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# **HTML (Hyper Text Markup Language)**

Introduction Part I

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# What is HTML?

- HTML is a **markup** language for **describing** web documents (web pages).
  - HTML stands for **H**yper **T**ext **M**arkup **L**anguage
  - A markup language is a set of **markup tags**
  - HTML documents are described by **HTML tags**
  - Each HTML tag **describes** different document content



# HTML Example

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<title>Page Title</title>
</head>
<body>

<h1>My First Heading</h1>
<p>My first paragraph.</p>

</body>
</html>
```

# Example Explained

- The **DOCTYPE** declaration defines the document type to be HTML
- The text between **<html>** and **</html>** describes an HTML document
- The text between **<head>** and **</head>** provides information about the document
- The text between **<title>** and **</title>** provides a title for the document
- The text between **<body>** and **</body>** describes the visible page content
- The text between **<h1>** and **</h1>** describes a heading
- The text between **<p>** and **</p>** describes a paragraph

# HTML Tags

- HTML tags are **keywords** (tag names) surrounded by **angle brackets**:

`<tagname>content</tagname>`

- HTML tags normally come **in pairs** like `<p>` and `</p>`
- The first tag in a pair is the **start tag**, the second tag is the **end tag**
- The end tag is written like the start tag, but with a **slash** before the tag name
- The start tag is often called the **opening tag**. The end tag is often called the **closing tag**.

# Web Browser

- The purpose of a web browser (Chrome, IE, Firefox, Safari) is to read HTML documents and display them.
- The browser does not display the HTML tags, but uses them to determine how to display the document:



# HTML Page Structure

<html>

<head>

<title>Page title</title>

</head>

<body>

<h1>This is a heading</h1>

<p>This is a paragraph.</p>

<p>This is another paragraph.</p>

</body>

</html>



# The <!DOCTYPE> Declaration

- The <!DOCTYPE> declaration helps the browser to display a web page correctly.
- There are different document types on the web.
- To display a document correctly, the browser must know both type and version.
- The doctype declaration is not case sensitive. All cases are acceptable:

<!DOCTYPE html>

<!DOCTYPE HTML>

<!doctype html>

<!Doctype Html>



# HTML Documents

- All HTML documents must start with a type declaration: **<!DOCTYPE html>**.
- The HTML document itself begins with **<html>** and ends with **</html>**.
- The visible part of the HTML document is between **<body>** and **</body>**.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h1>My First Heading</h1>

<p>My first paragraph.</p>

</body>
</html>
```

# HTML Headings

- HTML headings are defined with the **<h1>** to **<h6>** tags:

```
<h1>This is a heading</h1>
```

```
<h2>This is a heading</h2>
```

```
<h3>This is a heading</h3>
```

**Heading Level 1**

**Heading Level 2**

**Heading Level 3**

**Heading Level 4**

**Heading Level 5**

**Heading Level 6**

# HTML Headings

- Headings are defined with the <h1> to <h6> tags.
- <h1> defines the most important heading. <h6> defines the least important heading.
- Search engines use your headings to index the structure and content of your web pages.
- Users skim your pages by its headings. It is important to use headings to show the document structure.
- h1 headings should be main headings, followed by h2 headings, then the less important h3, and so on.

# HTML Paragraphs

- HTML paragraphs are defined with the **<p>** tag:

```
<p>This is a paragraph.</p>  
<p>This is another paragraph.</p>
```

- Groups sentences and sections of text together.
- Block Display – Configures empty space above and below

# HTML Paragraphs

- The HTML `<p>` element defines a **paragraph**.
- The browser will remove extra spaces and extra lines when the page is displayed.
- Any number of spaces, and any number of new lines, count as **only one space**.

```
<p>
```

```
This paragraph  
contains a lot of lines  
in the source code,  
but the browser  
ignores it.
```

```
</p>
```

```
<p>
```

```
This paragraph  
contains      a lot of spaces  
in the source      code,  
but the      browser  
ignores it.
```

```
</p>
```

# HTML Line Breaks

- The HTML **<br>** element defines a **line break**.
- Use **<br>** if you want a line break (a new line) without starting a new paragraph:

```
<p>This is<br>a para<br>graph with line breaks</p>
```



# The Poem Problem

- This poem will display as one line:

<p>

My Bonnie lies over the ocean.

My Bonnie lies over the sea.

My Bonnie lies over the ocean.

Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.

</p>



# The HTML `<pre>` Element

- The HTML `<pre>` element defines preformatted text.
- The text inside a `<pre>` element is displayed in a fixed-width font (usually Courier), and it preserves both spaces and line breaks:

```
<pre>
  My Bonnie lies over the ocean.

  My Bonnie lies over the sea.

  My Bonnie lies over the ocean.

  Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.
</pre>
```



# Line Break Element

- Line Break element

- Stand-alone, or void tag

*...text goes here <br>  
This starts on a new line....*

- Causes the next element or text to display on a new line

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# HTML Horizontal Rules

- The **<hr>** tag creates a horizontal line in an HTML page.
- The hr element can be used to separate content:

```
<p>This is a paragraph.</p>  
<hr>  
<p>This is a paragraph.</p>  
<hr>  
<p>This is a paragraph.</p>
```



## Blockquote Element

- Blockquote element

- Indents a block of text for special emphasis

**<blockquote>**

*...text goes here...*

**</blockquote>**

- Block Display – Configures empty space above and below

# HTML Elements

- HTML elements are written with a **start** tag, with an **end** tag, with the **content** in between:

`<tagname>content</tagname>`

- The HTML **element** is everything from the start tag to the end tag:

`<p>My first HTML paragraph.</p>`



# Nested HTML Elements

- HTML elements can be nested (elements can contain elements).
- All HTML documents consist of nested HTML elements.
- This example contains 4 HTML elements:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <body>

    <h1>My First Heading</h1>

    <p>My first paragraph.</p>

  </body>
</html>
```

# Phrase Elements

- Indicate the context and meaning of the text

Element	Example	Usage
<b>&lt;b&gt;</b>	bold text	Text that has no extra importance but is styled in bold font by usage and convention
<b>&lt;em&gt;</b>	emphasized text	Causes text to be emphasized in relation to other text; usually displayed in italics
<b>&lt;i&gt;</b>	italicized text	Text that has no extra importance but is styled in italics by usage and convention
<b>&lt;mark&gt;</b>	mark text	Text that is highlighted in order to be easily referenced (HTML5 only)
<b>&lt;small&gt;</b>	small text	Legal disclaimers and notices (“fine print”) displayed in small font-size
<b>&lt;strong&gt;</b>	strong text	Strong importance; causes text to stand out from surrounding text; usually displayed in bold
<b>&lt;sub&gt;</b>	<sub>sub</sub> text	Displays a subscript as small text below the baseline
<b>&lt;sup&gt;</b>	<sup>sup</sup> text	Displays a superscript as small text above the baseline

# Proper Nesting

CODE:

```
<p><i>Call for a free quote for your web development needs:  
<strong>888.555.5555 </strong></i></p>
```

BROWSER DISPLAY:

*Call for a free quote for your web development needs: **888.555.5555***

# Exercises

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>
```

```
<p>London is the capital city of England. It is
the most populous city in the United Kingdom,
with a metropolitan area of over 13 million
inhabitants.</p>
</body>
</html>
```

- 1- Add Heading before the paragraph
- 2- Add horizontal rule between heading and paragraph.
- 3- Add six headings to the document with the text "Hello".

#### 4- Mark up the following text with appropriate tags:

"Universal Studios Presents" is the most important content.

"Jurassic Park" is the next most important content.

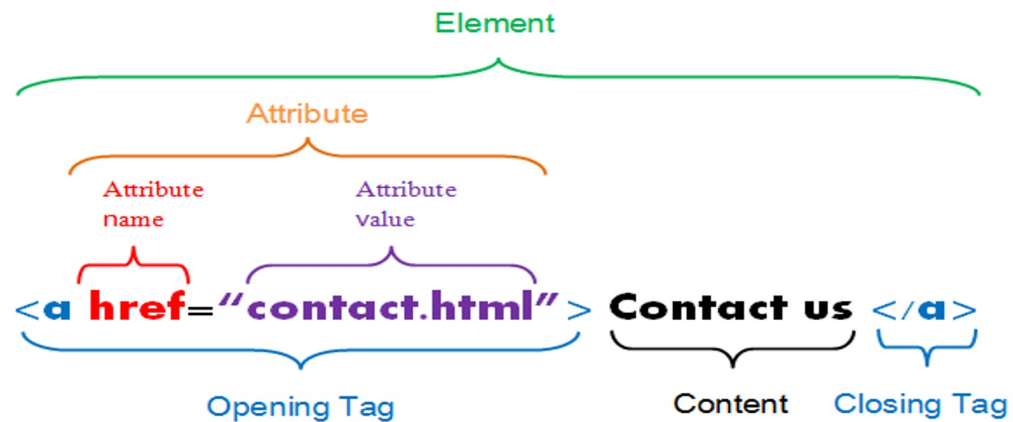
"About" is of lesser importance than Jurassic Park.

The last sentence is just a paragraph.



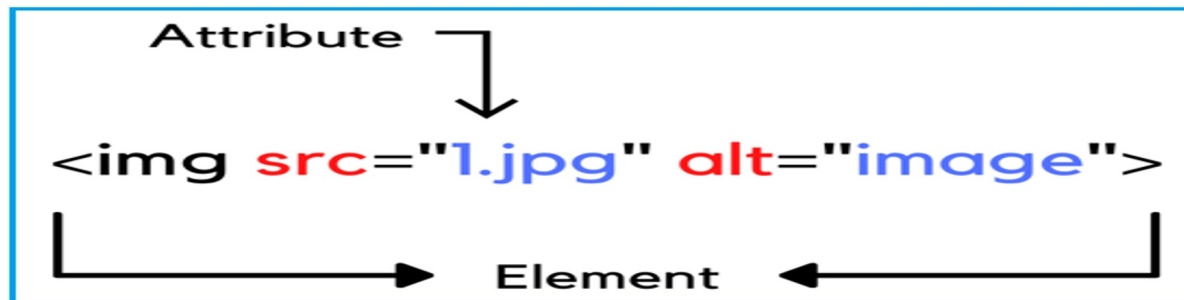
# HTML Links

- HTML links are defined with the **<a>** tag:



# HTML Images

- HTML images are defined with the **<img>** tag.
- The source file (**src**), alternative text (**alt**), and size (**width** and **height**) are provided as **attributes**:



# Exercise

Lets do this!

**We're looking for an HTML and CSS developer**



For our client, The Cat Factory, **we need a skilled web developer in HTML and CSS**. We offer a competitive salary, a bag of cat food, and toys.

Don't wait, apply now! Our crazy team is waiting for you right meow!

# Validate your code!

<http://validator.w3.org>



## Markup Validation Service

Check the markup (HTML, XHTML, ...) of Web documents

Validate by URI

Validate by File Upload

Validate by Direct Input

### Validate by URI

Validate a document online:

Address:

► [More Options](#)

Check

This validator checks the [markup validity](#) of Web documents in HTML, XHTML, SMIL, MathML, etc. If you wish to validate [CSS stylesheets](#), [MobileOK content](#), or to [find broken links](#), there are [other validators and tools](#) available. As an alternate [validator](#).

# HTML Lists

- Unordered List
- Ordered List
- Description List  
*formerly called a definition list*

# HTML List Tags

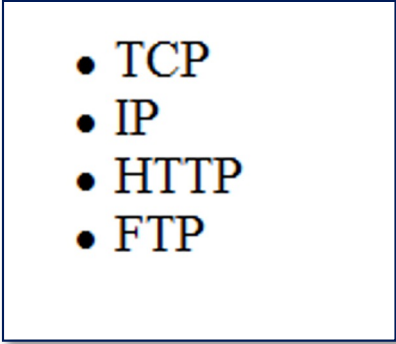
Tag	Description
<u>&lt;ul&gt;</u>	Defines an unordered list
<u>&lt;ol&gt;</u>	Defines an ordered list
<u>&lt;li&gt;</u>	Defines a list item
<u>&lt;dl&gt;</u>	Defines a description list
<u>&lt;dt&gt;</u>	Defines a term in a description list
<u>&lt;dd&gt;</u>	Describes the term in a description list

# Unordered List

- Displays a bullet, or list marker, before each entry in the list.

- `<ul>`  
Contains the unordered list

- `<li>`  
Contains an item in the list

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- TCP
  - IP
  - HTTP
  - FTP

# Unordered List Example

**<ul>**

**<li>TCP</li>**

**<li>IP</li>**

**<li>HTTP</li>**

**<li>FTP</li>**

**</ul>**

- TCP
- IP
- HTTP
- FTP



# Ordered List

- Displays a numbering or lettering system to itemize the information contained in the list
- `<ol>`  
Contains the ordered list
  - `type` attribute determines numbering scheme of list, default is numerals
- `<li>`  
Contains an item in the list

# Ordered List Example

`<ol>`

`<li>Apply to school</li>`

`<li>Register for course</li>`

`<li>Pay tuition</li>`

`<li>Attend course</li>`

`</ol>`

1. Apply to school
2. Register for course
3. Pay tuition
4. Attend course

# Description List

Useful to display a list of terms and descriptions or a list of FAQ and answers

- `<dl>`  
Contains the description list
- `<dt>`  
Contains a term/phrase/sentence  
Configures empty space above and below the text
- `<dd>`  
Contains a description of the term/phrase/sentence
  - Indents the text
  - Configures empty space above and below the text

# Description List Example

**<dl>**

**<dt>IP</dt>**

**<dd>Internet Protocol</dd>**

**<dt>TCP</dt>**

**<dd>Transmission Control Protocol</dd>**

**</dl>**

IP

Internet Protocol

TCP

Transmission Control Protocol

# Ordered HTML List - The Type Attribute

The type attribute of the <ol> tag, defines the type of the list item marker:

Type	Description
type="1"	The list items will be numbered with numbers (default)
type="A"	The list items will be numbered with uppercase letters
type="a"	The list items will be numbered with lowercase letters
type="I"	The list items will be numbered with uppercase roman numbers
type="i"	The list items will be numbered with lowercase roman numbers

# Ordered List - Example

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<body>

<h2>List of our Cafe drinks</h2>

<ol type="A">
  <li>Spanish Latte</li>
  <li>Jasmine Tea</li>
  <li>Americano</li>
  <li>Iced Shaken espresso</li>
</ol>

</body>
</html>
```

## List of our Cafe drinks

- A. Spanish Latte
- B. Jasmine Tea
- C. Americano
- D. Iced Shaken espresso

# Special Characters

Display special characters such as quotes, copyright symbol, etc.

Character	Code
©	&copy;
<	&lt;
>	&gt;
&	&amp;
	&nbsp;

# Div Element

- Configures a structural block area or “division” on a web page with empty space above and below.

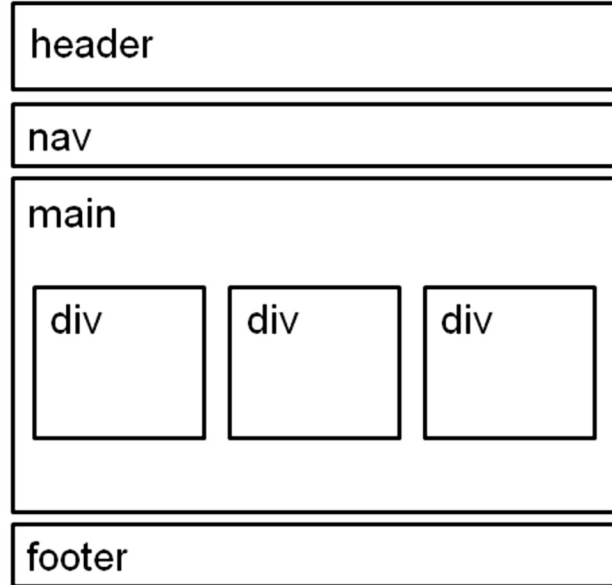
Can contain other block display elements, including other div elements

```
<div>Home Services Contact</div>
```





# HTML5 Structural Elements



# HTML5 Structural Elements

`<body>`

`<header>` *document headings go here*  
`</header>`

`<nav>` *main navigation goes here* `</nav>`

`<main>` *main content goes here* `</main>`

`<footer>` *document footer information goes*  
*here* `</footer>`

`</body>`



# Anchor Element

- Specifies a hyperlink reference (href) to a file
- Text between the `<a>` and `</a>` is displayed on the web page.

**`<a href="contact.html">Contact Us</a>`**

href Attribute

Indicates the file name or URL



# Absolute & Relative Hyperlinks

- Absolute link
  - Link to a different website

**`<a href="http://yahoo.com">Yahoo</a>`**

- Relative link
  - Link to pages on your own site

**`<a href="index.htm">Home</a>`**

## E-Mail Hyperlink

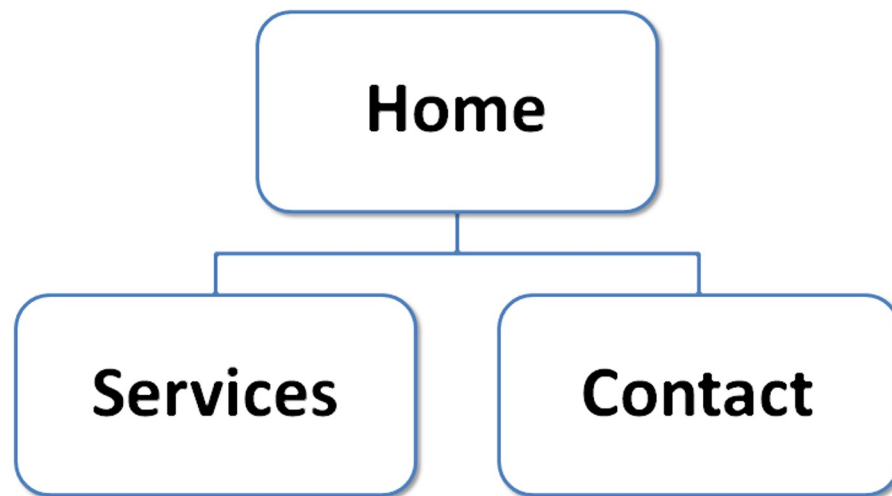
- Automatically launch the default mail program configured for the browser
- If no browser default is configured,
- a message is displayed

**`<a href="mailto:me@gmail.com">me@gmail.com</a>`**



# Hyperlinks

- Hands-On Practice



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# Exercise!

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