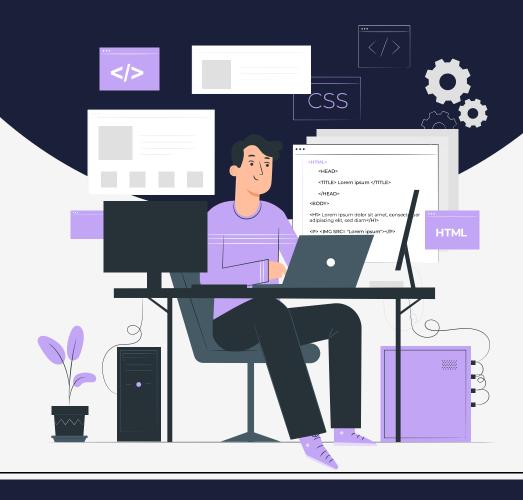
Lesson:

Understanding formatting tag







Topics Covered

- Formatting Tags
- Need of Formatting Tags
- Commonly used Formatting Tags

Formatting Tags

Formatting tags in HTML are used to format text content on a web page. These tags help you to control the appearance of your text by applying formatting options such as bold, italic, underline, and much more.

Need of formatting tags

Formatting tags in HTML are essential because they allow you to control the appearance of your text content, making it easier to read and understand. They also help to enhance the visual appeal of your web page and improve its overall user experience.

Commonly Used Formatting Tags

Some of the common formatting tags along with their example are as follows -

1. ** tag:** The **** tag is used to apply bold formatting to text.

For example

Unset

This text will be bold

NOTE: In HTML, both the **** and **** tags can be used to apply bold formatting to text, but there is a difference between them. **** is a semantic tag and is recognized by screen readers thereby increasing web accessibility.

2. <i> tag: The <i> tag is used to apply italic formatting to text.

For example

Unset

<i>This text will be italicized</i>

3. <u> tag: The <u> tag is used to apply underline formatting to text.

For example

Unset

<u>This text will be underlined</u>



4. <s> tag: The <s> tag is used to apply a strikethrough effect to the text.

For example

Unset

<s>This text will have a strikethrough</s>

5. tag: The tag is used to emphasise text, typically rendered in italics.

For example

Unset

This text will be emphasized

**6.
tag:** The
tag is used in HTML to create a line break, which is a way to force text or elements to start on a new line.

For example

Unset

First Line
This text will come in next line

7. <sub> tag: The <sub> tag is used to apply subscript formatting to text.

For example

Unset

The chemical formula of water is H₂0

8. <sup> tag: The <sup> tag is used to apply superscript formatting to text.

For example:

Unset

Browser output -

This text will be bold

This text will be italicized
This text will be underlined
This text will have a strikethrough
This text will be emphasized

The chemical formula of water is H₂0

$$2^2 + 2^2 = 8$$