



HTML & CSS: FUNDAMENTALS OF DEVELOPMENT

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WHY TABLES?

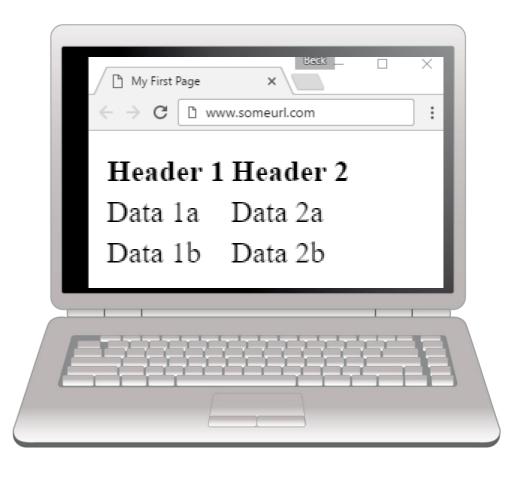
Use tables to present data in a tabular format.

- Listings of people, addresses, etc
- Financial data
- Sports stats
- Product features

Month	Sales
January	\$ 50,000.00
February	\$ 10,000.00
March	\$ 85,000.00
April	\$ 56,000.00
May	\$ 98,000.00

BASIC TABLE

```
<thead>
    Header 1
      Header 2
    </thead>
  Data 1a
      Data 2a
    Data 1b
      Data 2b
```



```
 wraps the whole table
```

- <thead> wraps the table header
- wraps the main data
- wraps a table row
- wraps a table header cell
- wraps a regular table data cell

starts a table

• This doesn't generate anything visible in the browser if it's empty – it's just a container

Only <thead>, , or should go directly inside a table

creates a row in a table

- Every row is a new line
- Header rows and body rows both use
- Make sure the same number of **cells** appear in every row (or things will look broken)

creates a heading table cell.

- Put inside a row (

 inside a <thead>
 element
- Displays as bold by default
- Screen readers will read the heading of a column when reading the corresponding item in a row

creates a table cell.

- Put inside a row (

 inside the
 element
- Table cells can hold any kind of content (images, links, lists, etc)
- Table cells always expand to fit their content, both horizontally and vertically
- Browsers will choose a table cell width that best fits the content (but you can change this in CSS)



PRACTICE TIME!

MAKE A TABLE

Create a new page and add a table with at least four rows and two columns.

What happens if you put different number of cells in one row?



Forms are used to collect information from a user.

- Like , the <form> element doesn't visually appear on the page it's just a wrapper for form content
- The **<form>** element has two attributes:
 - action what page to load when the form is submitted
 - method what type of HTTP method the form is using (POST or GET)

Customer Support

*First Name	*Last Name
*How may we help you?	
*Email	Phone

Fields marked with * are required

<form>

</form>

Customer Support

```
*First Name
<input type="text" name="fName" />
                                              *Last Name
<input type="text" name="lName" />
   *How may we help you?
<textarea></textarea>
                                              Phone <input type="text" name="phone" />
<input type="email" name="email" />
Fields marked with * are required
                                                                             Submit >
                                           <button type="submit">Submit</button>
```

INPUT

The input element allows users to enter data in various ways.

- Looks different depending on its type
- Displays inline by default

```
<input type="text" />
<input type="radio" />
```

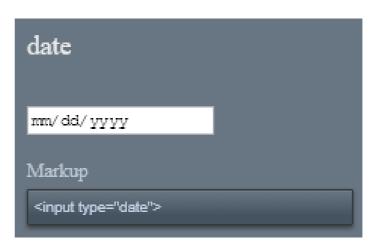
```
<input type="checkbox" />
```

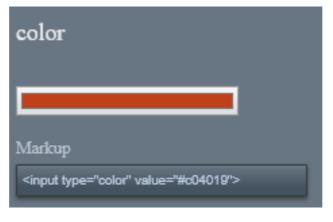
INPUT TYPES

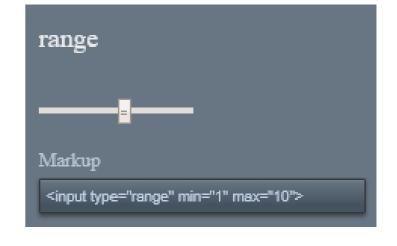
Some input types change the keyboard that displays when you fill out that part of the form

This only works for some browsers and some devices

- Email
- Telephone
- Number
- Date
- Color
- Range







EMAIL INPUT

Some input types look like a normal textbox, but change what keyboard displays when you fill out that part of the

form

```
<input type="email"
    name="emailAddress" />
```





PHONE INPUT

<input type="tel" name="phone" />





INPUT NAMES

The input element has a required attribute called name

- Identifies what data is entered for that field
- Not visible to the user in the form itself, but *may* appear in the URL after the form is submitted
- You pick what it's called so be descriptive!

```
<input type="text" name="firstName" />
```

INPUT NAMES

When the form is submitted, the browser sends the name of the input is associated with the text that the user enters in the textbox when the form is submitted

```
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cinput type="text" name="firstName" />
```

INPUT

A placeholder attribute in a text input creates a "watermarked" label that is inside the box.

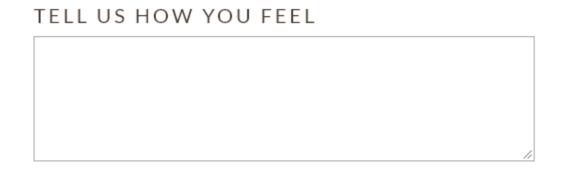
- Often used to show formatting suggestions
- By default, the browser displays as a light grey
- But, like anything else, it can be styled with CSS using the :placeholder pseudo-class

```
<input type="text" name="phoneNumber"
    placeholder="(999) 999-9999" />
```

(999) 999-9999

TEXTAREA

A textarea element creates a multi-line text box



<textarea rows="3" cols="20"></textarea>

• The size of a textarea can be specified by rows and cols, or (even better) set the size using CSS

LABELS

A label describes what should go inside the input on a form.

```
<label for="address">Address:</label>
<input type="text" name="address" />
```

You tell the label what it's **for** by giving it the **name** of the input field it's related to.

• By default a label appears on the same line as an input

Address:	

DROPDOWNS

A select element creates a dropdown box.

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DROPDOWNS

Each option in a dropdown is a child of a select element.

 To choose an option when the page loads, apply the attribute selected="selected"

BUTTONS

Finally, a button is how the form is submitted

```
<button type="submit">Click me!</button>
```

Click me!

- When a button has type="submit", hitting enter will automatically submit the form
- When a button has type="reset", the form is cleared when you click it



PRACTICE TIME!

MAKE A FORM

Create a new page that contains a form.

- Include at least 2 different types of input, at least one label, and a submit button.
- Style your form.
- What happens when you click the submit button?