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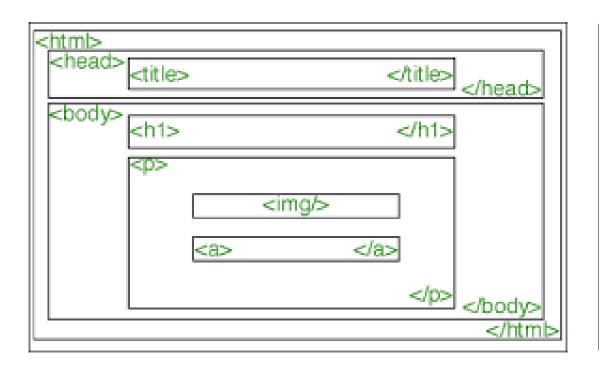
Web-Content Programming with HTML

CHAPTER 4/5: CREATING FIRST PAGE AND BASIC DOCUMENT STRUCTURE DR. ERIC CHOU IEEE SENIOR MEMBER



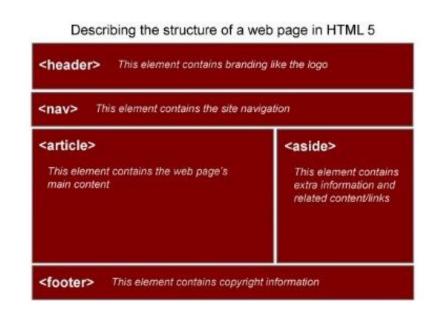
Creating First Page

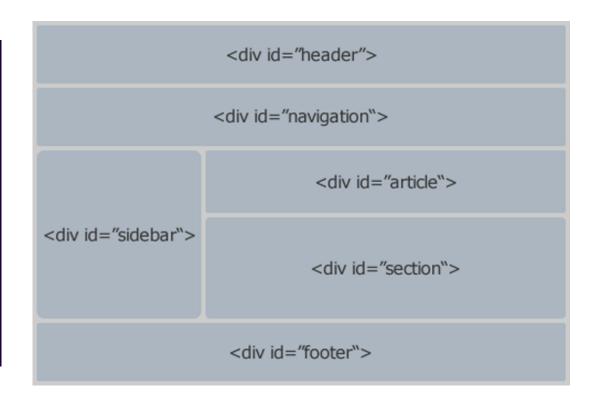
CHAPTER 4



HTML Page Structure

HTML4 Page Structure





HTML4 to HTML5 body section Enhancement



HTML < tag> and Elements

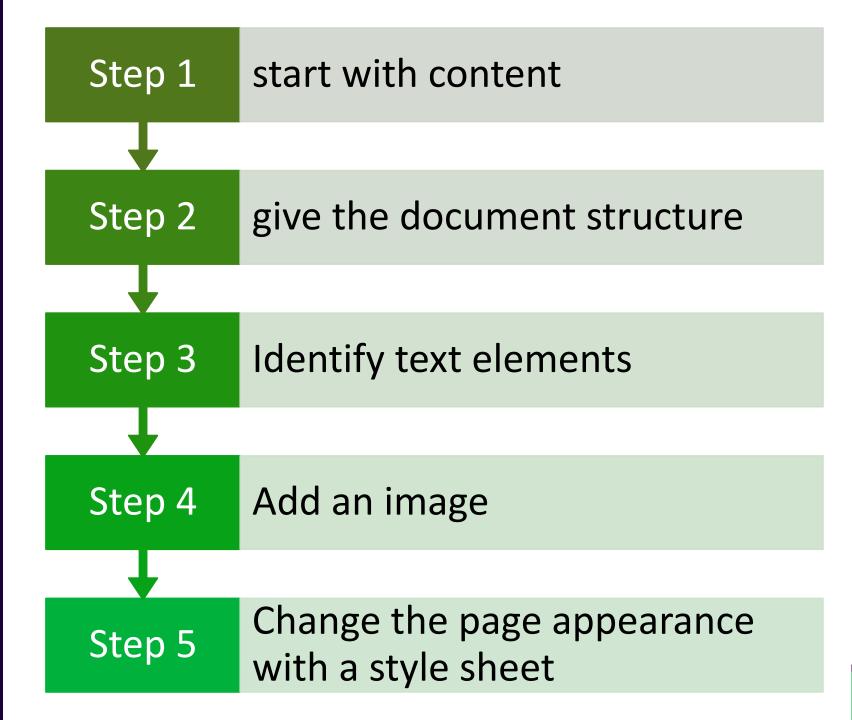


What is a tag?

- •A tag is a boundary mark. It is used to represent some features, as markup for contents for an element or as an element.
- •Tag for a feature (also called empty element):

 return character as break of a line, <wbr>
 for 1 word break,. <hr>
 thematic break
- •Tag for an element (also called empty element) definition: ,<meta>
- •Tag as a markup for elements: .../">https://www.ncbody>...//www.ncbody/.../www.ncbody-.../www.ncb
- An element is some text content in the HTML page
- •<!-- put your comments here --> is a comment which is hidden from the html page view for users.

Step by Step Web Page Creation





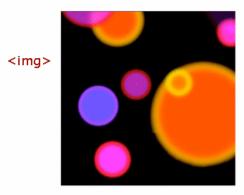
Exercise 4.1 Entering Content

Create a new web page in Coffee Cup or Notepad

Do Exercise 4.1 as in the book.

Exercise 4.2: Adding Basic Structures Change the !doctype definition to html5 compatible

Work on exercise 4.2



Chapter 3

<title> HTML5 Structural and Semantic Elements

- The term "semantic web" is definitely not new. The creator of the World Wide Web himself, Tim Berners-Lee, used it for the first time when talking about the transformation of the World Wide Web into an environment where published documents are associated with information and data that specify their semantic context in an interpretable format.
- With HTML5, a lot of work has been done on this aspect of the World Wide Web, and a great number of new elements have been introduced to provide a better definition and structure to web pages. Still, there are more elements to address.
- In this chapter, we focus on the techniques and elements used to create a semantic structure for a web page using microdata, the figure container, and the aside element.

<h1>Understanding microdata

- > HTML5 introduces the possibility of defining custom semantics in a web page using microdata.
- Microdata enables you to specify machine-readable custom elements in a web page by using syntax made up of name-value pairs with existing content.
- The custom elements that represent the subject are called items. The values that are assigned to these items are their properties. For these custom elements to be valid, you need to define a custom vocabulary that includes the list of named properties that represent the subject.

<footer>

Step 3: How to identify markups in a document? Do Ex 4.3!



Step 4: Add an image by tag

- •img is the tag for image elements
- •src is the source file URL location
- •alt is the alternative text shown if image file is somehow not available (server down, file damaged, file removed, ...)
- •src and alt are attribute (or property) of an element. An element can have many properties (attribute), in DOM format, they can also be viewed as a variable or property for an element object.
- •Do Ex 4.4



Step 5: Change the outlook by simple css style setting

```
body {
   background-color: #faf2e4; /* in RGB format, R is #fa, G is #f2, B is #e4 */
   margin: 0 15%; /* no top and bottom margin, right and left margin 15% */
h1 {
   text-align: center; /* text aligned to center */
   font-family: serif; /* font style serif */
   font-weight: normal; /* not bold, not italics */
   text-transform: uppercase; /* make all letters uppercase */
```

Do Ex 4.5 and validate your page by loading to a browser !!!



Basic Document Structure

CHAPTER 5



Markup language was used before Web Age

- •Latex was a markup language to used to markup text file into a quality document which processes header, footer, font, bold, italics, subscript, superscript. (In fact, my own Ph.D. Dissertation was done in Latex) For more information regarding Latex, try www.latexeditor.org
- •Hypertext Markup Language (HTML) is a markup language for hypertext which means text, image, video, audio, animation and many other multimedia component
- •Micro-soft Word is also a markup authoring tool. Since 2013, Microsoft had started to use a new file format (docx), which means document file with XHTML enhancement.

<meta charset="utf-8"> tag

Used to pick utf-8 as the character set.

There are ASCII, extended ASCII, utf-8, utf-16, utf-32 character sets

```
10
20
    064
        065
70
    112
                 402 8222 8230 8224 8225 710 8240
A0
```



Text Content Tags (I)

```
Heading: <h1></h1>
                    /* heading of different level: h1, h2, h3,h4, ...*/
Paragraph: 
Unordered list: List Item 1
              List Item 2
           Ordered list: List Item 1
              List Item 2
          Description list: <dl><dt>Term</dt>
               <dd>Definition</dd>
            </dl>
```



Text Content Tag (II)

```
Quotation: <blockquote></blockquote> /* text will be shown in quotation format */

Preformatted Text:  /* Text will shown as you type */

Figures: <figure></figure> /* include figure in text, normally image */

Figure Caption: <figcaption> </figcaption> /* description of the figure */
```

Special Text blocks (I)

```
Text division: <div></div> /* division for html 4 */
Span: <span></span> /* to define a span of text for special
format or link */
<strong></strong> /* text in emphasized format */
<small></small> /* text in small letter small */
Subscripts: <sub></sub> /* text in subscripts CO<sub>2</sub> */
Superscripts: <sup></sup> /* text in superscripts x<sup>2</sup> */
Strike through: <s></s> /* text in strike through format */
Bold: <b></b>; Italics: <i></i>; underline: <u></u>;
emphasized text:<em></em>; short quotation: <q></q>
Hyperlink: <a></a> /* define a link to another page */
<br>: line break; <wbr>: word break; <abbr></abbr>:
abbreviation;
Special character: &nbsp, &amp /* see table 5-2 for details */
```



Special Text Blocks (II): Text in special style

Machine Readable Data: <data></data>

Inserted text: <ins></ins>; deleted text: /* put text in different style so people know the text is either inserted or deleted in a new version */

Defining Term:<dfn></dfn> /* mark text as definition style */

Citation: <cite></cite>

Program code: <code></code>

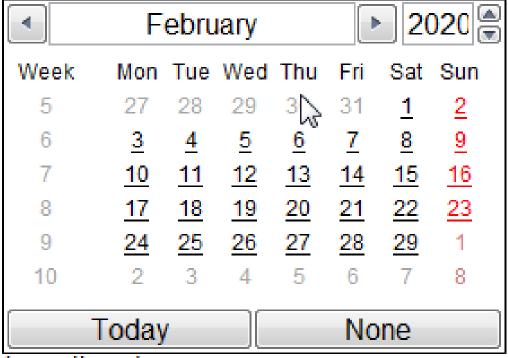
Variable: <var></var>

Program sample: <samp></samp>

User-entered keyboard strokes: <kbd></kbd>

Date and Time (datetime)





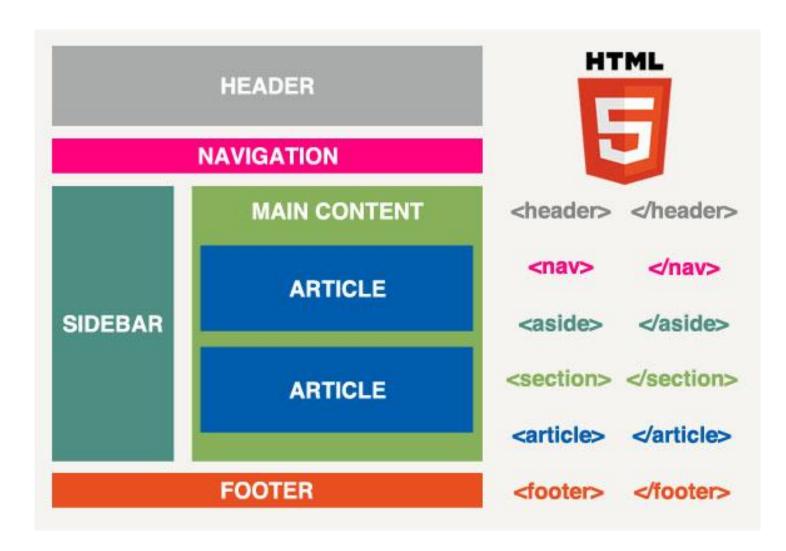
Time (time)



Date and Time special tag

Time data: <time datetime="2012-09-01T 20:00-05:00"></time> /* this is text format */

 Compared with Date and Time input form in html



Tags for Essay or Reports

Header: < header>

Division in articles: <section>

Article: <article>

Navigation Link Bar: <nav>

Side notes: <aside>

Foot notes: <footer>

Copyright words and address: <address>

Note: These divisions are used to provide special CSS style. Otherwise HTML 4's division is good enough to provide structural information



Properties of an Element as an identifier

- •id : <div id="store"> store is the identifier for the division. id can be used to identify any individual element.
- •class: <div class="news"> There might be many division sharing the same class so that they can share some same features such as same background color or something. It can be viewed as a group id. This class group can share same CSS style
- •name: name is used as variable name for an element. For example, an input form can have a variable named xxx, when the placeholder is assigned value of "bbb", then aaa = "bbb"
 - <input name="comment" placeholder="This is one."> Then name is assigned a value of "This is one." name can be viewed as another way of grouping a few input form as one same type to assign value to a same variable.
 - <input type="radio" name="gender" value="boy">
 - <input type="radio" name="gender" value="girl">
- •value: default value for a input form.

Work on the Black Goose Project Ex 5.1-5.3

Copy a template HTML from the original directory, save a copy for your own.

Perform your own changes

Step by step to finish Ex. 5.1, save a version

Step by step to finish Ex. 5.2, save a another version

Step by step to finish Ex. 5.3, save the final version

