



Table & Form – HTML5

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Table

- It represents tabular data
 - information presented in a two-dimensional table comprised of rows and columns.

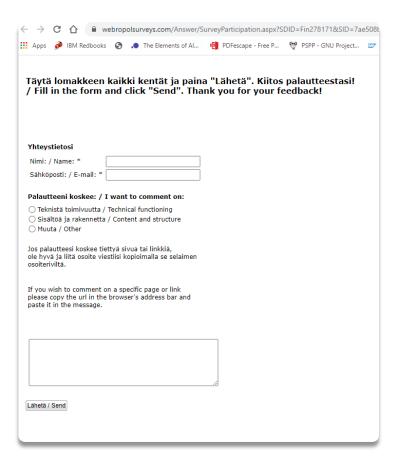
```
<thead>
 >
  The table
header
 </thead>
The table body
  with two columns
```

Examples



https://dipaish.github.io/www2020/table_form.html

Forms



- Main points of interaction between a user and a web site or application.
- Forms allow users to enter data, which is generally sent to a web server for processing and storage

Implementing HTML form

- <form>, <label>, <input>, <textarea>, and <button>
- The <form> element
 - All forms start with a <form> element
 - All of its attributes are optional, but it's standard practice to always set at least the action and method attributes:
 - ► The action attribute defines the location (URL) where the form's collected data should be sent when it is submitted.
 - The method attribute defines which HTTP method to send the data with (usually get or post)

```
<form action="/my-handling-form-page" method="post">
</form>
```

What is form validation?

- ► The process of checking the data you enter in the form is in the correct format and within the constraints set by the application
- Validation that is conducted on client-side is client side validation while on the server side is server-side validation
- Why form validation ?
 - ▶ To get the right data in the right format
 - To protect users' data such as password
 - ▶ To protect the application from the misued of unprotected forms

Why Client-side form validation?

- ▶ To ensure all required form controls are filled out, in the correct format
- An initial check to catch invalid data on the client-side
- Even with client-side form validation it is strongly recommended to conduct security checks on any form-submitted data on the server-side as well
- Different type of Client-side form validation
 - ▶ Built in form validation : using HTML5 validation features
 - JavaScript: JavaScript code to validate form entries

HTMI5 Form Validation

- ► HTML5 form controls: https://developer.mozilla.org/en-us/docs/Learn/Forms/HTML5 input types
- Validation attributes on form elements
 - required: Specifies whether a form field needs to be filled in before the form can be submitted.
 - minlength and maxlength: Specifies the minimum and maximum length of textual data (strings)
 - min and max: Specifies the minimum and maximum values of numerical input types
 - type: Specifies whether the data needs to be a number, an email address, or some other specific preset type.
 - pattern: Specifies a regular expression that defines a pattern the entered data needs to follow.

HTML forms

- <form> element is used to get input from the user
 - <form>
 - **....**
 - </form>
- <input type = ""> Element type
 - ► Text normal text input
 - Radio radio button
 - Submit submitting the form
- Each input field must have a name attribute, can also use default values
- First name:<input type="text" value="Pekka" name="firstname">

Simple form

Form action

- Action defines the action to be executed when the form is submitted
- <form action="action.php">
- On clicking a submit button, the form in the above example will check for the file action.php and will handle the inputs

Form method attribute

- Specifies HTTP methods: get or post
- ▶ GET
 - Default method
 - <form action="action.php" method="GET">
 - On using get form data becomes visible in the page address
 - Example: file:///Users/deepakkc/Google%20Drive/2020/Javascript_P2/chp7.html?nm=de epak&add=Helsinki&id=54

Form method attribute

- ▶ To get sensitive data such as password or when updating data
- Better security as data is not visible in the page address
- <form action="action.php" method="POST">

<fieldset>: to group form data

- <fieldset>To group related data in a form
- <legend> to use a caption for the <fieldset> element

Example

Form Elements

- Drop Down List
- Text area
- Button
- Input type:text, password, submit, radio, checkbox, date, color, range, month, week, time, datetime, email, search, tel, url

Drop Down List using select

```
<form>
        <fieldset>
10
           <le>degend>Drop-Down List</le>
11
           <select name="course">
12
               <option value="js">JavaScript</option>
13
               <option value="php">PHP</option>
14
               <option value="dbase">Databases
15
               <option value="is">Information Security</option>
16
           </select>
   </fieldset>
    </form>
```

<textarea>

```
<textarea name="message" rows="10" cols="30">
Write your message here
</textarea>
```

```
<form>
       <fieldset>
           <legend>Input Types:</legend>
            First name:<input type="text" name="firstname"> <br>
            Last name: <input type="text" name="lastname"><br>
13
            Password: <input type="password" name="pass"><br>
           <input type="radio" name="sex" value="male" checked>Male<br>
15
           <input type="radio" name="sex" value="female" checked>Female<br>
16
           <input type="checkbox" name="course" value="PHP"> I am learning PHP <bre><bre>
           <input type="checkbox" name="course" value="JS">I am leanring JS<br>
18
           Input Numbers (1-10)<input type="number" name="quantity" min="1" max="10"><br>
19
            Range: <input type="range" name="points" min="0" max="10"><br>
20
            E-mail:<input type="email" name="email"><br>
           Search Box: <input type="search" name="search"><br>
           Add homepage:<input type="url" name="homepage"><br>
           <input type="submit" value="Submit">
   </fieldset>
   </form>
```

Form Validation with HTML5 examples

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