HTML5: The New Elements

<article>

The <u>article</u> element represents a section of content that forms an independent part of a document or site; for example, a magazine or newspaper article, or a blog entry.

<aside>

The <u>aside</u> element represents content that is tangentially related to the content that forms the main textual flow of a document.

<audio>

The <u>audio</u> element represents an audio stream.

<bdi>

The <u>bdi</u> element represents a span of text that is isolated from its surroundings for the purposes of bidirectional text formatting [BIDI].

<canvas>

The <u>canvas</u> element represents a resolutiondependent bitmap canvas, which can be used for dynamically rendering of images such as game graphics, graphs, or other images.

<command>

The <u>command</u> element is a multipurpose element for representing commands.

<datalist>

The <u>datalist</u> element represents a set of <u>option</u> elements that represent predefined options for other controls.

<details>

The <u>details</u> element represents a control from which the user can obtain additional information or controls on-demand.

<embed>

The <u>embed</u> element represents an integration point for external content.

<figcaption>

The <u>figcaption</u> element represents a caption or legend for a <u>figure</u>.

<figure>

The figure element represents a unit of content, optionally with a caption, that is self-contained, that is typically referenced as a single unit from the main flow of the document, and that can be moved away from the main flow of the document without affecting the document's meaning.

<footer>

The <u>footer</u> element represents the footer for the section it applies to.

<header>

The <u>header</u> element represents the header of a section.

<hgroup>

The <u>hgroup</u> element represents a group of headings.

<input>

The <u>input</u> element has changed with the addition of 13 new HTML5 attributes. Input is a multipurpose element for representing input controls. The details of its many attributes are described <u>here</u>.

<keygen>

The <u>keygen</u> element represents a control for generating a public-private key pair and for submitting the public key from that key pair.

<mark>

The <u>mark</u> element represents a run of text in one document marked or highlighted for reference purposes, due to its relevance in another context.

<meta>

The <u>meta</u> element with a <u>charset</u> attribute represents a <u>character encoding declaration</u>.

<meter>

The <u>meter</u> element represents a scalar gauge providing a measurement within a known range, or a fractional value.

<nav>

The <u>nav</u> element represents a section of a document that links to other documents or to parts within the document itself; that is, a section of navigation links.

<output>

The <u>output</u> element represents the result of a calculation.

cprogress>

The <u>progress</u> element represents the completion progress of a task.

<rp>

The <u>rp</u> element can be used to provide parentheses around a ruby text component of a ruby annotation, to be shown by UAs that don't support ruby annotations.

<rt>

The <u>rt</u> element marks the ruby text component of a ruby annotation.

<ruby>

The <u>ruby</u> element allows spans of phrasing content to be marked with ruby annotations.

<section>

The <u>section</u> element represents a section of a document, typically with a title or heading.

<source>

The <u>source</u> element enables multiple <u>media</u> <u>sources</u> to be specified for <u>audio</u> and <u>video</u> elements.

<summary>

The <u>summary</u> element represents a summary, caption, or legend for a <u>details</u> element.

<time>

The <u>time</u> element represents a date and/or time.

<track>

The <u>track</u> element enables supplementary media tracks such as subtitle tracks and caption tracks to be specified for <u>audio</u> and <u>video</u>elements.

<video>

The video element represents a video or movie

<wbr>

The <u>wbr</u> element represents a line-break opportunity.