<dt>jaded</dt> <dd>tired, bored, or lacking enthusiasm
</dd>
</dd>
<dt>frag</dt> <dd>a kill in a shooting game</dd>
</dl>
```

```
newbie
one who does not have mad skills
jaded
Tired, bored, or lacking enthusiasm
frag
a kill in a shooting game
output
```

- dl represents a list of definitions of terms
- dt represents each term, and dd its definition

Tables , ,

```
1,1 1,2 okay
2,1 real wide 2,2 output
```

- table defines the overall table, tr each row, and td each cell's data
- Useful for displaying large row/column data sets
- NOTE: tables are sometimes used by novices for web page layout, but this is not proper semantic HTML and should be avoided

Table headers, captions: >, <caption>

My important data	
Column 1	Column 2
1,1	1,2 okay
2,1 real wide	2,2
	output

- □ th cells in a row are considered headers
- a caption at the start of the table labels its meaning

Quotations <blockquote>

As Lincoln said in his famous Gettysburg Address:

Fourscore and seven years ago, our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal.

output

a lengthy quotation

Inline quotations <q>

Quoth the Raven, <q>Nevermore.</q>

Quoth the Raven, "Nevermore."

output

- a short quotation
- Why not just write the following?
- Quoth the Raven, "Nevermore."
- We don't use " marks for two reasons:
 - XHTML shouldn't contain literal quotation mark characters; they should be written as "
 - using <q> allows us to apply CSS styles to quotations

HTML Character Entities

character(s)	entity
<>	< >
é è ñ	é è ñ
TM ©	™ ©
πδΔ	π δ Δ
И	И
" &	" &

Inline quotations <q>

```
<p&gt;
<a
href="http://google.com/search?q=xenia&ie=utf-
8&aq=t">
Search Google for Xenia
</a&gt;
</p&gt;
HTML
```

```
<a href="http://google.com/search?q=xenia&ie=utf-8&aq=t"> Search Google for Xenia </a> 
output
```

Computer code < code >

```
The <code>ul</code> and <code>ol</code>
tags make lists.

HTML
```

The ul and ol tags make lists.

output

code: a short section of computer code

Preformatted text

```
Bill Gates speaks
You will be assimilated
Microsoft fans delirious
output
```

- Displayed with exactly the whitespace / line breaks given in the text
- Shown in a fixed-width font by default

Preformatted text

```
<code>
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Hello, world!");
    }
</code>

HTML
```

 When showing a large section of computer code, enclose it in a pre to preserve whitespace and a code to describe the semantics of the content

Web Standards

- Why use XHTML and web standards?
 - more rigid and structured language
 - more interoperable across different web browsers
 - more likely that our pages will display correctly in the future
 - can be interchanged with other XML data: SVG (graphics), MathML, MusicML, etc.

W3C XHTML Validator



 checks your HTML code to make sure it meets the official strict XHTML specifications

Web page metadata <meta>

```
<meta name="description"
content="Harry Potter Official Website." />
<meta name="keywords" content="harry potter, harry potter
and the deathly hallows, deathly hallows, ministry of
magic, resurrection stone, clock of invisibility" />
<meta http-equiv="Content-Type"
content="text/html; charset=iso-8859-1" /> HTML
```

- information about your page (for a browser, search engine, etc.)
- placed in the head of your XHTML page
- meta tags often have both the name and content attributes
 - some meta tags use the http-equiv attribute instead of name

meta element to aid browser / web server

```
<meta http-equiv="Content-Type"
content="type of document (character encoding)" />
<meta http-equiv="refresh"
content="how often to refresh the page (seconds)" />
</head>
HTML
```

- using the Content-Type gets rid of the W3C "tentatively valid" warning
 meta http-equiv="Content-Type" content="text/html; charset=iso-8859-1" />
- the meta refresh tag can also redirect from one page to another:
 meta http-equiv="refresh" content="5;url=http://www.bjp.com" />
 - why would we want to do this? (example)

meta element to describe the page

```
<head>
<meta name="author"
content="web page's author" />
<meta name="revised"
content="web page version and/or last modification date"
/>
<meta name="generator"
content="the software used to create the page" />
</head>

HTML
```

 many WYSIWYG HTML editors (FrontPage, PageMaker, etc.) place their names in the meta generator tag

meta element to aid search engines

```
<head>
<meta name="description"
content="how you want search engines to display your page"
/>
<meta name="keywords"
content="words to associate with your page (comma separated)" />
</head>
HTML
```

- these are suggestions to search engines about how to index your page
- the search engine may choose to ignore them

The good, the bad and the... ugly!

```
<font face="Arial">Shashdot.</font>
News for <b>nerds!!</b> You will <i>never</i>, <u>EVER</u>
be
<font size="+4" color="red">BORED</font> here!

HTML
```

```
Slashdot. News for nerds!! You will never, <u>EVER</u> be BORED here!
```

- Tags such as b, i, u, and font are discouraged in strict XHTML
- Why is this bad?

Cascading Style Sheets (CSS)

- Describes the appearance, layout, and presentation of information on a web page
 - HTML describes the content of the page
- Describes how information is to be displayed, not what is being displayed
- Can be embedded in HTML document or placed into separate .css file

Basic CSS rule syntax

```
selector {
property: value;
property: value;
...
property: value;
}
```

```
p, h1, h2 {
font-family: sans-serif;
color: red;
}
```

- A CSS file consists of one or more rules
- Each rule starts with a selector
- A selector specifies an HTML element(s) and then applies style properties to them
 - a selector of * selects all elements

Attaching a CSS file <link>

```
<head>
...
tink href="filename" type="text/css" rel="stylesheet" />
...
</head>

HTML
```

- A page can link to multiple style sheet files
 - In case of a conflict (two sheets define a style for the same HTML element), the latter sheet's properties will be used

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Embedding style sheets: <style>

```
<head>
<style type="text/css">
p { font-family: sans-serif; color: red; }
h2 { background-color: yellow; }
</style>
</head>
HTML
```

- CSS code can be embedded within the head of an HTML page
- Bad style and should be avoided when possible (why?)

Inline styles: the style attribute

```
This is a paragraph
HTML
```

This is a paragraph

output

- Higher precedence than embedded or linked styles
- Used for one-time overrides and styling a particular element
- Bad style and should be avoided when possible (why?)

CSS properties for colors

```
p {
color: red;
background-color: yellow;
}
```

This paragraph uses the style above

output

property	description
color	color of the element's text
background-color	color that will appear behind the element

Specifying colors

```
p { color: red; }
h2 { color: rgb(128, 0, 196); }
h4 { color: #FF8800; }
```

This paragraph uses the first style above

This h2 uses the second style above.

This h4 uses the third style above.

output

- color names: aqua, black, blue, fuchsia, gray, green, lime, maroon, navy, olive, purple, red, silver, teal, white (white), yellow
- RGB codes: red, green, and blue values from 0 (none) to 255 (full)
- hex codes: RGB values in base-16 from 00 (0, none) to FF (255, full)

Grouping styles

```
p, h1, h2 {
color: green;
}
h2 {
background-color: yellow;
}
```

This paragraph uses the above style.

This h2 uses the above styles.

output

- A style can select multiple elements separated by commas
- The individual elements can also have their own styles

CSS comments /*...*/

```
/* This is a comment.
It can span many lines in the CSS file. */
p {
color: red; background-color: aqua;
}
```

- CSS (like HTML) is usually not commented as rigorously as programming languages such as Java
- The // single-line comment style is NOT supported in CSS
- The <!-- ... --> HTML comment style is also NOT supported in CSS

CSS properties for fonts

property	description
font-family	which font will be used
font-size	how large the letters will be drawn
font-style	used to enable/disable italic style
font-weight	used to enable/disable bold style

<u>Complete list of font properties</u> (http://www.w3schools.com/css/css_reference.asp#font)

font-family

```
p {
font-family: Georgia;
}
h2 {
font-family: "Courier New";
}
```

This paragraph uses the first style above.

This h2 uses the second style above.

output

Enclose multi-word font names in quotes

More about font-family

```
p {
font-family: Garamond, "Times New Roman", serif;
}
```

This paragraph uses the above style.

output

- We can specify multiple fonts from highest to lowest priority
- Generic font names:
 - serif, sans-serif, cursive, FANTASY, monospace
- If the first font is not found on the user's computer, the next is tried
- Placing a generic font name at the end of your font-family value, ensures that every computer will
 use a valid font

font-size

```
p {
    font-size: 24pt;
}
```

This paragraph uses the style above.

output

- units: pixels (px) vs. point (pt) vs. m-size (em) 16px, 16pt, 1.16em
- vague font sizes: xx-small, x-small, small, medium, large, x-large, xx-large, smaller, larger
- percentage font sizes, e.g.: 90%, 120%

font-size

```
p {
    font-size: 24pt;
}
```

This paragraph uses the style above.

output

- pt specifies number of point, where a point is 1/72 of an inch onscreen
- px specifies a number of pixels on the screen
- em specifies number of m-widths, where 1 em is equal to the font's current size

font-weight, font-style

```
p {
font-weight: bold;
font-style: italic;
}
```

This paragraph uses the style above.

output

 Either of the above can be set to normal to turn them off (e.g. headings)

CSS properties for text

property	description
text-align	alignment of text within its element
text-decoration	decorations such as underlining
line-height, word-spacing, letter-spacing	gaps between the various portions of the text
text-indent	indents the first letter of each paragraph

Complete list of text properties (http://www.w3schools.com/css/css_reference.asp#text)

text-align

```
blockquote { text-align: justify; }
h2 { text-align: center; }

CSS
```

The Gollum's Quote

We wants it, we needs it. Must have the precious. They stole it from us. Sneaky little hobbitses. Wicked, tricksy, false!

output

text-align can be left, right, center, or justify



text-decoration

```
p {
text-decoration: underline;
}
```

This paragraph uses the style above.

output

- can also be overline, line-through, blink, or none
- effects can be combined:

```
text-decoration: overline underline;
```

The list-style-type property

Possible values:

```
i. none: No marker
ii. disc (default), circle, square
iii. Decimal: 1, 2, 3, etc.
iv. decimal-leading-zero: 01, 02, 03, etc.
v. lower-roman: i, ii, iii, iv, v, etc.
vi. upper-roman: I, II, III, IV, V, etc.
vii. lower-alpha: a, b, c, d, e, etc.
viii. upper-alpha: A, B, C, D, E, etc.
x. lower-greek: alpha, beta, gamma, etc.
others: hebrew, armenian, georgian, cjk-ideographic, hiragana...
```

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Body styles

```
body {
font-size: 16px;
}
```

- Applies a style to the entire body of your page
- Saves you from manually applying a style to each element

Cascading Style Sheets

- Properties of an element cascade together in this order:
 - browser's default styles
 - external style sheet files (in a <link> tag)
 - internal style sheets (inside a <style> tag in the page's header)
 - inline style (the style attribute of the HTML element)

Inheriting styles

```
body { font-family: sans-serif; background-color: yellow;
}
p { color: red; background-color: aqua; }
a { text-decoration: underline; }
h2 { font-weight: bold; text-align: center; }

CSS
```

This is a heading

A styled paragraph. <u>Previous slides</u> are available on the website.

A bulleted list
 output

- when multiple styles apply to an element, they are inherited
- a more tightly matching rule can override a more general inherited rule

Styles that conflict

```
p, h1, h2 { color: blue; font-style: italic; }
h2 { color: red; background-color: yellow; }

CSS
```

This paragraph uses the first style above.

This heading uses both styles above.

output

when two styles set conflicting values for the same property,
 the latter style takes precedence

W3C CSS Validator

```
<a href="http://jigsaw.w3.org/css-
validator/check/referer">
<img src="http://jigsaw.w3.org/css-validator/images/vcss"
alt="Valid CSS!" /></a>

CSS
```



output

- jigsaw.w3.org/css-validator/
- checks your CSS to make sure it meets the official CSS specifications

CSS properties for backgrounds

property	description
background-color	color to fill background
background-image	image to place in background
background-position	placement of bg image within element
background-repeat	whether/how bg image should be repeated
background-attachment	whether bg image scrolls with page
background	shorthand to set all background properties

background-image

```
body {
background-image: url("images/draft.jpg");
}

CSS

This is the first paragraph

This is the second paragraph...
```

background image/color fills the element's content area

It occupies 2 lines

background-repeat

```
body {
background-image: url("images/draft.jpg");
background-repeat: repeat-x;
}
```

```
This is the first paragraph

This is the second paragraph...

It occupies 2 lines
```

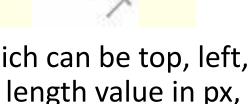
can be repeat (default), repeat-x, repeat-y, or no-repeat

background-position

```
body {
background-image: url("images/draft.jpg");
background-repeat: no-repeat;
background-position: 370px 20px;
```

```
This is the first paragraph
```

This is the second paragraph... It occupies 2 lines



- value consists of two tokens, each of which can be top, left, right, bottom, center, a percentage, or a length value in px, pt, etc.
- value can be negative to shift left/up by a given amount

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Aside: Favorites icon ("favicon")

```
<link href="filename" type="MIME type" rel="shortcut icon"
/>

<link href="yahoo.gif" type="image/gif" rel="shortcut
icon" />

HTML
```



- The link tag, placed in the HTML page's head section, can specify an icon
 - this icon will be placed in the browser title bar and bookmark/favorite

HTML id attribute

```
Coding Horror! Coding Horror!
Our mission is to combine programming and <q>human</q> factors with geekiness!
HTMI
```

Coding Horror! Coding Horror!

Our mission is to combine programming and "human" factors with geekiness!

- A unique ID for an element on a page
- Each ID must be unique; can only be used once in the page



Linking to sections of a web page

```
Visit <a href=
"http://www.textpad.com/download/index.html#downloads">
textpad.com</a> to get the TextPad editor.
<a href="#mission">View our Mission Statement</a>
HTML
```

Visit <u>textpad.com</u> to get the TextPad editor.

View our Mission Statement

output

- Link target can include an ID at the end, preceded by a #
- Browser will load that page and scroll to element with given
 ID

CSS ID selectors

```
#mission {
font-style: italic;
font-family: "Garamond", "Century Gothic", serif;
}
```

Coding Horror! Coding Horror!

Our mission is to combine programming and "human" factors with geekiness! output

Applies style only to the paragraph that has the ID of mission

HTML class attribute

```
Coding Horror! Coding Horror!
See our special deal on Droids!
Today only!
```

Coding Horror! Coding Horror!

See our special deal on Droids!

Today only! output

- A way to group some elements and give a style to only that group
- Unlike an id, a class can be reused as much as you like on the page



CSS class selectors

```
.special {
background-color: yellow;
font-weight: bold;
}
p.shout {
color: red;
font-family: cursive;
}
```

Coding Horror! Coding Horror!

See our special deal on Droids!

Today only!

output

CSS class selectors

```
Coding Horror! Coding Horror!
See our special deal on Droids!
Today only!
```

Coding Horror! Coding Horror!

See our special deal on Droids!

Today only!

output

CSS ID selectors

```
a:link { color: #FF0000; } /* unvisited link */
a:visited { color: #00FF00; } /* visited link */
a:hover { color: #FF00FF; } /* mouse over link */

CSS
```

Buy Early Buy Often!

output

CSS ID selectors

class	description
:active	an activated or selected element
:focus	an element that has the keyboard focus
:hover	an element that has the mouse over it
:link	a link that has not been visited
:visited	a link that has already been visited
:first-letter	the first letter of text inside an element
:first-line	the first line of text inside an element
:first-child	an element that is the first one to appear inside another