


HTML - Tag Reference






Following tags have been introduced in older versions of HTML but all the tags marked with  are part of HTML-5.

Tag	Description	Version
<!--...-->	Specifies a comment	
<!DOCTYPE>	Specifies the document type	
<a>	Specifies an anchor	
<abbr>	Specifies an abbreviation	
<acronym>	Specifies an acronym	
<address>	Specifies an address element	
<applet>	Deprecated. Specifies an applet	
<area>	Specifies an area inside an image map	
<article>	Specifies an article	5
<aside>	Specifies some content loosely related to the page content. If it is removed, the remaining content still makes sense	5
<audio>	Specifies a sound content	5
	Specifies bold text	
<base>	Specifies a base URL for all the links in a page	
<basefont>	Deprecated. Specifies a base font	
<bdo>	Specifies the direction of text display	
<bdi>	Represents text that must be isolated from its surrounding for bidirectional text formatting. It allows embedding a span of text with a different, or unknown, directionality	5
<bgsound>	Specifies background music	
<big>	Specifies big text	
<blink>	Specifies a text which blinks	
<blockquote>	Specifies a long quotation	
<body>	Specifies the body element	
 	Inserts a single line break	
<button>	Specifies a push button	
<canvas>	For making graphics with a script	5
<caption>	Specifies a table caption	

<center>	Deprecated. Specifies centered text	
<cite>	Specifies a citation	
<code>	Specifies computer code text	
<col>	Specifies attributes for table columns	
<colgroup>	Specifies groups of table columns	
<comment>	Puts a comment in the document	
<datalist>	A list of options for input values	
<dd>	Specifies a definition description	
	Specifies deleted text	
<dfn>	Specifies a definition term	
<dialog>	Specifies a dialog box or window	
<dir>	Deprecated. Specifies a directory list	
<div>	Specifies a section in a document	
<dl>	Specifies a definition list	
<dt>	Specifies a definition term	
	Specifies emphasized text	
<embed>	Specifies a container for an external (non-HTML) application	
<fieldset>	Specifies a fieldset	
<figcaption>	Specifies a caption for a <figure> element	
<figure>	Specifies self-contained content	
	Deprecated. Specifies text font, size, and color	
<footer>	Specifies a footer for a document or section	
<form>	Specifies a form	
<frame>	Specifies a sub window (a frame)	
<frameset>	Specifies a set of frames	
<h1> to <h6>	Specifies header 1 to header 6	
<head>	Specifies information about the document	

<header>	Specifies a header for a document or section	5
<hr>	Specifies a horizontal rule	
<html>	Specifies an html document	
<i>	Specifies italic text	
<iframe>	Specifies an inline sub window (frame)	
<ilayer>	Specifies an inline layer	
	Specifies an image	
<input>	Specifies an input field	
<ins>	Specifies inserted text	
<isindex>	Deprecated. Specifies a single-line input field	
<kbd>	Specifies keyboard text	
<keygen>	Generate key information in a form	5
<label>	Specifies a label for a form control	
<layer>	Specifies a layer	
<legend>	Specifies a title in a fieldset	
	Specifies a list item	
<link>	Specifies a resource reference	
<main>	Specifies the main or important content in the document. There is only one element in the document	5
<map>	Specifies an image map	
<mark>	Specifies a text highlighted for reference purposes, that is for its relevance in another context	5
<marquee>	Creates a scrolling-text marquee	
<menu>	Deprecated. Specifies a menu list	
<menuitem>	Specifies a command/menu item that the user can invoke from a popup menu	5
<meta>	Specifies meta data of an html document which is not displayed on the page	
<meter>	Specifies a scalar measurement within a known range (a gauge)	

<multicol>	Specifies a multicolumn text flow	
<nav>	Specifies a section that contains only navigation links	
<nobr>	No breaks allowed in the enclosed text	
<noembed>	Specifies content to be presented by browsers that do not support the <embed>tag	
<noframes>	Specifies a noframe section	
<noscript>	Specifies a noscript section	
<object>	Specifies an embedded object	
	Specifies an ordered list	
<optgroup>	Specifies an option group	
<option>	Specifies an option in a drop-down list	
<output>	Specifies the result of a calculation	
<p>	Specifies a paragraph	
<param>	Specifies a parameter for an object	
<plaintext>	Deprecated. Render the remainder of the document as preformatted plain text	
<pre>	Specifies preformatted text	
<progress>	Specifies a completion progress of a task	
<q>	Specifies a short quotation	
<rp>	Specifies to show browsers that do not support the ruby element	
<rt>	Specifies an text ruby annotation	
<ruby>	Specifies an ruby annotation	
<s>	Deprecated. Specifies strikethrough text	
<samp>	Specifies sample computer code	
<script>	Specifies a script	
<section>	Specifies a section in a document	
<select>	Specifies a selectable list	
<spacer>	Specifies a white space	

<small>	Specifies small text	
<source>	Specifies a media resources for media elements, defined inside video or audio elements	
	Specifies a section in a document	
<strike>	Deprecated. Specifies strikethrough text	
	Specifies strong text	
<style>	Specifies a style definition	
<sub>	Specifies subscripted text	
<summary>	Specifies a summary, caption, or legend for a given <details>	
<sup>	Specifies superscripted text	
<table>	Specifies a table	
<tbody>	Specifies a table body	
<td>	Specifies a table cell	
<textarea>	Specifies a text area	
<tfoot>	Specifies a table footer	
<th>	Specifies a table heading	
<thead>	Specifies a table header	
<time>	Specifies a date and time <details>	
<title>	Specifies the document title	
<tr>	Specifies a table row	
<track>	Specifies a text tracks used in mediaplayers	
<tt>	Specifies teletype text	
<u>	Deprecated. Specifies underlined text	
	Specifies an unordered list	
<var>	Specifies a variable	
<video>	Specifies a text tracks used in media players	
<wbr>	Indicates a potential word break point within a <nobr> section	
<xmp>	Deprecated. Specifies preformatted text	

