

HTML 5

Introduction

What is New in HTML5?

- The DOCTYPE declaration for HTML5 is very simple:
 - **<!DOCTYPE html>**
- The character encoding (charset) declaration is also very simple:
 - **<meta charset="UTF-8">**

What is New in HTML5?

HTML5 Example:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
```

```
<html>
```

```
  <head>
```

```
    <meta charset="UTF-8">
```

```
    <title>Title of the document</title>
```

```
  </head>
```

```
  <body>
```

```
    Content of the document.....
```

```
  </body>
```

```
</html>
```

New HTML5 Elements

- The most interesting new elements are:
 - New semantic elements like
`<header>`, `<footer>`, `<article>`, and `<section>`
 - New form controls like
`number`, `date`, `time`, `calendar`, and `range`
 - New graphic elements
`<svg>` and `<canvas>`
 - New multimedia elements
`<audio>` and `<video>`

New HTML5 API's (Application Programming Interfaces)

- The most interesting new API's are:
 - HTML Geolocation
 - HTML Drag and Drop
 - HTML Local Storage
 - HTML Application Cache
 - HTML Web Workers
 - HTML SSE

Elements Removed in HTML5

- The following HTML4 elements have been removed from HTML5:

Element

<acronym>

<applet>

<basefont>

<big>

<center>

<dir>

<strike>

<tt>

Use instead

<abbr>

<object>

CSS

CSS

CSS

CSS

CSS

CSS

HTML History

- Since the early days of the web, there have been many versions of HTML:

| Version | Year |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Tim Berners-Lee invented www | 1989 |
| Tim Berners-Lee invented HTML | 1991 |
| Dave Raggett drafted HTML+ | 1993 |
| HTML Working Group defined HTML 2.0 | 1995 |
| W3C Recommended HTML 3.2 | 1997 |
| W3C Recommended HTML 4.01 | 1999 |
| W3C Recommended XHTML 1.0 | 2000 |
| HTML5 WHATWG First Public Draft | 2008 |
| HTML5 WHATWG Living Standard | 2012 |
| HTML5 W3C Final Recommendation | 2014 |

HTML History

- Tim Berners-Lee invented the "World Wide Web" in 1989, and the Internet took off in the 1990s.
- From 1991 to 1998, HTML developed from version 1 to version 4.
- In 2000, the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) recommended XHTML 1.0.
- The XHTML syntax was strict, and the developers were forced to write valid and "well-formed" code.
- In 2004, WHATWG (Web Hypertext Application Technology Working Group) was formed in response to slow W3C development, and W3C's decision to close down the development of HTML, in favor of XHTML.
- WHATWG wanted to develop HTML, consistent with how the web was used, while being backward compatible with older versions of HTML.
- In the period 2004-2006, the WHATWG initiative gained support by the major browser vendors.
- In 2006, W3C announced that they would support WHATWG.

HTML History

- In 2008, the first HTML5 public draft was released
- In 2012, WHATWG and W3C decided on a separation:
- **WHATWG will develop HTML as a "Living Standard".**
- A living standard is never fully complete, but always updated and improved. New features can be added, but old functionality can not be removed.
- The WHATWG Living Standard was published in 2012, and is continuously updated.
- **W3C will develop a definitive HTML5 and XHTML5 standard, as a "snapshot" of WHATWG.**
- The W3C HTML5 recommendation was released 28. October 2014.

HTML5 Browser Support

- HTML5 is supported in all modern browsers.
- In addition, all browsers, old and new, automatically handle unrecognized elements as inline elements.
- Because of this, you can "teach" old browsers to handle "unknown" HTML elements.

Define HTML5 Elements as Block Elements

- HTML5 defines 8 new semantic HTML elements. All these are block level elements.
- To secure correct behavior in older browsers, you can set the CSS display property to block
- A block-level element always starts on a new line.
- A block-level element always takes up the full width available (stretches out to the left and right as far as it can).
- A block level element has a top and a bottom margin, whereas an inline element does not.

Example:

```
header, section, footer, aside, nav, main, article, figure
{
    display: block;
}
```

Define HTML5 Elements as Block Elements

- HTML Block Elements and Inline Elements
- Most HTML elements are defined as block level elements or inline elements.
- Block level elements normally start (and end) with a new line, when displayed in a browser.

Examples:

`<h1>`, `<p>`, ``, `<table>`

- Inline elements are normally displayed without line breaks.

Examples:

``, `<td>`, `<a>`, ``

Inline Elements

- An inline element does not start on a new line.
- Here are the inline elements in HTML:
- `<a >` `<abbr >` `<acronym >` `` `<bdo >` `<big >`
`
` `<button >` `<cite >` `<code >` `<dfn >` ``
`<i >` `` `<input >` `<kbd >` `<label >` `<map >`
`<object >` `<output >` `<q >` `<samp >` `<script >`
`<select >` `<small >` `` `` `<sub >`
`<sup >` `<textarea >` `<time >` `<tt >` `<var>`

Adding New Elements to HTML

- You can add any new element to HTML with a browser trick:
- This example adds a new element called `<myHero>` to HTML, and defines a display style for it:

Example:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <head>
    <title>Creating an HTML
    Element</title>
    <style>
      myHero {
        display: block;
        background-color: #ddd;
        padding: 50px;
        font-size: 30px;
      }
    </style>
  </head>
  <body>
    <h1>My First Heading</h1>
    <p>My first paragraph.</p>
    <myHero>My First Hero</myHero>
  </body>
</html>
```


New Elements in HTML5

- New Semantic/Structural Elements
- HTML5 offers new elements for better document structure:

| Tag | Description |
|---------------------------------|---|
| <code><article></code> | Defines an article in the document |
| <code><aside></code> | Defines content aside from the page content |
| <code><bdi></code> | Defines a part of text that might be formatted in a different direction from other text |
| <code><details></code> | Defines additional details that the user can view or hide |
| <code><dialog></code> | Defines a dialog box or window |
| <code><figcaption></code> | Defines a caption for a <code><figure></code> element |
| <code><figure></code> | Defines self-contained content, like illustrations, diagrams, photos, code listings, etc. |

Example: Isolate the usernames from the surrounding text-direction settings:

```
<ul>  
  <li>User <bdi>hrefs</bdi>: 60 points</li>  
  <li>User <bdi>jdoe</bdi>: 80 points</li>  
  <li>User <bdi>إيان</bdi>: 90 points</li>  
</ul>
```

- User hrefs: 60 points
 - User jdoe: 80 points
 - User إيان : 90 points
-
- User hrefs: 60 points
 - User jdoe: 80 points
 - User 90 : إيان points

New Elements in HTML5

- New Semantic/Structural Elements
- HTML5 offers new elements for better document structure:

| Tag | Description |
|-------------------------------|--|
| <code><footer></code> | Defines a footer for the document or a section |
| <code><header></code> | Defines a header for the document or a section |
| <code><main></code> | Defines the main content of a document |
| <code><mark></code> | Defines marked or highlighted text |
| <code><menuitem></code> | Defines a command/menu item that the user can invoke from a popup menu |
| <code><meter></code> | Defines a scalar measurement within a known range (a gauge) |
| <code><nav></code> | Defines navigation links in the document |
| <code><progress></code> | Defines the progress of a task |

Example:

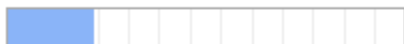
```
<p>Display a gauge:</p>  
<meter value="2" min="0" max="10">2 out of 10</meter><br>  
<meter value="0.6">60%</meter>
```

Display a gauge:



Example: Downloading progress:

```
<progress value="22" max="100">  
</progress>
```

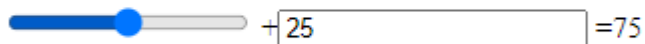
Downloading progress: 

New Form Elements

| Tag | Description |
|-------------------------------|--|
| <code><datalist></code> | Defines pre-defined options for input controls |
| <code><keygen></code> | Defines a key-pair generator field (for forms) |
| <code><output></code> | Defines the result of a calculation |

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html> <body>
<h1>The output element</h1>
<form oninput="x.value=parseInt(a.value)+parseInt(b.value)">
<input type="range" id="a" value="50">
+<input type="number" id="b" value="25">
=<output name="x" for="a b"></output>
</form>
<p><strong>Note:</strong> The output element is not supported in Edge 12 (or
earlier).</p>
</body> </html>
```

The output element



Note: The output element is not supported in Edge 12 (or earlier).

https://www.w3schools.com/tags/tryit.asp?filename=tryhtml5_output

New Input Types

color

Email

Search

week

date

month

tel

Datetime

Number

Time

datetime-local

range

url

New Input Attributes

Autocomplete

Formenctype

height

Multiple

step

autofocus

formmethod

width

pattern (regexp)

form

formnovalidate

list

placeholder

formaction

formtarget

min and max

required

HTML5 - New Attribute Syntax

- HTML5 allows 4 different syntaxes for attributes.
- This example demonstrates the different syntaxes used in an <input> tag:

Type Example:

| | |
|---------------|--|
| Empty | <code><input type="text" value="John Doe" disabled></code> |
| Unquoted | <code><input type="text" value=John></code> |
| Double-quoted | <code><input type="text" value="John Doe"></code> |
| Single-quoted | <code><input type="text" value='John Doe'></code> |

- In HTML5, all 4 syntaxes may be used, depending on what is needed for the attribute.

New Media Elements

Tag

`<audio>`

`<embed>`

`<source>`

`<track>`

`<video>`

Description

Defines sound or music content

Defines containers for external applications (like plug-ins)

Defines sources for `<video>` and `<audio>`

Defines tracks for `<video>` and `<audio>`

Defines video or movie content

HTML5 Graphics

Tag

`<canvas>`

`<svg>`

Description

Defines graphic drawing using JavaScript

Defines graphic drawing using SVG

HTML5 Semantic Elements

Semantics means (from Ancient Greek), is the study of meaning.

Semantic elements are elements with a meaning.

What are Semantic Elements?

What are Semantic Elements?

- A semantic element clearly describes its meaning to both the browser and the developer.
- Examples of non-semantic elements:

`<div>` and ``

Tells nothing about its content.

- Examples of semantic elements:

`<form>`, `<table>`, and ``

Clearly defines its content.

Browser Support

- HTML5 semantic elements are supported in all modern browsers.
- In addition, you can "teach" older browsers how to handle "unknown elements".



New Semantic Elements in HTML5

- Many web sites contain HTML code like

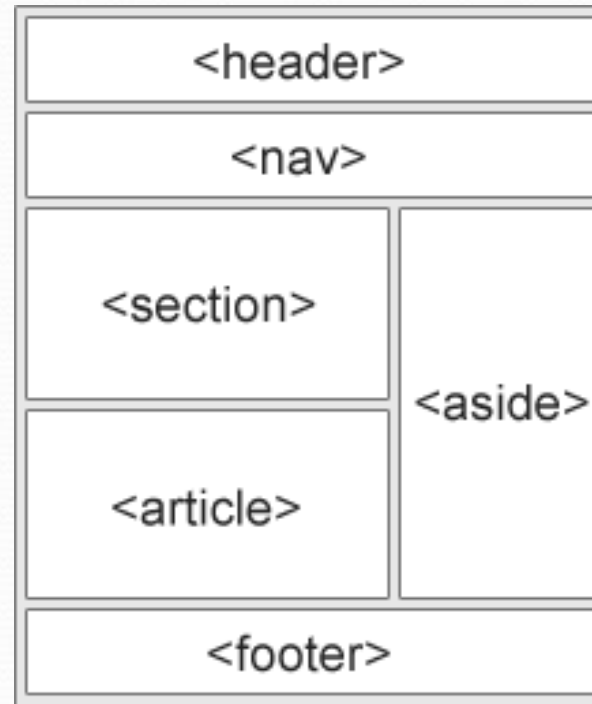
```
<div id="nav"> <div class="header"> <div id="footer">
```

to indicate navigation, header, and footer.

- HTML5 offers new semantic elements to define different parts of a web page:

New Semantic Elements in HTML5

- `<article>`
- `<aside>`
- `<details>`
- `<figcaption>`
- `<figure>`
- `<footer>`
- `<header>`
- `<main>`
- `<mark>`
- `<nav>`
- `<section>`
- `<summary>`
- `<time>`



HTML5 <section> Element

- The `<section>` element defines a section in a document.
- According to W3C's HTML5 documentation: "A section is a thematic grouping of content, typically with a heading."
- A Web site's home page could be split into sections for introduction, content, and contact information.

Example:

```
<section>
```

```
  <h1>WWF</h1>
```

```
  <p>The World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF) is....</p>
```

```
</section>
```

HTML5 <article> Element

- The `<article>` element specifies independent, self-contained content.
- An article should make sense on its own, and it should be possible to read it independently from the rest of the web site.
- Examples of where an `<article>` element can be used:
 - Forum post
 - Blog post
 - Newspaper article

Example:

```
<article>
```

```
  <h1>What Does WWF Do?</h1>
```

```
  <p>WWF's mission is to stop the degradation of our planet's natural  
environment, and build a future in which humans live in harmony with  
nature.</p>
```

```
</article>
```


Nesting Semantic Elements

- In the HTML5 standard, the `<article>` element defines a complete, self-contained block of related elements.
- The `<section>` element is defined as a block of related elements.
- Can we use the definitions to decide how to nest elements? No, we cannot!
- On the Internet, you will find HTML pages with `<section>` elements containing `<article>` elements, and `<article>` elements containing `<sections>` elements.
- You will also find pages with `<section>` elements containing `<section>` elements, and `<article>` elements containing `<article>` elements.

HTML5 <header> Element

- The <header> element specifies a header for a document or section.
- The <header> element should be used as a container for introductory content.
- You can have several <header> elements in one document.
- The following example defines a header for an article:

Example:

```
<article>
```

```
  <header>
```

```
    <h1>What Does WWF Do?</h1>
```

```
    <p>WWF's mission:</p>
```

```
  </header>
```

```
  <p>WWF's mission is to stop the degradation of our  
planet's natural environment, and build a future in  
which humans live in harmony with nature.</p>
```

```
</article>
```

HTML5 <footer> Element

- The <footer> element specifies a footer for a document or section.
- A <footer> element should contain information about its containing element.
- A footer typically contains the author of the document, copyright information, links to terms of use, contact information, etc.
- You can have several <footer> elements in one document.

Example

<footer>

<p>Posted by: Hege Refsnes</p>

<p>Contact information:
someone@example.com.</p>

</footer>

HTML5 <figure> and <figcaption> Elements

- In books and newspapers, it is common to have captions with images.
- The purpose of a caption is to add a visual explanation to an image.
- With HTML5, images and captions can be grouped together in <figure> elements:

Example:

```
<figure>
```

```
  
```

```
  <figcaption>Fig1. - The Pulpit Rock, Norway</figcaption>
```

```
</figure>
```

The element defines the image, the <figcaption> element defines the caption.

Why Semantic HTML5 Elements?

- With HTML4, developers used their own favorite attribute names to style page elements:
- header, top, bottom, footer, menu, navigation, main, container, content, article, sidebar, topnav, ...
- This made it impossible for search engines to identify the correct web page content.
- With HTML5 elements like:

`<header> <footer> <nav> <section> <article>`,

this will become easier.

- According to the W3C, a Semantic Web:
"Allows data to be shared and reused across applications, enterprises, and communities."

Semantic Elements in HTML5

| Tag | Description |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <code><article></code> | Defines an article |
| <code><aside></code> | Defines content aside from the page content |
| <code><details></code> | Defines additional details that the user can view or hide |
| <code><figcaption></code> | Defines a caption for a <code><figure></code> element |
| <code><figure></code> etc. | Specifies self-contained content, like illustrations, diagrams, photos, code listings, |
| <code><footer></code> | Defines a footer for a document or section |
| <code><header></code> | Specifies a header for a document or section |

Semantic Elements in HTML5

Tag

`<main>`

`<mark>`

`<nav>`

`<section>`

`<summary>`

`<time>`

Description

Specifies the main content of a document

Defines marked/highlighted text

Defines navigation links

Defines a section in a document

Defines a visible heading for a `<details>` element

Defines a date/time