

Midterm ch.3-5

Some basic concepts may ignored.

3. HTML(Hypertext Markup Language)

- Browsers Are Tolerant

They ignore markup they don't understand, eg. Internet Explorer/Firefox

- HTML Elements

Some elements do not require end tags, eg. `<p>` paragraph tag

Some elements do not require content, eg. `<hr>` horizontal rule tag

- Attributes

Names are **case insensitive**, but not necessarily attribute values

Some elements are deprecated, eg. [background.. in element](#)

- Comments, `<!--`, `-->`

- Composing HTML

- Lists

- unordered ``, ``
- ordered ``, ``, `start=4`, `type=A/I/...`
- definition `<dl></dl>`, `<dt>`, `<dd>`
- `<menu>`

- Table

- `<caption></caption>` to label a table, `<th></th>` header, boldface, `<td></td>` data, `<tr>` row
- `rowspan=4` with 4 rows, `colspan=2`
- `align right` ..., but these are deprecated in HTML5

- Character Set

Universal Character Set (UCS), eg. ISO-8859-1, ISO-8859-5, SHIFT_JIS, EUC-JP

- Character references

- Numeric character references (either decimal or hexadecimal)

`å` : å; `<` : <, left angle bracket; `>` : >, right angle bracket; `&` : &, ampersand sign; `"` : ", double quote

- Character entity references.

`<` : < sign; `>` : > sign; `&` : & sign; `"` : " mark

- Anchors Away

```
<a href=".../mailto:/ftp:/new:/"></a>
```

- Names

Uniqueness, String matching (case-sensitive)

The id and name attributes share the same name space. They cannot both define an anchor with the same name in the same document. [name HTML5中已经废弃](#)

- Titles `title=""`
- Universal Resource Identifier(URI)
 - `absolute-URI = scheme ":" hier-part ["?" query]`
 1. The scheme of the mechanism used to access the resource.
 2. The name of the machine hosting the resource.
 3. The name of the resource itself, given as a path
- Fragment identifiers are URIs that refer to a location

within a resource. `#`

- `<LINK>`
 - only appear in the HEAD
 - To provide information to search engines. eg. Links to style sheets and “media queries” used in Responsive Web Design
- Digital cameras & Smartphones, typical: 1280x720, 1920x1080
- Image Formats
 1. x-pixmap(obsolete)
 2. Graphic Interchange Format (GIF, obsolete)
 3. Joint Photographic Experts Group (JPEG). Includes image compression
 4. Portable Network Graphics (PNG). An open, extensible image format with Lossless Compression
- ``
 - `alt="Alt to replace an image with text, if the image is unavailable or a text browser is used"`
 - Active Images: `<a ...>`
 - Image Maps
 1. active images with multiple clickable regions, [eg](#)

```
1 
2 <map name="mapname">
3   <area shape="rect" coords="9,372,66,397"
   href="http://en.wikipedia.org/" alt="Wikipedia" title="Wikipedia"
   >
4 </map>
```

2. SHAPE: default(Specifies the entire region), rect, circle, poly
- `<META>`
 - Allows you to insert Name/Value pairs describing document properties.

- eg. `name="" content=""`, `<META HTTP-EQUIV="REFRESH" CONTENT="5; URL=http://www.usc.edu/dept/cs/">`
- Robot Exclusion, `<meta name="robots" content="noindex,nofollow">`
 - [NO]INDEX. The INDEX directive specifies if an indexing robot should index the page.
 - [NO]FOLLOW The FOLLOW directive specifies if a robot is to follow links on the page.
 - The defaults are INDEX and FOLLOW. The values ALL and NONE set all directives on or off: ALL=INDEX,FOLLOW and NONE=NOINDEX,NOFOLLOW.
 - Note the "robots" name of the tag and the content are case insensitive.
- Validating Your HTML
 - Reason: Browsers display & treat HTML differently
 - Validators, [eg](#):
 1. Flag syntax errors with respect to HTML DTD
 2. Compare your pages to HTML 4.x, XHTML, and even HTML 5 (experimental)
- `<EMBED>`
- `<APPLET>` allows designers to embed a Java applet in an HTML document.(deprecated)

eg. `<embed type="video/quicktime" src="movie.mov" width="640" height="480">`
- HTML Tidy: [W3C Markup Validator Service](#)

4. HTML: Style Sheets

- `<STYLE type="text/css"></STYLE>`, or `<LINK href="special.css" rel="stylesheet" type="text/css">`, or Inline Style Attribute
- Color: #f00, #ff0000, rgb(255,0,0), rgb(100%,0%,0%), pre-defined name
- Selectors: `.`, `#` used once (case sensitive); at specific tags
- Inheriting STYLE Properties
 - `and` tags have no initial presentation properties
 - exception, line break before and after a tag
 - applies to **inline** elements (example:)
 - **applies to block elements (example:**
)
 - **With CSS, properties such as text-align are inherited from the parent element**
- Precedence of Style Settings
 - `style attribute` > `<style>` > `file.css`
 - `tag.class` > `.class` > `tag`
- `!DOCTYPE`

Instructs modern browsers to work in 'standards compliant mode', or browsers work in 'Quirks' mode

- Internet Explorer will display fonts larger than standards mode. e.g. fonts rendered in 12pt (medium) rather than 10pt
 - IE Uses the 'broken box model'. eg. Measures the dimensions of a box using the inner size, not the outer size as in standard mode
 - Loose compliance (minimum requirement): `<!DOCTYPE HTML PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01 Transitional//EN" "http://www.w3.org/TR/html4/loose.dtd">`
 - Strict compliance: `<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Strict//EN" "http://www.w3.org/TR/html4/strict.dtd">`
 - XHTML Transitional compliance (less strict): `<!DOCTYPE html PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD XHTML 1.0 Transitional//EN" "http://www.w3.org/TR/xhtml1/DTD/xhtml1-transitional.dtd">`
 - HTML5: `<!DOCTYPE html>`
- Media Types,
create documents for different media types
eg.

```
1 <STYLE type=text/css media=projection>
2 H1 {color:blue}
3 </STYLE>
4
5 CSS3
6 <!--Target specific physical characteristics of device.-->
7 <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" media="screen
8 and (max-device-width: 480px)" href="min.css" />
9
10 <!--two equivalent pair of media queries-->
11 <style>
12 ...
13 @media all and (min-width:500px) { ... }
14 @media (min-width:500px) { ... }
15 </style>
```

- Pseudo Elements and classes
 - pseudo-classes
 1. :link - a normal, un-visited link
 2. :visited - a link the user has visited
 3. :hover - a link when the user mouses over it
 4. :active - a link the moment it is clicked
 - pseudo classes
:first-child; :hover; :active, selects the active link; :focus, selects the input element which has the focus; :lang, selects every

element with a lang attribute

- pseudo elements

:first-line; :first-letter; :before; :after, to insert some content after the content of an element

- Box Model: Margin(transparent) - Border - Padding - Content

eg. Collapsed margin-top is $\max(30\text{px}, 12\text{px}) = 12\text{px}$;

```
1 <HTML><TITLE>Examples of margins, padding, and borders</TITLE>
2 <STYLE type="text/css">
3 UL { background: green;
4 margin: 12px 12px 12px 12px;
5 padding: 30px 3px 3px 3px; /* No borders set */ }
6 LI { color: black; /* text color is black */
7 background: gray; /* Content, padding will be gray */
8 margin: 12px 12px 12px 12px;
9 padding: 12px 0px 12px 12px; /* Note 0px padding right */
10 list-style: none /* no glyphs before a list item */
11 /* No borders set */ }
12 LI.withborder { border-style: dashed;
13 border-width: medium; /* sets border width on all sides */
14 border-color: black; } </STYLE> </HEAD>
15 <BODY> <UL> <LI>First element of listFirst element of listFirst
16 element of listFirst element of a a a a list
17 <LI class="withborder">Second element of list is longer to
18 illustrate wrapping.First element of a a a a a listFirst element of
19 listFirst element of list
20 </UL>
</BODY>
</HTML>
```

- CSS Vendor Prefixes

1. Android/Chrome/iOS/Safari: -webkit-
2. Firefox: -moz-
3. Internet Explorer: -ms-
4. Opera: -o-

eg.

```
1 /*before HTML 5, to set a rounded corner on a box one would have to
2 write*/
3 -moz-border-radius: 10px 5px
4 -webkit-border-top-left-radius: 10px;
5 -webkit-border-top-right-radius: 5px;
6 -webkit-border-bottom-right-radius: 10px;
7 -webkit-border-bottom-left-radius: 5px;
8 border-radius: 10px 5px;
```

- **Reset CSS:** a short, often compressed (minified) set of CSS rules that resets the styling of all HTML elements to a consistent baseline.
- **CSS3 New Features**
 - “modern browsers”: IE9+, Edge, Opera 10+, Firefox 3.5+, Chrome, Safari 3+
 - eg. box-sizing, border-radius, box-shadow, RGBA Colors, HSLA Colors, Multiple Backgrounds, background-clip, background-origin, background-size, Transforms, Media Queries. [Above supported]
 - eg. `border-image: url(border.png) 30 30 round/stretch;`, round: tiled (repeated) to fill the area; stretch: stretched to fill the area. [IE not support]
 - eg. Multi-Column Layout. `column-count: 3; column-gap: 40px; column-rule: 4px outset #ff00ff;` [IE 9 and earlier not support]

JavaScript Basics

- **What**
 - a "simple", interpreted, programming language with elementary objectoriented capabilities
 - **Basics**
 1. case-sensitive
 2. ignores spaces, tabs, newlines -> minified
 3. Semicolon is optional
 4. C and C++ style comments are supported
 - 1. client-side JavaScript runs on Web browsers
 - Limitations:**
 1. [Was] Extremely difficult to explicitly draw graphics.
 2. No access to the underlying file system or operating system
 3. Unable to open and use arbitrary network connections
 4. No support for multithreading
 5. [Was] Not suitable for computationally intensive applications
 - 2. server-side JavaScript runs on Web servers
 - **designed for manipulating web pages**
 1. Control Web page appearance and content (this is its intended use)
 2. Control the Web browser, open windows, test for browser properties
 3. Interact with document content
 4. Retrieve and manipulate all hyperlinks
 5. Interact with the user, sensing mouse clicks, mouse moves, keyboard actions
 6. Read/write client state with cookies
- **Embedded**

```

1  <BODY>
2  </BODY><SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript">
3  //the Javascript here produces content for the BODY on
4  loading
5  </SCRIPT>
6  </BODY>
7
8  <HEAD>
9  <SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript">
10 //the Javascript here creates functions for later use
11 </SCRIPT>
12 </HEAD>

```

- **Events**

- Mouse Events: onclick, ondblclick(user double-clicks an element), onmouseover, onmouseout
- Keyboard Events: onkeydown, onkeyup
- Object Events: onload(browser has finished loading the page), onunload, onresize(a document view is resized), onscroll(a document view is scrolled)

- **Literals**

- numbers
 - treated as floating point
 - Octal (begin with a zero), 01234
 - Hexadecimal (begin with zero and x), 0xFF
- boolean: true, false, (also null and undefined)
- string(within single or double quotes)
 - immutable, cannot modify after instantiation
 - call methods, it will not change the initial string, but return the modified string
 - eg. string.substring(indexA, indexB) -> [A,B]

- **Escape Notation**

\b backspace, \f form feed, \' single quote, \n newline, \r carriage return, \t tab, \' single quote, \" double quote, \\ backslash

- **Reserved Words**

1. JavaScript identifiers start with a letter, \$, or underscore followed by zero or more letters or digits;
2. JavaScript reserved words: abstract, arguments, boolean, break...
3. avoid using the name of JavaScript built-in objects, properties, and methods: Array, Date, eval, function, hasOwnProperty, NaN("Not-a-Number" value)...

- **Variables**

1. declaration, initialization, [without type]
2. The type of value a variable can hold during execution may change.

3. Scope: local/global

In a multi-frame or multi-window set up of the browser, scripts can access global variables from any other document currently loaded

- Data Types: String, Number, Boolean, Null, Object, Function

- Array literal

1. a list of zero or more expressions, []
2. elements can have different types
3. length = largest integer property name in the array + 1
4. NOT provide a way to declare the size (dimension) of an array

```
1 Array.dim = function (dimension, initial) {  
2     var a = [], i;  
3     for (i = 0; i < dimension; i += 1) {  
4         a[i] = initial; }  
5     return a;  
6 };  
7  
8 var myArray = Array.dim(10,0); //makes an array of ten zeros
```

5. Iterate

```
1 for (i=0; i < len; i++) { . . . }  
2 for (x in person) { . . . }  
3 while (condition) { . . . }
```

6. Arrays and Objects are Semantically Identical, `typeof(array) =`

`typeof(object) = object`

7. NOT support associative arrays

```
1 var person = new Array();  
2 person["firstname"] = "John";  
3 person["age"] = 41;  
4 //person["firstName"] returns "John"  
5 //person[0] returns undefined  
6 //person.length returns 0
```

8. JavaScript properties that begin with a digit cannot be referenced with dot notation; and must be accessed using bracket notation.

```
1 console.log(arr.0); // a syntax error, because the property name  
   is not valid:
```

- Objects

1. a list of zero or more pairs of property names and associated values of an object, {}.

can be nested within objects

```
1 var myHonda = {color: "red",
2   wheels: 4,
3   engine:{cylinders: 4,
4     size: 2.2}
5 };
```

2. the "dot" operator is used to access the value of an object's property or to assign it a value

```
1 lname = person.lastName // returns "Doe"
```

3. Constructors, `new`

```
1 function cat(name, meow) {
2   this.name = name;
3   this.talk = function() {
4     alert(this.name + " say " + meow)
5   }
6 }
7 cat1 = new cat("felix", "purr");
8 cat1.talk();
9 cat2 = new cat("ginger", "hisss");
10 cat2.talk();
```

4. Predefined JS Objects

- Array Object
- Boolean Object

```
var booleanObject = new Boolean(value);
```

not (undefined, null, 0, Nan or the empty string, including a Boolean object whose value is false), evaluates to true

- Date Object, `var Xmas95 = new Date("December 25, 1995");`,
`Xmas95.getMonth()` returns 12

- Function object, `Var functionName = new Function([arg1, ..., argn], functionbody);`

- Math object: includes properties and methods for mathematical constants, e.g. `sin()`, `cos()`, `ceil()`, `floor()`
- RegExp object
- String object

- Popup Boxes: `alert()`, `confirm()`, `prompt()`

- **Common Mistakes**

1. **Undefined may not be null**

```
1 null == 0; // false
2 undefined == ""; // false
3 null == false; // false
4 undefined == false; // false
5
6 null == undefined; // true
7 null !== undefined; // true
8 null === undefined; // false
```

2. **cannot overload a function**

JavaScript will simply use the latest-defined version of the function and call it;

If a parameter is omitted it is undefined

3. **Undeclared variables are global**

If a variable is NOT declared using var, then it is global.

Two variables of the same name, both undeclared will create conflicts that are hard to debug

- **ECMAScript**

- ECMA(European Computer Manufacturers Association)
- Current language specification is ECMA-262, 8th Edition(June 2017)