

HTML Form-Checkbox and Radio control

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Checkbox Control

Checkboxes are used when a list of more than one choice is needed. HTML < input > tags are often used to construct them, but the form type attribute is set to checkbox.

Attributes:

type: Indicates the type of input control and for checkbox input control it will be set to checkbox.

name: Used to give a name to the control which is sent to the server to be acknowledged and get the value.

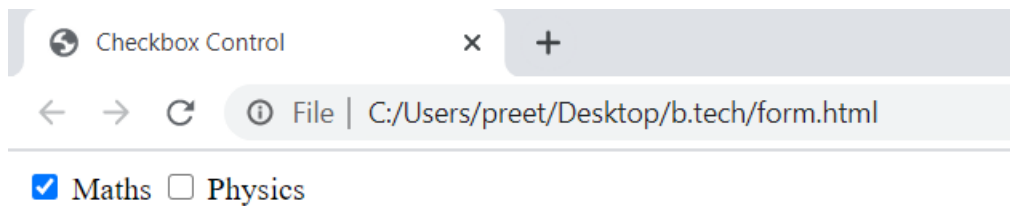
value: The value that will be used if the checkbox is selected.

checked: Set to checked if you want to select it by default.

Code:

```
<html>
<head>
    <title>Checkbox Control</title>
</head>
<body>
    <form>
        <input type = "checkbox" name = "maths" value = "on" checked="checked"> Maths
        <input type = "checkbox" name = "physics" value = "on"> Physics
    </form>
</body>
</html>
```

Output:



Radio Button Control

Radio buttons are used when out of many options, just one option is required to be selected. They are also created using HTML `<input>` tag but type attribute is set to radio.

Attributes

type: Indicates the type of input control and for checkbox input control it will be set to radio.

name: Used to give a name to the control which is sent to the server to be recognized and get the value.

value: The value that will be used if the radio box is selected.

checked: Set to checked if you want to select it by default.

Code:

```
<html>
```

```
<head>
```

```
    <title>Checkbox Control</title>
```

```
</head>
```

```
<body>
```

```
    <form>
```

```
        <input type = "radio" name = "subject" value = "maths" > Maths
```

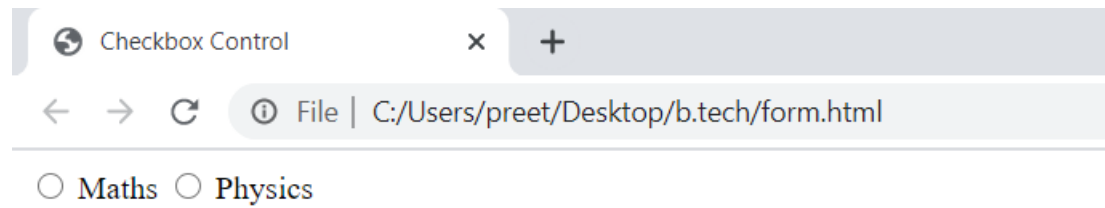
```
        <input type = "radio" name = "subject" value = "physics"> Physics
```

```
    </form>
```

```
</body>
```

</html>

Output:



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