# Assume you are experienced in answering in many interviews and you have enough knowledge on SDET then answer the following question "How do you create an unordered list in HTML?"

Certainly! Here's how you can confidently answer the interview question:

Interview Question: "How do you create an unordered list in HTML?"

### Answer:

To create an unordered list in HTML, we use the <u1> (unordered list) tag, and inside it, each list item is wrapped in an <1i> (list item) tag. This structure creates a bullet-point list by default.

### **Example:**

```
    Java
    Selenium
    Cypress
    Rest Assured
```

This will render a bulleted list on the web page with each tool listed as an item.

### Additional Notes (Optional in interview):

- The default bullet style can be customized using CSS (e.g., list-style-type: circle; or none;).
- It's commonly used in navigation menus or feature lists in web applications.

As an SDET, I often work with HTML elements during front-end validations, test automation, or when identifying elements using selectors like XPath or CSS, so understanding list structures is essential.

Let me know if you'd like a version tailored to freshers or experienced SDETs.

# What is an ordered list?

### Certainly!



"What is an ordered list?"

An **ordered list** is a type of data structure or HTML element in which the **items are arranged in a specific, sequential order**. This order is **meaningful** and is usually maintained either **numerically or alphabetically**.

### **★** In Different Contexts:

### 1. In HTML (Web Development):

An ordered list is represented using the tag, and each list item is wrapped in an tag. The browser automatically numbers the items.

```
    Install Java
    Configure Environment
    Run Your First Program
```

- Output:
  - 1. Install Java
  - 2. Configure Environment
  - 3. Run Your First Program
  - ✓ The numbering indicates the importance or sequence of steps.

### 2. In Data Structures (Java/Python):

An ordered list means the **insertion order is preserved**, so the position of each element is fixed based on how it was added.

### Python Example:

```
ordered list = [10, 20, 30]
```

Java Example (Using List Interface):

```
List<String> orderedList = new ArrayList<>();
orderedList.add("Apple");
orderedList.add("Banana");
orderedList.add("Cherry");
```

✓ In both cases, the elements will always be iterated in the order they were added.

# Why It Matters in SDET Interviews:

As an SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test), understanding ordered lists is crucial when:

- Validating **UI rendering** of ordered elements (e.g., steps in a wizard or numbered instructions).
- Writing automated tests that depend on sequential data.
- Working with APIs or databases that return sorted or ordered results.

# **Summary**:

"An **ordered list** is a collection where the **sequence of elements is maintained**, either for presentation (like in HTML) or data access (like in programming). Understanding this is vital for validating data integrity and user flows in automated testing."

# How do you create a table in HTML?

Certainly! As an experienced Software Development Engineer in Test (SDET), when answering a question like **"How do you create a table in HTML?"** in an interview, it's important to provide:

- 1. A brief explanation of the concept
- 2. The structure and key tags involved
- 3. An example of clean, professional code

# ✓ Interview-Ready Answer:

To create a table in HTML, we use the element, which is structured with rows and cells using (table row), (table header), and (table data) tags. This is commonly used to display tabular data such as test results, user lists, or reports in a structured format.

### **Name** Basic Syntax:

```
<thead>
Header 1
 Header 2
</thead>
Row 1 Data 1
 Row 1 Data 2
Row 2 Data 1
 Row 2 Data 2
```

# Explanation of Tags:

- : Defines the table
- <thead>: Wraps the header rows
- : A table row
- : A header cell (bold and centered by default)
- : A data cell in a row
- : Groups the body content of the table

### Real-World Use Case in SDET Role:

As an SDET, I often generate automated test reports in HTML where tables are used to display:

- Test case names
- Execution status (Pass/Fail)
- Execution time
- Error logs (if any)

### Example:

```
Test Case
Status
Execution Time

Login Test
Pass

2.3s
```

# ✓ Optional Styling (Using CSS):

To enhance readability:

```
<style>
table {
  width: 100%;
  border-collapse: collapse;
}
th, td {
  padding: 8px;
  border: 1px solid #ddd;
  text-align: left;
}
th {
  background-color: #f2f2f2;
}
</style>
```

Let me know if you'd like the same answer in a shorter format or tailored for a beginner, intermediate, or advanced interview.

# What are table headers?

Certainly! Here's how an experienced SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test) would answer the interview question:

✓ Interview Question: What are table headers?

Answer:

Table headers are the top rows or columns in a table that define and label the content in the corresponding cells below or beside them. In HTML (which is commonly used in web applications), table headers are created using the tag, as opposed to regular data cells which use the tag.

From a testing perspective, especially in UI or web automation testing, table headers are critical because they:

- 1. **Provide context** They help users and automated tests understand what kind of data is in each column or row.
- 2. **Help in validation** During UI automation, we often validate if the headers are present, correct, and displayed in the right order. This ensures the data beneath is correctly interpreted.
- 3. **Support accessibility** Headers improve accessibility by allowing screen readers to describe data more meaningfully to visually impaired users.

### **Example (HTML Table Header):**

```
Employee ID
Name
Department

101
101
4d>Alice

4d>QA

2
```

In Selenium, we can locate headers using XPath like:

List<WebElement> headers = driver.findElements(By.xpath("//table//th"));

As an SDET, verifying table headers is part of UI validation, data integrity checks, and helps in dynamically interacting with web tables during automated tests.

Let me know if you want the answer shortened, reworded, or tailored for manual testing, Python + Selenium, or any specific framework.

# How do you make a form in HTML?

Certainly! Here's how I would confidently and clearly answer the interview question:

# Q: How do you make a form in HTML?

To create a form in HTML, we use the <form> tag, which acts as a container for input elements that collect user data. A basic HTML form includes elements like text boxes, radio buttons, checkboxes, dropdowns, and buttons for submission.

### Here's a simple example:

```
<form action="/submit" method="POST">
 <label for="username">Username:</label>
 <input type="text" id="username" name="username" required />
 <br />
 <label for="email">Email:</label>
 <input type="email" id="email" name="email" required />
 <br />
 <label for="gender">Gender:</label>
 <input type="radio" id="male" name="gender" value="male" />
 <label for="male">Male</label>
 <input type="radio" id="female" name="gender" value="female" />
 <label for="female">Female</label>
 <br />
 <label for="country">Country:</label>
 <select id="country" name="country">
  <option value="india">India</option>
  <option value="usa">USA</option>
  <option value="uk">UK</option>
 </select>
 <br />
```

```
<input type="submit" value="Submit" /> </form>
```

### **Explanation:**

- <form>: This is the container element.
  - o action: Specifies where the form data should be sent after submission.
  - o method: Defines the HTTP method, commonly GET or POST.
- <input>: Used for various types of input like text, email, radio, checkbox, etc.
- <label>: Describes the input fields and improves accessibility.
- <select> and <option>: Used for dropdown menus.
- <input type="submit">: Adds a button to submit the form.

# Bonus (from an SDET perspective):

As an SDET, I ensure that:

- All form fields have name attributes so data can be submitted properly.
- required attributes are used for validation.
- I automate testing of the form using tools like **Selenium** or **Cypress** by:
  - Locating elements by their id, name, or custom attributes.
  - Filling in inputs and submitting the form.
  - Asserting correct redirection or validation messages.

Would you like me to also give the same answer in a format suitable for a **technical resume** or **GitHub project README**?

# What is the tag?

Certainly!

Interview Question: "What is a tag in HTML?"

### Answer:

In HTML, a **tag** is a fundamental building block used to define elements on a web page. Tags are keywords enclosed in angle brackets (< >) that tell the browser how to display content.

There are two main types of tags:

- 1. **Opening tag** Marks the beginning of an element. Example:
- 2. Closing tag Marks the end of an element. Example:

Together, they form an HTML element, like this:

```
This is a paragraph.
```

Some tags are **self-closing** (also called void tags), meaning they don't need a closing tag. Example:

```
<br/><br/><!-- line break --><br/>img src="image.jpg" alt="Image" />
```

Tags can also include **attributes** to define properties or behavior of the element. For example:

```
<a href="https://example.com">Visit Site</a>
```

In this example:

<a> is the anchor tag,

- href is an attribute specifying the URL,
- and Visit Site is the content the user sees.

As an SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test), understanding HTML tags is essential when:

- Writing automated UI tests (e.g., locating elements by tag names like <input>,
   <button>, <div>)
- Validating the structure of web pages
- Inspecting DOM elements in tools like Selenium, Cypress, or Playwright.

Let me know if you'd like the same answer in a shorter version or formatted for a resume or mock interview.

# List common form input types.

Certainly! As an experienced interviewee and someone knowledgeable in **SDET** (**Software Development Engineer in Test**) roles, here's a **clear and concise answer** to the commonly asked question:

Interview Question: List common form input types.

### Answer:

In web forms, HTML provides several input types to capture different kinds of user data. Here are the most **common form input types**:

- 1. **text** Used for single-line input, such as names or search queries.
- 2. password Masks user input; typically used for password fields.
- 3. **email** Validates input as a properly formatted email address.

- 4. **number** Accepts numeric values only; supports min, max, and step attributes.
- 5. **tel** Accepts telephone numbers; does not validate format by default.
- url Ensures the input follows a valid URL format.
- 7. **search** Similar to text, but optimized for search fields.
- 8. **checkbox** Allows selection of one or multiple options.
- 9. **radio** Allows selection of a single option from a group.
- 10. **submit** Submits the form to the server.
- 11. reset Resets all form fields to their default values.
- 12. **button** A general-purpose button; often used with JavaScript.
- 13. date Lets users pick a date using a calendar UI.
- 14. **time** Used for selecting a specific time.
- 15. **datetime-local** Captures both date and time (without timezone).
- 16. **file** Allows users to upload files from their device.
- 17. **color** Lets users choose a color via a color picker.

# Additional Note (SDET-Relevant):

As an SDET, it's important to know these input types not only for development understanding but also for form validation, UI automation, and functional testing using tools like Selenium, Cypress, or Playwright. Input types affect test behavior such as data entry, validations, and element interaction strategies.

Let me know if you'd like the HTML examples, Selenium/Cypress test snippets, or how to handle input validations in automation!

# What is the tag used for?

Absolutely! Here's how an experienced **SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test)** might answer the interview question:

Question: "What is the <tag> used for in HTML?"

### Answer (SDET-style):

In HTML, a **tag** is used to define elements on a web page. Tags are enclosed in angle brackets, like , < div>, or < a>, and usually come in pairs — an opening tag (< tag>) and a closing tag (< tag>). These tags tell the browser how to structure and render the content within them.

### For example:

- <h1> defines a top-level heading.
- <input> defines a user input field.
- <button> creates a clickable button.

From an **SDET perspective**, understanding HTML tags is crucial because:

- We often interact with HTML elements during UI automation (e.g., using Selenium, Cypress).
- Tags help us locate elements via selectors like XPath or CSS.
- They also affect accessibility and DOM structure, which impacts test coverage and automation reliability.

Knowing the purpose and behavior of various tags allows us to write **more stable and maintainable test scripts**.

Let me know if you'd like the answer in a more beginner-friendly tone or need an example of how a specific tag is used in automation.

# How do you group inputs in a form?

Certainly! Here's how you can answer the interview question "How do you group inputs in a form?" from an SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test) perspective, combining both development and testing insights:

# Answer:

To group inputs in a form, we typically use **semantic HTML elements** and **logical grouping strategies** that enhance both user experience and testability. Here's how it's generally done:

### 1. Using <fieldset> and <legend>

The most semantic and accessible way to group related inputs is by using the <fieldset> tag, with a <legend> to provide a caption:

```
<fieldset>
<legend>Personal Information</legend>
<label>Name: <input type="text" name="name"></label>
<label>Email: <input type="email" name="email"></label>
</fieldset>
```

- V Helps screen readers identify groups of fields.
- Improves form structure and accessibility.

### 2. Using <div> with CSS classes (non-semantic grouping)

In modern UI frameworks (React, Angular, etc.), we often group inputs using <div> or custom components with proper CSS classes or IDs:

```
<div class="address-group">
  <label>Street: <input type="text" name="street"></label>
  <label>City: <input type="text" name="city"></label>
  </div>
```

\( \section \) Useful for styling and layout.

• Less accessible than <fieldset> unless properly labeled.

### • 3. Grouping in UI Frameworks (React, Angular, etc.)

In frameworks like **React**, inputs are often grouped into components:

```
function ContactInfoForm() {
  return (
      <div className="contact-info">
            <input name="phone" />
            <input name="email" />
            </div>
  );
}
```

- Promotes reusability and modularity.
- Makes component-level testing easier with tools like Jest, React Testing Library, or Cypress.

### From an SDET Perspective (Testing View):

# Grouping helps in:

- **Scoping locators**: We can use grouped selectors like .contact-info input[name='email'] to make selectors more robust and less prone to breakage.
- Data-driven testing: Logical groupings make it easy to structure test data in JSON/YAML formats.
- **Test readability**: Clearly grouped elements make tests easier to maintain and understand.

# Example with Cypress:

```
cy.get('.address-group').within(() => {
  cy.get("input[name='city']").type('Hyderabad');
});
```

# **Summary:**

To group inputs in a form, I use semantic elements like <fieldset> and <le><legend> for accessibility, or <div> and components in modern frameworks for flexibility. From an SDET perspective, proper grouping improves testability, locator strategy, and maintainability of automation scripts.

Let me know if you'd like a version tailored for Java Selenium, Cypress, or Playwright testing tools.

# What is a radio button?

Certainly! Here's a professional and clear way to answer the question "What is a radio button in HTML?"—as expected in an SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test) interview:

# Answer:

A radio button in HTML is an input element of type "radio" that allows the user to select only one option from a predefined group of choices.

Each radio button is defined using the <input type="radio"> tag, and multiple radio buttons are grouped together by giving them the same name attribute. This grouping behavior ensures mutual exclusivity, meaning selecting one button automatically unselects any previously selected option in that group.

### Syntax Example:

```
<form>
 <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="male"> Male</label>
 <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="female"> Female</label>
 <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="other"> Other</label>
</form>
```

In this example, all three radio buttons belong to the same group (name="gender"), so only one can be selected at a time.

# As an SDET, I'd also mention:

- **Testing Use Case**: When testing radio buttons, we often validate:
  - Only one option can be selected at a time.
  - The default selection (if any) is correct.
  - o The correct value is submitted.
  - Accessibility and label association.
- Automation Tools like Selenium or Cypress provide ways to:
  - Locate radio buttons by attributes like name, value, or label.
  - Simulate clicks and assert the selected value.

Let me know if you want this answer tailored for manual testing, automation script examples, or more technical depth (like DOM structure or JavaScript interaction).

# How do you submit a form?

Certainly! Here's a concise and professional way to answer the interview question: **"How do you submit a form?"** — especially from an **SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test)** perspective:

# Answer (SDET-focused):

"As an SDET, submitting a form typically involves identifying the form fields, inputting the required data, and triggering the form submission event. The approach varies slightly depending on the technology being used. For example:

### In Selenium with Java:

// Fill out form fields driver.findElement(By.id("username")).sendKeys("testUser"); driver.findElement(By.id("password")).sendKeys("securePass");

// Submit the form driver.findElement(By.id("loginForm")).submit(); // Or clicking a submit button driver.findElement(By.id("submitButton")).click();

- submit() can be used if you're working directly with a <form> element.
- click() is often more flexible and simulates real user behavior.

### In Cypress (JavaScript):

```
cy.get('#username').type('testUser');
cy.get('#password').type('securePass');
cy.get('form').submit();
// or
cy.get('#submitButton').click();
```

### Additional Considerations:

- I ensure form validation is triggered and check for both positive and negative test scenarios.
- I verify that the form submission leads to the expected response (e.g., success message, navigation, or API call).
- I also test for edge cases like empty fields, invalid inputs, or network failures.

### **Summary**:

So, submitting a form involves:

- 1. Locating and interacting with fields.
- 2. Using submit() on form or click() on submit button.
- Asserting the outcome (UI change or backend response).
   As an SDET, I automate and validate all these steps to ensure form functionality is robust."

Let me know if you'd like the same answer customized for **API testing**, **mobile testing**, or a **manual testing** scenario as well.

# What is the difference between checkbox and radio button?

Certainly! Here's how I would answer the interview question from an **SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test)** perspective:

Question: What is the difference between checkbox and radio button?

# Answer:

The primary difference between a **checkbox** and a **radio button** lies in **selection behavior**:

### ✓ Checkbox:

- Allows multiple selections from a list of options.
- Each checkbox is **independent** of the others.
- Example: Selecting interests like Music, Sports, and Travel the user can select all three.
- In HTML, it uses: <input type="checkbox" name="hobby" value="Music">

### Radio Button:

- Allows only one selection in a group.
- All radio buttons in the same name group are mutually exclusive.
- Example: Choosing gender Male, Female, Other only one can be selected.
- In HTML, it uses: <input type="radio" name="gender" value="Male">

### From a Testing (SDET) Perspective:

- ✓ For Checkboxes, test cases should include:
  - Selecting **none**, **one**, **or multiple** options.
  - Verifying that independent selection works as expected.
  - Testing for **state persistence** after form submission or page refresh.
- For Radio Buttons, test cases should include:
  - Ensuring that only one option can be selected at a time.
  - Verifying default selection, if any.
  - Checking proper grouping via the name attribute.

# 

```
// Checkbox
WebElement musicCheckbox = driver.findElement(By.id("music"));
if (!musicCheckbox.isSelected()) {
    musicCheckbox.click();
}

// Radio Button
WebElement maleRadio = driver.findElement(By.id("male"));
if (!maleRadio.isSelected()) {
    maleRadio.click();
}
```

# 🔚 Summary:

- Use a **checkbox** when **multiple options** can be selected.
- Use a radio button when only one option must be selected from a group.

Let me know if you want a version of this tailored for **manual testing**, **JavaScript automation**, or **API scenarios** where these fields might be represented in JSON payloads.

# How do you validate inputs using HTML?

Certainly! Here's a strong, interview-ready answer to the question "How do you validate inputs using HTML?", tailored from the perspective of an experienced SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test):

# Answer:

**As an SDET**, validating inputs at the HTML level is a critical part of front-end form validation to ensure basic data correctness even before the request reaches the server.

In **HTML**, input validation is primarily achieved through **HTML5** attributes that define rules for acceptable input. Here are some common techniques I use:

### 1. Using Built-in HTML5 Validation Attributes

- required: Ensures the field is not left empty.
- type: Validates format (e.g., type="email", type="number", type="url").
- pattern: Uses regex to define custom input formats.
- min, max, minlength, maxlength: Define numeric or character length limits.
- **step**: Controls number precision (useful for prices, decimals).
- readonly, disabled: To restrict editing where necessary.

### x Example:

```
<form>
<input type="text" name="username" required minlength="3" maxlength="15" />
<input type="email" name="email" required />
<input type="password" name="password" pattern=".{6,}" title="6 characters minimum" />
<input type="submit" />
```

### 2. Browser-Based Feedback

Modern browsers automatically show messages when validation fails (e.g., "Please enter a valid email"). These can be customized using the title attribute or enhanced with JavaScript.

### 3. Custom Validation (JavaScript Enhancements)

Although HTML validation handles many use cases, I often use **JavaScript for more complex rules** or cross-field validation (e.g., "password" and "confirm password" match).

### 4. As an SDET, I test this by:

- Verifying attribute presence in DOM using automation tools (e.g., Selenium/Cypress).
- Triggering validation errors and asserting the displayed error messages.
- Testing boundary cases like minimum length, invalid formats, and special characters.
- Ensuring both client-side and server-side validations are aligned.

### **©** Summary:

"HTML input validation is a critical first layer of defense. While it improves UX and reduces unnecessary server calls, I always ensure it's complemented by backend validation and thoroughly tested through automation and boundary testing scenarios."

Let me know if you'd like the same answer tailored for **freshers**, **mid-level**, or **SDET automation tool-specific** interviews.

# How do you create a dropdown menu in forms?

Certainly! Here's a complete and polished answer that combines both the **basic explanation** and the **SDET-focused perspective**, ideal for an interview setting:

### Q: How do you create a dropdown menu in forms?

### Answer:

To create a dropdown menu in forms, we use the HTML <select> element, which allows users to choose one option from a list. Each item in the list is defined using the <option> tag. Here's a simple example:

```
<form>
<label for="country">Choose your country:</label>
<select id="country" name="country">
<option value="india">India</option>
<option value="usa">United States</option>
<option value="uk">United Kingdom</option>
<option value="australia">Australia</option>
</select>
</form>
```

### **Explanation:**

- The <select> tag creates the dropdown menu.
- <option> tags define the items users can select.
- The value attribute specifies what gets submitted when the form is sent.
- The id and name attributes help in identifying the field and submitting the form data.
- The label ensures accessibility and user clarity.

### From an SDET Perspective:

As an SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test), I not only understand how dropdowns are created but also ensure they are **testable**, **accessible**, **and functionally correct** across environments. Here's how I approach it:

### 1. Automation Testing of Dropdowns:

### Selenium with Java:

WebElement dropdown = driver.findElement(By.id("country")); Select select = new Select(dropdown); select.selectByVisibleText("India");

### **Cypress with JavaScript:**

cy.get('#country').select('India');

### 2. Functional and UI Validation:

- Verify the default option (if any) is selected.
- Check that all expected <option> values are present.
- Ensure form submission returns the selected value correctly.

### 3. Accessibility Testing:

- Make sure the <label> is correctly associated with the <select> using for and id.
- Use tools like axe-core, Lighthouse, or NVDA to validate screen reader compatibility.

### 4. Cross-Browser and Responsive Testing:

- I validate the rendering and usability of dropdowns across different browsers (Chrome, Firefox, Safari) and devices (mobile, tablet, desktop).
- I may use **Percy**, **Applitools**, or **Screener.io** for visual testing.

### **Conclusion:**

Creating a dropdown menu is straightforward with HTML, but as an SDET, my role is to ensure it behaves correctly, looks consistent across platforms, and meets accessibility standards—all while being easy to automate and maintain in test suites.

Let me know if you'd like me to demonstrate dropdown handling in a specific tool like Playwright or Appium for mobile dropdowns.

# How do you align content in a table?

Certainly! Here's how you can answer the interview question "How do you align content in a table?" in a confident and professional SDET-oriented manner:

### Answer:

As an SDET, aligning content in a table can refer to two main contexts: **HTML/CSS for front-end validation** or **data verification in reports, Excel, or automation logs**. I can briefly explain both based on the situation:

### 1. HTML/CSS Table Alignment (Front-End Testing Context):

If the content alignment is related to a web-based table, we typically use **CSS properties** for alignment:

- Horizontal alignment:
- Vertical alignment:
  - o vertical-align: top;/middle;/bottom;

In automation testing, I validate the alignment by:

- Inspecting the CSS styles using browser DevTools
- Using Selenium or Playwright to fetch CSS property values like text-align or vertical-align

Writing assertions to verify alignment values match design requirements

String alignment = driver.findElement(By.cssSelector("td.column1")).getCssValue("text-align"); Assert.assertEquals(alignment, "center");

### 2. Excel or Report Table Alignment (Data Testing Context):

When validating data in Excel tables (e.g., with Apache POI), we check cell styles like alignment:

CellStyle style = cell.getCellStyle(); HorizontalAlignment hAlign = style.getAlignment(); VerticalAlignment vAlign = style.getVerticalAlignment();

This is useful in test automation that validates report generation or content formatting as part of quality checks.

# 3. Console Table Output / CLI Logs (Automation Logs Context):

If I log tabular data in CLI during test runs, I ensure alignment using string formatting: print("{:<10} {:<15} {:<20}".format("ID", "Name", "Status"))

This ensures data is readable and organized for debugging.

**In summary**, aligning content in a table depends on the platform — web UI (HTML/CSS), Excel (POI), or logs (string formatting). As an SDET, I ensure alignment meets both **UI/UX standards** and **testability**, and I verify it using tools and code wherever necessary.

Let me know if you want the answer tailored more toward manual testing, automation scripting, or specific tools like Selenium, Cypress, or Excel APIs.

# How to add rowspan and colspan?

Certainly! As an experienced SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test), it's essential to not only understand the functionality of web elements like tables but also how to validate their structure during automation or manual testing. Here's how I would answer the interview question:

# ? Interview Question:

"How to add rowspan and colspan in HTML tables?"

# Answer:

In HTML, rowspan and colspan are attributes used in (table data) or (table header) elements to make a cell span across multiple rows or columns. Here's how they are added:

# ★ 1. colspan: Merging Columns

• Used to merge multiple columns into a single cell horizontally.

### Syntax:

```
Merged Cell
```

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### **#** Example:

```
Name
Contact

John
Email
```

# **★** 2. rowspan: Merging Rows

Used to merge multiple rows into a single cell vertically.

### Syntax:

```
Merged Cell
```

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### **P** Example:

```
    Name

    Math

  </
```

# **©** From an SDET Perspective:

- When validating UI layout through Selenium or Cypress, use DOM locators like XPath or CSS Selectors to verify:
  - The rowspan or colspan attribute is present.
  - Table rendering is visually correct and data aligns under the right columns.

### Example using XPath:

//td[@colspan='2']

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 Also check for accessibility (e.g., use of for headers) and responsive behavior in different screen sizes.

### **Onclusion:**

Adding rowspan and colspan enhances table readability and organization. As an SDET, understanding how these attributes affect the DOM structure is key to writing robust UI tests.

Let me know if you'd like an example for Cypress, Selenium, or accessibility testing around tables with rowspan and colspan.

# Describe the role of form action and method.

Certainly! Here's a clear, **SDET-focused** answer suitable for interviews:

### Q: Describe the role of form action and method.

In HTML, the <form> tag is used to collect user input and submit it to a server. The two most critical attributes of the <form> element are:

### action Attribute:

- **Definition:** Specifies the **URL** or **endpoint** where the form data should be sent after submission.
- Role: It defines the destination (e.g., a backend route or script) that will process the submitted form data.

### **Example:**

<form action="/submit-feedback" method="POST">

- If action="" or omitted:
  - The form data is submitted to the current page URL.
  - This is common in JavaScript-based SPAs.

# **method** Attribute:

- **Definition:** Specifies the **HTTP method** (like GET or POST) used to submit the form data.
- Role: Determines how the data is sent to the server.

### Common values:

- GET
  - Data is sent in the URL query string (e.g., ?name=John&age=30)
  - Useful for non-sensitive data (e.g., search filters)
  - Form submissions can be bookmarked
- POST
  - Data is sent in the HTTP request body
  - o Preferred for **sensitive or large data**, like login credentials or file uploads

### As an SDET, why is this important?

- Test Automation Relevance:
  - Understanding action and method helps in designing test cases for form submission flows.

- Useful when writing API-level tests (e.g., verifying POST endpoints).
- When inspecting front-end forms, this knowledge helps in identifying where and how to simulate or validate form behaviors.

### **Example:**

```
<form action="/login" method="POST">
  <input name="username">
  <input name="password">
  <button type="submit">Login</button>
  </form>
```

- action: /login → tells the browser where to send the credentials.
- method: POST → data will be sent securely in the body.

Let me know if you'd like a version tailored for **manual testing**, **API testing**, or **Selenium/Cypress context!** 

# Create a table with nested rows and columns.

Certainly! Here's how to **create a table with nested rows and columns**, assuming this is asked in a **SDET (Software Development Engineer in Test)** interview. You might be expected to demonstrate your **HTML/CSS skills**, especially for frontend test automation or validating structured DOM elements using Selenium, Playwright, or Cypress.

# ✓ Interview Answer: Create a Table with Nested Rows and Columns

In HTML, a **nested table** is a table within a cell of another table. Below is an example that creates a **main table with two rows**, and inside one of the cells, it nests another table with multiple rows and columns.

# Code Example:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<title>Nested Table Example</title>
<style>
 table, th, td {
  border: 1px solid black;
  border-collapse: collapse;
  padding: 8px;
 }
</style>
</head>
<body>
<h2>Main Table with Nested Table Inside</h2>
Main Header 1
 Main Header 2
Row 1, Col 1
 <!-- Nested Table -->
  Nested Header 1
    Nested Header 2
   Nested Row 1, Col 1
    Nested Row 1, Col 2
   Nested Row 2, Col 1
    Nested Row 2, Col 2
   Row 2, Col 1
```

```
Row 2, Col 2

</body>
</html>
```

### Explanation for Interview:

- The **outer table** contains 2 rows and 2 columns.
- In the second column of the first row, we embedded a **nested table**.
- The nested table has its own headers and multiple rows and columns.
- This is useful for representing complex data hierarchies like test results, module-wise test cases, or multi-level configurations.

### 💡 Where This Is Useful in SDET Roles:

- Test Automation: Locating nested table elements using XPath/CSS selectors.
- **Test Report Generation**: Formatting detailed results with hierarchy.
- **DOM Structure Understanding**: For testing dynamic web applications.
- **Database Mocking for UI**: Representing relational data in frontend testing.

If the interview expects programmatic generation (e.g., using Java or JavaScript) or automation test logic (like locating nested elements using Selenium/Cypress), let me know and I can provide that as well.

# Build a survey form with required fields.

Certainly! In interviews, when you're asked "Build a survey form with required fields" using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, the goal is to:

- 1. Create a clean, structured HTML form.
- 2. Apply minimal CSS for layout and style.
- 3. Use JavaScript for basic validation or interaction.

# ✓ Interview-Ready Answer

# HTML + CSS + JavaScript Code for a Survey Form

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
 <meta charset="UTF-8" />
 <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0"/>
 <title>Survey Form</title>
 <style>
  body {
   font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
   background-color: #f4f4f4;
   padding: 20px;
  }
  .container {
   background: #fff;
   max-width: 500px;
   margin: auto;
   padding: 30px;
   border-radius: 10px;
   box-shadow: 0 0 10px rgba(0,0,0,0.1);
  }
  h2 {
   text-align: center;
   margin-bottom: 20px;
  }
  label {
   display: block;
   margin-top: 15px;
  }
```

```
input, select, textarea {
   width: 100%;
   padding: 8px;
   margin-top: 5px;
   box-sizing: border-box;
  button {
   margin-top: 20px;
   padding: 10px;
   width: 100%;
   background-color: #28a745;
   color: white:
   border: none;
   border-radius: 5px;
   font-size: 16px;
  .error {
   color: red;
   font-size: 14px;
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <div class="container">
  <h2>Survey Form</h2>
  <form id="surveyForm">
   <label for="name">Name <span class="error" id="nameError"></span></label>
   <input type="text" id="name" name="name" required />
   <label for="email">Email <span class="error" id="emailError"></span></label>
   <input type="email" id="email" name="email" required />
   <label for="age">Age <span class="error" id="ageError"></span></label>
   <input type="number" id="age" name="age" required min="1" max="120" />
   <label for="gender">Gender</label>
   <select id="gender" name="gender" required>
    <option value="">-- Select Gender --</option>
    <option value="male">Male</option>
    <option value="female">Female</option>
    <option value="other">Other</option>
```

```
</select>
   <label for="feedback">Feedback</label>
   <textarea id="feedback" name="feedback" rows="4" placeholder="Write your feedback
here..."></textarea>
   <button type="submit">Submit
  </form>
 </div>
 <script>
  const form = document.getElementById("surveyForm");
  form.addEventListener("submit", function(e) {
   let valid = true:
   // Clear previous errors
   document.getElementById("nameError").textContent = "";
   document.getElementById("emailError").textContent = "";
   document.getElementById("ageError").textContent = "";
   // Validate Name
   const name = document.getElementById("name").value.trim();
   if (name === "") {
    document.getElementById("nameError").textContent = "Name is required.";
    valid = false;
   }
   // Validate Email
   const email = document.getElementById("email").value.trim();
   const emailPattern = /^[^]+@[^]+\.[a-z]{2,3}$/;
   if (!emailPattern.test(email)) {
    document.getElementById("emailError").textContent = "Enter a valid email.";
    valid = false;
   }
   // Validate Age
   const age = parseInt(document.getElementById("age").value, 10);
   if (isNaN(age) | age < 1 | age > 120) {
    document.getElementById("ageError").textContent = "Enter a valid age.";
    valid = false;
   }
   if (!valid) {
```

```
e.preventDefault();
} else {
    alert("Form submitted successfully!");
}
});
</script>
</body>
</html>
```

# What This Covers (For Interview Talk-Through)

- required attributes for basic HTML validation.
- CSS styling with modern look (form container, button styles, spacing).
- JavaScript form validation for:
  - Empty name check
  - o Email regex validation
  - Age range check
- Alert on successful submission (instead of real backend).

#### **W** Extra Tips to Mention in the Interview:

- You could enhance this by storing the data in localStorage, sending it via Fetch API, or integrating with a back-end API.
- Responsive design can be added via media queries or frameworks like Bootstrap.

Let me know if you want this integrated with a backend (Node.js, Firebase, etc.) or saved to local storage.

# Create a pricing table with multiple rows and columns.

Certainly! Below is a **professional-level answer** to the interview question:

### Interview Question:

"Create a pricing table with multiple rows and columns using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript."

# **Explanation Before Code:**

To build a responsive and visually appealing pricing table:

- **HTML** is used for structure (rows and columns of plans and features).
- **CSS** is used for styling (like borders, colors, spacing, responsiveness).
- **JavaScript** can optionally add interactivity (e.g., plan selection, highlighting, or showing dynamic discounts).

# Full Working Code (HTML + CSS + JavaScript):

```
display: flex;
 justify-content: center;
 gap: 20px;
 flex-wrap: wrap;
.pricing-plan {
 background: #fff;
 border: 2px solid #007bff;
 border-radius: 10px;
 width: 300px;
 padding: 20px;
 text-align: center;
 transition: transform 0.3s ease, box-shadow 0.3s ease;
.pricing-plan:hover {
 transform: scale(1.05);
 box-shadow: 0 10px 20px rgba(0,0,0,0.2);
}
.plan-title {
 font-size: 24px;
 color: #007bff;
 margin-bottom: 10px;
}
.plan-price {
 font-size: 32px;
 margin: 10px 0;
 color: #333;
}
.plan-features {
 list-style: none;
 padding: 0;
 text-align: left;
 margin: 20px 0;
.plan-features li {
 padding: 8px 0;
 border-bottom: 1px solid #ddd;
.select-button {
 background-color: #007bff;
 color: white;
 padding: 10px 20px;
 border: none;
 border-radius: 25px;
```

```
cursor: pointer;
   transition: background 0.3s ease;
  }
  .select-button:hover {
   background-color: #0056b3;
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <h1 style="text-align:center;">Choose Your Plan</h1>
 <div class="pricing-table">
  <div class="pricing-plan">
   <div class="plan-title">Basic</div>
   <div class="plan-price">$9/mo</div>
   ul class="plan-features">
    1 User
    5GB Storage
    Email Support
    Community Access
   <button class="select-button" onclick="selectPlan('Basic')">Select</button>
  </div>
  <div class="pricing-plan">
   <div class="plan-title">Pro</div>
   <div class="plan-price">$29/mo</div>
   ul class="plan-features">
    10 Users
    50GB Storage
    Priority Email Support
    Community Access
   <button class="select-button" onclick="selectPlan('Pro')">Select</button>
  </div>
  <div class="pricing-plan">
   <div class="plan-title">Enterprise</div>
   <div class="plan-price">$99/mo</div>
   ul class="plan-features">
    Unlimited Users
    1TB Storage
    24/7 Phone Support
```

```
<|i>Advanced Security
```

#### **W** Key Features:

- Responsive layout using flexbox.
- Hover effect for better user experience.
- JavaScript interactivity using a simple onclick to simulate selection.
- Separation of concerns: Clear distinction between structure (HTML), style (CSS), and behavior (JS).

### ✓ Additional Improvements (Optional):

- Use media queries for better mobile responsiveness.
- Add icons (FontAwesome) beside features.
- Use CSS grid for more control over column-based layout.
- Dynamically generate plans using JS from a JSON array.

Let me know if you'd like the same version using **Bootstrap** or **Tailwind CSS**, or if you'd like to make the features **toggleable by month/year** (with JS).

# Explain accessibility in forms.

Certainly!



Accessibility in forms means designing and coding form elements so that **everyone**, including users with **disabilities**, can **perceive**, **understand**, **navigate**, **and interact** with the form effectively — especially those using **assistive technologies** like screen readers, keyboards, or voice input.

Here's how accessibility can be ensured in forms using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript:

#### **1.** Use Semantic HTML Elements

Use proper form elements like:

<form>, <label>, <input>, <select>, <textarea>, <button>

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- They provide built-in keyboard and screen reader support.

#### 2. Use <label> Correctly

- Each input should be associated with a <label> using:
  - o for and id, OR
  - Wrapping the input inside the <label>.
- Example:

<label for="email">Email Address:</label>

<input type="email" id="email" name="email" />

•

#### 3. Add aria-\* Attributes When Needed

Use ARIA (Accessible Rich Internet Applications) roles/attributes for extra context.

**Example**:

<input aria-required="true" />

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 aria-label, aria-describedby, aria-invalid, etc. enhance meaning for screen readers.

#### 🧠 4. Provide Helpful Error Messages

- Use real-time validation and ensure errors are:
  - Clear in text
  - Announced by screen readers
  - Programmatically associated with the input
- **Example**:

<span id="emailError" class="error">Email is required.</span>
<input type="email" aria-describedby="emailError" />

•

#### **1 5.** Keyboard Navigation

- All form controls must be reachable and operable using just the **keyboard** (e.g., Tab, Enter, Space).
- Avoid JavaScript traps that disable standard tabbing or focus behavior.

#### 🎨 6. Use Visual Indicators and Color Contrast

- Ensure:
  - Labels are visible
  - Required fields are marked
  - Sufficient contrast between text and background
  - Avoid using color alone to indicate errors or states

#### 7. Accessible Placeholders and Instructions

- Placeholders should not replace labels.
- If extra guidance is needed, use aria-describedby or visible help text.

### Summary:

Accessibility in forms means making form inputs usable by all users, including those with disabilities. We achieve this using proper HTML semantics, ARIA roles, keyboard support, and clear error messaging — ensuring an inclusive experience.

Let me know if you'd like a version for **fresher**, **intermediate**, or **expert** interviews.

# Create a table with sticky headers.

Certainly! Here's how you can **create a table with sticky headers** using **HTML** and **CSS**. This is a **common frontend interview question**, and demonstrating clean, functional code with proper explanation will leave a good impression.

# ✓ HTML + CSS Code to Create a Table with Sticky Headers

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
 <meta charset="UTF-8">
 <title>Sticky Table Header</title>
 <style>
  table {
   border-collapse: collapse;
   width: 100%;
   height: 300px;
   overflow-y: auto;
   display: block;
  }
  thead {
   background-color: #333;
   color: white;
   position: sticky;
   top: 0;
   z-index: 1; /* Ensure header stays on top */
  }
  th, td {
   padding: 12px;
   border: 1px solid #ddd;
   text-align: left;
  }
  tbody {
   display: block;
   height: 200px;
   overflow-y: auto;
  }
```

```
tbody tr {
 display: table;
 width: 100%;
 table-layout: fixed;
</style>
</head>
<body>
<h2>Table with Sticky Header</h2>
<thead>
 ID
  Name
  Role
  Location
 </thead>
 <!-- Sample rows for demonstration -->
 1John DoeDeveloperNew York
 2Jane SmithDesignerCalifornia
 3Mike JohnsonManagerTexas
 4Emily DavisTesterFlorida
 5Chris Lee<Analyst</td><Washington</td>
 6David BrownSupportArizona
 7Susan WhiteHRGeorgia
 8Nobert GreenDeveloperOhio
 9Linda BlackInternUtah
 10Kevin HallLeadOregon
 </body>
</html>
```



- position: sticky; on <thead> or allows the header to remain fixed during vertical scrolling.
- 2. top: 0 is necessary to define the sticky reference point.
- 3. Use z-index: 1 to ensure the header appears above the body rows.
- 4. For scrollable content, thooly is given a height and overflow-y: auto.
- We use display: block on both table, thead, and tbody to isolate scrolling behavior without affecting layout.

#### Bonus Tip (Interview Insight):

If asked how this differs from position: fixed, explain that sticky allows headers to scroll until they reach the top of the container and then stick — providing a natural scrolling experience, whereas fixed detaches it from the document flow entirely.

Would you like a version with horizontal sticky columns too?

# Design a registration form with all input types.

Sure! Here's a **complete registration form** using **HTML5**, covering **all the major input types** (text, email, password, radio, checkbox, file, tel, url, date, time, number, range, color, hidden, search, etc.). I've also added **basic CSS** for styling and **JavaScript** for simple validation.

# Registration Form with All Input Types

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
    <title>Registration Form</title>
    <style>
    body {
        font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
```

```
background: #f0f2f5;
 padding: 30px;
}
form {
 background: white;
 padding: 20px;
 max-width: 500px;
 margin: auto;
 border-radius: 10px;
 box-shadow: 0 0 10px rgba(0,0,0,0.1);
}
label {
 display: block;
 margin: 10px 0 5px;
input, select, textarea {
 width: 100%;
 padding: 8px;
 margin-bottom: 15px;
 border-radius: 5px;
 border: 1px solid #ccc;
}
button {
 background-color: #28a745;
 color: white;
 padding: 10px;
 border: none;
 border-radius: 5px;
 width: 100%;
 font-size: 16px;
}
.radio-group,
.checkbox-group {
 display: flex;
 gap: 15px;
.radio-group input,
.checkbox-group input {
```

```
width: auto;
  }
  .hidden-input {
   display: none;
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <form id="registrationForm">
  <h2>Registration Form</h2>
  <!-- Text -->
  <label for="fullname">Full Name:</label>
  <input type="text" id="fullname" name="fullname" required>
  <!-- Email -->
  <label for="email">Email:</label>
  <input type="email" id="email" name="email" required>
  <!-- Password -->
  <label for="password">Password:</label>
  <input type="password" id="password" name="password" required>
  <!-- Tel -->
  <label for="phone">Phone Number:</label>
  <input type="tel" id="phone" name="phone" placeholder="+91 9876543210" pattern="[0-9+
]{10,15}">
  <!-- URL -->
  <label for="website">Website:</label>
  <input type="url" id="website" name="website">
  <!-- Date -->
  <label for="dob">Date of Birth:</label>
  <input type="date" id="dob" name="dob">
  <!-- Time -->
  <label for="preferredTime">Preferred Time:</label>
  <input type="time" id="preferredTime" name="preferredTime">
  <!-- Number -->
  <a href="experience">Years of Experience:</label>
```

```
<input type="number" id="experience" name="experience" min="0" max="50">
<!-- Range -->
<a href="satisfaction">Satisfaction Level:</a>
<input type="range" id="satisfaction" name="satisfaction" min="1" max="10">
<!-- Color -->
<label for="color">Favorite Color:</label>
<input type="color" id="color" name="color">
<!-- Gender - Radio -->
<label>Gender:</label>
<div class="radio-group">
   <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="Male" required> Male</label>
  <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="Female"> Female</label>
   <label><input type="radio" name="gender" value="Other"> Other</label>
</div>
<!-- Hobbies - Checkbox -->
<label>Hobbies:</label>
<div class="checkbox-group">
   <label><input type="checkbox" name="hobbies" value="Reading"> Reading/label>
   <label><input type="checkbox" name="hobbies" value="Music"> Music</label>
   <label><input type="checkbox" name="hobbies" value="Traveling"> Traveling/label>
</div>
<!-- Select -->
<label for="country">Country:</label>
<select id="country" name="country" required>
  <option value="">Select</option>
   <option value="India">India</option>
   <option value="USA">USA</option>
   <option value="UK">UK</option>
</select>
<!-- Textarea -->
<label for="about">About Yourself:</label>
<textarea id="about" name="about" rows="4"></textarea>
<!-- File -->
<a href="label"><a href="label">Label</a> | Since the result of the resu
<input type="file" id="profilePic" name="profilePic" accept="image/*">
<!-- Search -->
```

```
<label for="search">Search your favorite topic:</label>
  <input type="search" id="search" name="search">
  <!-- Hidden -->
  <input type="hidden" name="formId" value="reg123">
  <!-- Submit -->
  <button type="submit">Register/button>
 </form>
 <script>
  document.getElementById("registrationForm").addEventListener("submit", function(event) {
   event.preventDefault(); // Prevent actual form submission
   // Simple validation alert
   alert("Form submitted successfully!");
  });
 </script>
</body>
</html>
```

#### Key Concepts Covered

Input Type	Purpose		
text	Name or basic input		
email	Validates email format		
password	Hides password input		
tel	Accepts phone numbers		
url	Validates URL format		
date	Date selection		
time	Time selection		
number	Numeric input		
range	Slider for rating		

color Color picker

radio Select one from many

checkbox Select multiple options

file Upload documents/images

search Input with search type

hidden Hidden metadata for backend

If you're preparing for interviews, knowing how to build this form shows that:

- You understand various HTML5 input types.
- You can enhance UI with CSS.
- You can add client-side interactivity using JavaScript.

Let me know if you want a version using Bootstrap or React next!

# Implement form field validation with regex.

Certainly! Here's how I would answer "Implement form field validation with regex" in an HTML/CSS/JavaScript interview context, both in explanation and with code:

# Answer:

To implement form field validation using **regex**, we follow these steps:

- 1. Use an HTML form with appropriate input fields.
- 2. Use **regular expressions (regex)** in JavaScript to define validation rules.
- 3. Add event listeners to validate fields on form submission or on input change.
- 4. Display error messages if validation fails.

#### @ Example: Validate Name, Email, and Password

#### **Requirements:**

• Name: Only letters and spaces.

• Email: Must be a valid email format.

• Password: At least 8 characters, 1 uppercase, 1 lowercase, 1 number.

# **♦ Code Implementation:**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
 <meta charset="UTF-8" />
 <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0"/>
 <title>Form Validation with Regex</title>
 <style>
  body { font-family: Arial; padding: 20px; }
  input { display: block; margin-bottom: 10px; padding: 8px; width: 250px; }
  .error { color: red; font-size: 14px; }
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <form id="myForm">
  <label>
   Name:
   <input type="text" id="name" />
   <span class="error" id="nameError"></span>
  </label>
  <label>
   Email:
   <input type="email" id="email" />
   <span class="error" id="emailError"></span>
  </label>
  <label>
```

```
Password:
  <input type="password" id="password" />
  <span class="error" id="passwordError"></span>
 </label>
 <button type="submit">Submit
</form>
<script>
 document.getElementById("myForm").addEventListener("submit", function(e) {
  e.preventDefault(); // Prevent actual form submission
  // Get input values
  const name = document.getElementById("name").value.trim();
  const email = document.getElementById("email").value.trim();
  const password = document.getElementById("password").value;
  // Regex patterns
  const nameRegex = /^[A-Za-z\s]+$/;
  const emailRegex = /^[^\s@]+@[^\s@]+\.[^\s@]+$/;
  const passwordRegex = /^{?=.*[a-z]}(?=.*[A-Z])(?=.*d).{8,};
  // Validation flags
  let isValid = true;
  // Validate Name
  if (!nameRegex.test(name)) {
   document.getElementById("nameError").textContent = "Only letters and spaces allowed.";
   isValid = false;
  } else {
   document.getElementById("nameError").textContent = "";
  }
  // Validate Email
  if (!emailRegex.test(email)) {
   document.getElementById("emailError").textContent = "Enter a valid email.";
   isValid = false;
  } else {
   document.getElementById("emailError").textContent = "";
  }
  // Validate Password
  if (!passwordRegex.test(password)) {
   document.getElementById("passwordError").textContent =
```

```
"Password must be 8+ characters, include upper, lower, and a digit.";
isValid = false;
} else {
    document.getElementById("passwordError").textContent = "";
}

if (isValid) {
    alert("Form submitted successfully!");
}
});
</script>
</body>
</html>
```

#### Explanation in Interview Context:

I used JavaScript to add a submit event listener and defined **regex patterns** for each input field:

- Name: ^[A-Za-z\s]+\$ ensures only alphabets and spaces.
- Email: ^[^\s@]+@[^\s@]+\.[^\s@]+\$ is a common email format pattern.
- Password: ^(?=.\*[a-z])(?=.\*[A-Z])(?=.\*\d). {8,}\$ ensures strong password.

I show inline error messages if the inputs don't match the regex patterns, giving users immediate feedback.

Let me know if you'd like the same implementation using **React**, **jQuery**, or validation with **HTML5 pattern attributes**!

# Create a responsive form layout.

Certainly! Here's how you can **answer the interview question**:

# Answer (with explanation + code):

Yes, I can create a responsive form layout using **HTML**, **CSS**, and **a bit of JavaScript** for validation (if needed). A responsive form means it adjusts gracefully to different screen sizes (desktop, tablet, mobile).

Here's a simple and effective implementation:

#### HTML + CSS: Responsive Form

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
 <meta charset="UTF-8">
 <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1">
 <title>Responsive Form</title>
 <style>
  * {
   box-sizing: border-box;
  }
  body {
   font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
   padding: 20px;
   background-color: #f4f4f4;
  }
  .form-container {
   max-width: 600px;
   margin: auto;
   background: #fff;
   padding: 20px;
   border-radius: 10px;
   box-shadow: 0 2px 8px rgba(0,0,0,0.1);
  .form-group {
   display: flex;
   flex-direction: column;
   margin-bottom: 15px;
```

```
}
label {
 margin-bottom: 5px;
 font-weight: bold;
}
input, select, textarea {
 padding: 10px;
 border: 1px solid #ccc;
 border-radius: 6px;
 font-size: 16px;
}
button {
 background-color: #28a745;
 color: white;
 padding: 12px;
 border: none;
 border-radius: 6px;
 cursor: pointer;
 font-size: 16px;
}
button:hover {
 background-color: #218838;
@media (min-width: 600px) {
 .form-group {
  flex-direction: row;
  align-items: center;
 }
 .form-group label {
  width: 150px;
  margin-bottom: 0;
 .form-group input,
 .form-group select,
 .form-group textarea {
  flex: 1;
 }
```

```
}
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <div class="form-container">
  <h2>Contact Us</h2>
  <form id="contactForm">
   <div class="form-group">
    <label for="name">Name:</label>
    <input type="text" id="name" required>
   </div>
   <div class="form-group">
    <label for="email">Email:</label>
    <input type="email" id="email" required>
   </div>
   <div class="form-group">
    <label for="subject">Subject:</label>
    <select id="subject">
     <option>General
     <option>Support
     <option>Feedback</option>
    </select>
   </div>
   <div class="form-group">
    <label for="message">Message:</label>
    <textarea id="message" rows="4"></textarea>
   </div>
   <button type="submit">Submit
  </form>
 </div>
</body>
</html>
```

# Explanation:

- Responsive Design: Uses @media queries to make the form horizontal on wider screens and vertical on mobile.
- Clean UI: Good spacing, labels, and accessibility-friendly.
- **Customizable**: You can easily extend with validation or backend integration.

#### **Optional JavaScript for Simple Validation:**

```
document.getElementById("contactForm").addEventListener("submit", function(e) {
    e.preventDefault();
    alert("Form submitted successfully!");
});
```

# Summary in Interview:

"I created a form using HTML and styled it with responsive CSS using flexbox and media queries. It adjusts between vertical and horizontal layouts based on screen width. I also added user-friendly elements and left room for JavaScript validations if needed."

Would you like the same layout using **Bootstrap** or **Tailwind CSS** too?

# Build a restaurant menu using lists and tables.

Certainly! Here's how you might answer the interview question:

"Build a restaurant menu using lists and tables" – as someone experienced in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, and someone who regularly answers interviews.

#### Sample Interview Answer:

Thank you for the question.

To build a **restaurant menu**, we can structure the **layout using HTML lists** for categories and **HTML tables** for detailed items like name, description, and price.

I'll demonstrate a simple menu with **HTML for structure**, **CSS for styling**, and optionally **JavaScript** for interaction, such as filtering by category.

# **HTML** (Structure)

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
<meta charset="UTF-8" />
<meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0" />
<title>Restaurant Menu</title>
<link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css" />
</head>
<body>
<h1>| Welcome to Foodie's Delight</h1>
ul class="menu-categories">
 <button onclick="filterMenu('all')">All</button>
 <button onclick="filterMenu('starters')">Starters</button>
 <button onclick="filterMenu('main-course')">Main Course</button>
 <button onclick="filterMenu('desserts')">Desserts</button>
<thead>
  Dish
   Description
   Price
  </thead>
 Garlic Bread
   Crispy toasted bread with garlic and herbs
   $4.99
  Grilled Chicken
   Served with mashed potatoes and vegetables
   $12.99
```

# CSS (Styling) - style.css

```
body {
 font-family: 'Segoe UI', sans-serif;
 margin: 30px;
 background-color: #fff8f0;
 color: #333;
}
h1 {
 text-align: center;
 margin-bottom: 20px;
}
.menu-categories {
 list-style: none;
 text-align: center;
 padding: 0;
 margin-bottom: 20px;
}
.menu-categories li {
 display: inline;
 margin: 0 10px;
}
.menu-categories button {
```

```
padding: 8px 15px;
 background-color: #f57c00;
 color: white;
 border: none;
 border-radius: 5px;
 cursor: pointer;
}
.menu-categories button:hover {
 background-color: #e65100;
.menu-table {
 width: 100%;
 border-collapse: collapse;
}
.menu-table th,
.menu-table td {
 border: 1px solid #ddd;
 padding: 12px;
 text-align: left;
}
.menu-table th {
 background-color: #ffa726;
 color: white;
}
tr:nth-child(even) {
 background-color: #fdf1e3;
}
```

# 💡 JavaScript (Interaction) – script.js

```
function filterMenu(category) {
  const items = document.querySelectorAll('.menu-item');

items.forEach(item => {
  if (category === 'all') {
    item.style.display = ";
  } else {
    item.style.display = item.classList.contains(category) ? " : 'none';
}
```

```
}
});
}
```

#### Summary:

- Lists () are used for the category buttons.
- Tables () are used for menu layout.
- CSS adds styling for a professional look.
- JavaScript is used for optional interactivity like filtering.

This modular design can easily be extended with backend integration or frameworks.

Would you like me to convert this into a downloadable project or GitHub-ready format?

# Use fieldsets to create a multi-step form layout.

Certainly! In interviews, when you're asked to "Use fieldsets to create a multi-step form layout", the expectation is that you demonstrate how to structure a form using <fieldset> and <legend> tags and then use JavaScript to control the visibility of each step.

#### Answer:

To create a multi-step form layout using fieldset, we group form inputs into logical steps, and use JavaScript to navigate between them.

Here's a simple example:

```
HTML + CSS + JavaScript: Multi-Step Form Using <fieldset>
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
```

```
<head>
 <meta charset="UTF-8">
 <title>Multi-Step Form</title>
 <style>
  fieldset {
   display: none;
   border: 1px solid #ccc;
   padding: 20px;
   margin: 10px 0;
  }
  fieldset.active {
   display: block;
  .button-group {
   margin-top: 20px;
  }
 </style>
</head>
<body>
 <form id="multiStepForm">
  <!-- Step 1 -->
  <fieldset class="active">
   <legend>Step 1: Personal Information</legend>
   <label>First Name: <input type="text" name="firstName" required></label><br><br></ri>
   <label>Last Name: <input type="text" name="lastName" required></label><br><br>
   <div class="button-group">
     <button type="button" onclick="nextStep()">Next</button>
   </div>
  </fieldset>
  <!-- Step 2 -->
  <fieldset>
   <le>egend>Step 2: Contact Info</legend>
   <label>Email: <input type="email" name="email" required></label><br><br></label></ri>
   <label>Phone: <input type="tel" name="phone"></label><br>
   <div class="button-group">
     <button type="button" onclick="prevStep()">Previous</button>
     <button type="button" onclick="nextStep()">Next</button>
   </div>
  </fieldset>
```

```
<!-- Step 3 -->
  <fieldset>
   <legend>Step 3: Submit</legend>
   Review your information and submit.
   <div class="button-group">
     <button type="button" onclick="prevStep()">Previous</button>
     <button type="submit">Submit
   </div>
  </fieldset>
 </form>
 <script>
  const fieldsets = document.querySelectorAll("fieldset");
  let currentStep = 0;
  function showStep(index) {
   fieldsets.forEach((fs, i) => {
    fs.classList.toggle("active", i === index);
   });
  }
  function nextStep() {
   if (currentStep < fieldsets.length - 1) {
    currentStep++;
    showStep(currentStep);
   }
  }
  function prevStep() {
   if (currentStep > 0) {
    currentStep--;
    showStep(currentStep);
   }
  }
  // Optional: prevent default form submission
  document.getElementById("multiStepForm").addEventListener("submit", function(e) {
   e.preventDefault();
   alert("Form submitted!");
  });
 </script>
</body>
</html>
```

#### Key Points You Can Mention in the Interview:

- Used <fieldset> to group form elements into logical steps.
- <legend> provides a caption for each step.
- Controlled form flow using JavaScript by toggling the active class.
- display: none hides inactive steps; display: block shows the current step.
- This method is semantically correct and improves accessibility.

Let me know if you'd like to extend this with validation, animations, or dynamic data handling!

# Create a nested list and explain its structure.

Certainly! Here's a well-structured answer you can give in an interview if asked:

**Question:** Create a nested list and explain its structure.

#### Answer:

In HTML, a **nested list** is a list inside another list. This is commonly used to represent hierarchical data, such as menus or categories with subcategories.

There are two types of lists in HTML:

- Ordered List () numbered
- Unordered List () bulleted

We can nest either type within another, depending on the design or purpose.

# **Example:**

```
Fruits
Apple
 Banana
 Citrus
 Orange
  Lemon
 Vegetables
Carrot
 Spinach
```

# Explanation of Structure:

- The **outermost**  is the main unordered list.
- Each (list item) can contain:
  - Text (like "Fruits", "Vegetables")
  - o Another list inside it this is what makes it **nested**.
- For example:
  - "Fruits" is a list item that contains another 
     with items like "Apple",
     "Banana", and another nested list under "Citrus".
  - o "Citrus" itself contains a third level of nesting.

#### ✓ Visual Representation:

- Fruits
  - Apple
  - Banana
  - Citrus
    - Orange
    - Lemon
- Vegetables
  - Carrot
  - Spinach

#### When is this used?

- Multi-level navigation menus
- Category-subcategory layouts
- Directory trees
- Table of contents with sections and subsections

# Monus (CSS/JS Tip):

You can style nested lists differently using CSS:

```
ul li ul {
  margin-left: 20px;
  color: green;
}
```

- •
- And in JavaScript, you can loop through list items and even add interactivity like expand/collapse menus.

Let me know if you want a version that uses or if you want to see styling/JS interaction examples too!