Supporting document for EL session on 25.10.2023

Audios and videos can be embedded in a website. HTML5 has introduced new elements which enable the integration of audio and video files directly in a website. This document links some online resources for integrating the audio and video files in a website.

Integrating audios on the web

<audio> element is used to embed an audio in HTML5. The audio element and its attributes are available at:

- https://www.w3schools.com/html/html5 audio.asp
- https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Element/audio

Free audio files can be download from a repository. URL: https://pixabay.com/music/

Examples of integrating an audio using the audio element is available at

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9F49XgzlZgA&ab channel=GeekTutorials
- https://youtu.be/d5cHhlv35Hl?list=PLlduAAvjTBINxxzyKDdJTi5xQeY2fSL25

Additional information

HTML supports different audio file formats (MP3, WAV, and OGG). Details of the types of files can be found in the following:

- https://www.canto.com/blog/audio-file-types/
- https://www.makeuseof.com/tag/audio-file-format-right-needs/

Depending on the requirements, one can select an appropriate video file type. Details on selecting an appropriate audio file is available at:

- https://podcastle.ai/blog/which-audio-file-to-choose/
- https://www.descript.com/blog/article/how-to-choose-the-best-audio-file-format-for-your-project

Integrating videos on the web

<video> element is used to embed a video in HTML5. The video element and its attributes are available at:

- https://www.w3schools.com/html/html5_video.asp
- https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Element/video

Free video can be downloaded from a repository. URL: https://www.pexels.com/videos/

An example of integrating a video using the video element is available at

Integrating audio and video in HTML

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x4r7af2Lcmw&ab channel=GeekTutorials

Additional information

HTML supports different video file formats (MP4, WebM, and Ogg). Details on the video file types and their selection are available at:

- https://www.computer.org/publications/tech-news/trends/8-best-video-file-formats-for-2020
- https://www.canto.com/blog/video-file-types/
- https://www.adobe.com/au/creativecloud/video/discover/best-video-format.html
- https://blog.filestack.com/thoughts-and-knowledge/complete-list-audio-video-file-formats/

Note: Exercises related to integrating audio and video files in the web will be online on **26.10.2023**.