# HTML

### What is HTML?

- HTML is a language for describing web pages. With
- HTML you can create your own Web site.
- HTML stands for Hyper Text Markup Language
- HTML is a **markup** language
- A markup language is a set of markup tags
- The tags **describe** document content
- HTML documents contain HTML tags and plain text
- HTML documents are also called web pages

### **HTML Versions**

Version	Year
HTML	1991
HTML+	1993
HTML 2.0	1995
HTML 3.2	1997
HTML 4.01	1999
XHTML 1.0	2000
HTML5	2012
XHTML5	2013

### HTML Tags

- HTML markup tags are usually called HTML tags
- HTML tags are keywords (tag names) surrounded by angle brackets like <html>
- HTML tags normally come in pairs like <b> and </b>
- 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<>, with a forward slash "/" before the tag name
- Start and end tags are also called **opening tags** and **closing tags**

### Example Explained

<tagname>content </tagname>

#### <u>OR</u>

- The DOCTYPE declaration defines the document type
- The text between <html> and </html> describes the web page
- The text between <body> and </body> is the visible page content
- The text between <h1> and </h1> is displayed as a heading
- The text between and is displayed as a paragraph

### What Is XHTML?

- XHTML stands for Extensible Hypertext Markup Language
- XHTML is almost identical to HTML 4.01
- XHTML is a stricter and cleaner version of HTML 4.01
- XHTML is HTML defined as an XML application
- XHTML is supported by all major browsers.

# The Most Important Differences from HTML

- Document Structure
- XHTML DOCTYPE is mandatory
- The XML namespace attribute in <a href="html">html</a> is mandatory
- <html>, <head>, <title>, and <body> is mandatory
- XHTML Elements
- XHTML elements must be properly nested
- XHTML elements must always be closed
- XHTML elements must be in **lowercase**
- XHTML documents must have one root element
- XHTML Attributes
- Attribute names must be in lower case
- Attribute values must be quoted
- Attribute minimization is **forbidden**

### XHTML Elements Must Be Properly Nested

- In HTML, some elements can be improperly nested within each other, like this:
- <b><i>This text is bold and italic</b></i>
- In XHTML, all elements must be properly nested within each other, like this:
- <b><i>This text is bold and italic</i></b>

### XHTML Elements Must Always Be Closed

- This is wrong:
  - This is a paragraph
  - This is another paragraph
- This is correct:
  - This is a paragraph
  - This is another paragraph

### Empty Elements Must Also Be Closed

• This is wrong:

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A break: <br/>
A horizontal rule: <hr>
An image: <img src="happy.gif" alt="Happy face">
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• This is correct:

```
A break: <br />
A horizontal rule: <hr />
An image: <img src="happy.gif" alt="Happy face" />
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### XHTML Elements & Attribute Names Must Be In Lower Case

This is wrong:<html><body></HTML></BODY>

This is correct: <html><body> </html></body>

## Attribute Values Must Be Quoted & Minimization Is Forbidden

- This is wrong:
  - <input checked>
    <input readonly>
    <input disabled>
    <option selected>
- This is correct:
  - <input checked="checked">
    <input readonly="readonly">
    <input disabled="disabled">
    <option selected="selected">

#### How to Convert from HTML to XHTML

- Add an XHTML <!DOCTYPE> to the first line of every page
- Add an xHTML attribute to the html element of every page
- Change all element names to lowercase
- Close all empty elements
- Change all attribute names to lowercase

#### HTML5

What's new in html5

- ✓ New Elements
- ✓ New Attributes
- ✓ Full CSS3 Support
- ✓ Video and Audio
- ✓2D/3D Graphics
- ✓ Local Storage
- ✓ Local SQL Database
- ✓ Web Applications

#### What is HTML5?

- HTML5 will be the new standard for HTML.
- The previous version of HTML, HTML 4.01, came in 1999. The web has changed a lot since then.
- HTML5 is still a work in progress. However, the major browsers support many of the new HTML5 elements and APIs.

#### HTML5 - New Features

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- Some of the most interesting new features in HTML5:
- The <canvas> element for 2D drawing
- The <video> and <audio> elements for media playback
- Support for local storage
- New content-specific elements, like <article>, <footer>, <header>,
   <nav>, <section>
- New form controls, like calendar, date, time, email, url, search

### **Browser Support for HTML5**

- HTML5 is not yet an official standard, and no browsers have full HTML5 support.
- But all major browsers continue to add new HTML5 features to their latest versions.
- 1. Safari
- 2. Chrome
- 3. Firefox
- 4. Opera
- 5. Internet Explorer