HTML

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Outline

- Markup language vs Programming Language
- Basic HTML structure
- HTML tags
- Hands-on exercise/Assignment for next meeting

HTML

Hypertext Markup Language

Markup Languages

- Markup languages allow encoding of text semantics in an electronic document.
- For HTML, it describes the structure of text presented in a webpage.
- Different from programming languages
- Tags are used to define elements in the document, according to their importance/purpose

Markup Language

- Annotating documents for presentation
- Interpreted by the browser
- Examples:
 - HTML
 - XML
 - XHTML
 - CityGML

Programming Language

- Set of *logical instructions* for the computer to execute
- Compiled by a compiler or interpreted by an interpreter
- Examples:
 - · C, C++
 - Java
 - Python

Basic HTML Structure

```
basic_structure.html X
basic_structure.html > ...
      <!DOCTYPE html>
      <html>
           <head>
               <title>My Title</title>
           </head>
           <body>
  6
               HTML Body
           </body>
  8
      </html>
10
```

Basic HTML Structure

<!DOCTYPE html>

specifies that the document is to be read as an HTML document.

<html>

the root element of an HTML page

Basic HTML Structure

<head>

contains meta information about the document

<title>

specifies the title of the document

<body>

specifies the content of the page

<h1>

defines a heading

- HTML tags define the boundaries of the structures of the content.
 - They usually come in pairs (e.g., <html> and </html>)
- Tags are considered as the elements of the content.

```
<tag> content </tag>
 Hello World!
```

HTML tags are not case-sensitive; however, it is recommended to use lowercase letters in defining tags.

Metadata of the elements can be added through **attributes** which are always placed in the opening tag. The value of the attribute are enclosed in "quotes".

```
<tag attr="value"> content </tag>
cp id="message"> Hello World!
```

Some tags don't have any content, like images. These are what we call **empty tags**.

```
<tag>
<img src="bike.png"></img>
```

For empty tags, we can "omit" the closing tag by doing this:

```
<img src="bike.png" />
```

Special characters in HTML need to be escaped for it to be displayed properly on the browser.

Special Character	Escape Syntax
<	<
>	>
&	&
46	"

Note the semi-colon!

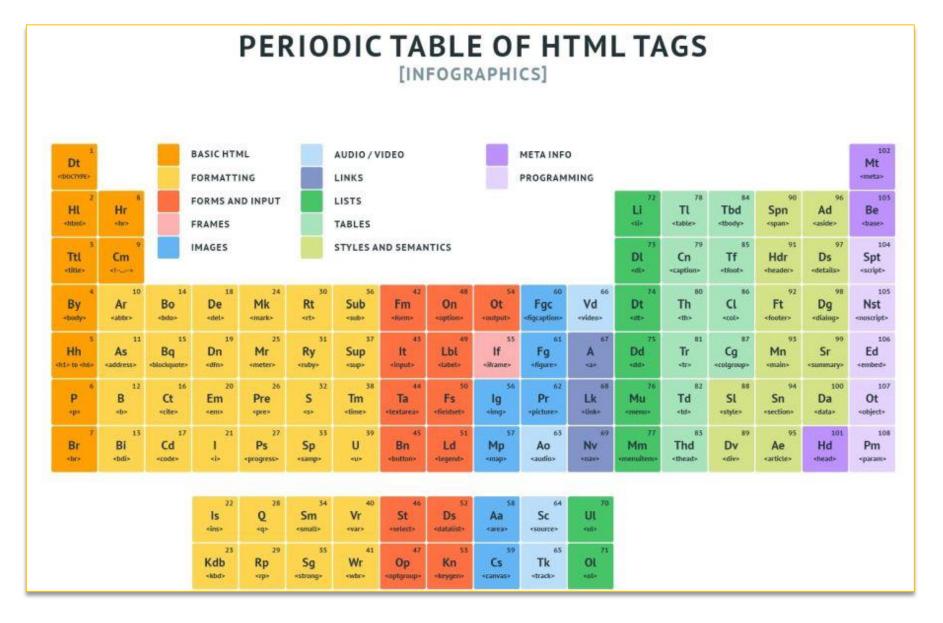
Comments are also allowed in HTML.

```
<!-- content -->
<!-- This is a sample comment -->
```

Some Examples of HTML Tags



Visit the <u>Mozilla Developer Network</u> to understand more about these tags.



An interesting way of presenting the HTML elements.

<head>

- Used for metadata regarding the page.
- Defines the document title, styles, scripts, and other meta information about the page.

<title>

- This tag defines the title of the HTML document. It shows on the (1) browser tab, (2) bookmark title, and (3) search engine results.
- This is defined inside the <head> tag.

```
<title> Title of Page </title>
```

<meta>

- This tag defines meta information about of the HTML document. It is useful for search engine optimization (SEO).
- This is defined inside the <head> tag.

```
<meta name="description" content="Tutorial page">
<meta name="keyword" content="C,Python,Java">
<meta name="author" content="DLSU CCS">
```

name is an attribute used to specify a name for the metadata.

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content is an attribute used to specify the value for the defined name.

<body>

• All of the content that renders on the browser page goes inside the <body> tag.

Headers <h1> to <h6>

Headers are useful for search engines to index the web application.

Numbers are arranged by level of importance, with 1 being the highest and 6 the lowest.

```
<h1> Hello! </h1>
<h2> Hello! </h2>
...
<h6> Hello! </h6>
```

Paragraphs

Paragraphs are used to display blocks of texts.

```
 Hello there!
```

Welcome to the world of web development.

Paragraphs

The align attribute is obsolete in HTML5.

Some browsers might still continue to support it but <u>avoid</u> using it.

```
 Hello there!
```

Avoid these! Styling should be done in CSS instead.

Try this:

Using only one tag, display this:

Hello

World!

Line Break
>

Use

for line breaks in a paragraph.

No need for a closing tag.

```
Hello<br>World!
```



Simply using **<br**> in *HTML5* is fine.

 (including the space) is
conforming to XHTML which have
stricter parsing rules.

Horizontal Rule <hr>>

Use <hr> to divide paragraphs or sections with a horizontal rule.

```
 Chapter 1: Hello! 
<hr>
 Chapter 2: Goodbye!
```

Preformatted Text

The tag is used to define a paragraph while
preserving its format, such as spaces and line breaks.

```
type>
This is my first line.
This is my second line.
This is my third line with a lot of spaces.
```

Lists and

```
Unordered List 
              Ordered List 
              <l
 Apples 
               First 
 Oranges 
               Two 
 Peaches 
                Tres 
start="10" reversed>
```

An *anchor* needs the **href** attribute for it to be clickable. It creates a hyperlink to web pages, files, email addresses, and locations within the same page.

```
<a href="http://google.com/"> Click me </a>
```

The above example is an **absolute** link which includes the **domain of the website** including the protocol (http/https).

A relative link points to another file or a file path.



 Click me

For internal linking, use #. Make sure to define an **id** attribute for the section in the page. When clicked, the page will scroll to that element.

An anchor may also have additional attribute to determine the behavior of that link.

```
<a href="http://google.com" target="_self"
title="Google" > Click to search! </a>
```

target An anchor may also have additional attribute to determine the behavior of that link.

- _self opens in the same tab.
- _blank opens in a new tab.

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```
<a href="http://google.com" target="_self"
title="Google" > Click to search! </a>
```

title is usually used to specify a tooltip for the link.

Division Container <div>

To separate content into logical sections, use <div>. It is a block-level element which will always start on a new line and takes up the full width available.

```
<div>
 Hello World! 
</div>
```

FNOTE

In HTML5, elements such as <footer>, <nav>, and <header>, have been created to make things contextual.

Span < span>

 is also a container of HTML elements. It is an inline
element which does not start on a new line and takes up
only as much width as necessary.

```
<span>
 Hello World! 
</span>
```

Tables

is used to define a table in an HTML document.

ID#First NameLast Num	ber
> 1 Juan Dela Ci	z
1	


```
Table contents are defined
per row:
  ID # 
    First Name 
                      Table Row
    Last Name 
  Table Header
 1 
                      Table Data
   Juan 
   Dela Cruz
```

PS: Just like , styling attributes are deprecated in HTML5, and CSS should instead be used.

Tables... <caption>

A caption may be added to a table using the **<caption>** tag. It should be placed right after the opening tag.

```
<table
```

Tables... colspan and rowspan attributes

Merging Cells is also possible with the element.

colspan specifies the number of columns occupied by the cell.

rowspan specifies the number of rows occupied by the cel

```
<table
```

lmage

 allows you to display an image on the page.

src is the source file.

alt is the alternative text.

width and height defines the dimensions of the image.

Forms <form>

Forms and inputs are used to interact with the user. This allows the page to be more **interactive** and **dynamic**.

```
<form>
<input type="text" />
<input type="password" />
</form>
```

Input<input>

<input> tag is used to define the input field.

```
<input type="text" id="fname" name="name" />
```

- type defines the kind of data accepted
- id is used as an identifier for a specific field
- name is the name of the field to be sent when the form is submitted

For more types and compatibility, you may refer to the documentation:

https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/HTML/Element/input

A run through of

mobile input types

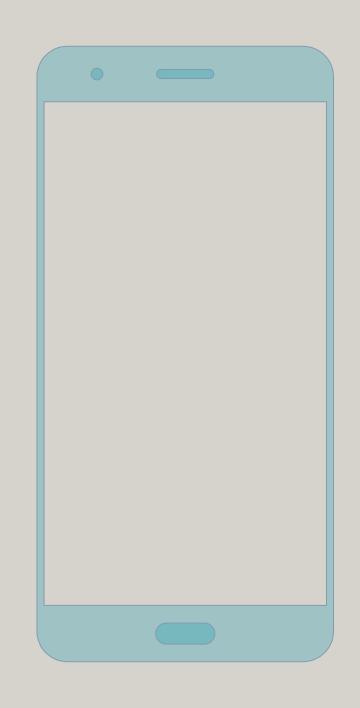






Virtual Keyboards

One way to enhance user experience is to maximize the available functions on mobile devices.



Text

One-line text using the regular keyboard

<input type="text" />



Email

Email addresses with shortcut for @ and .com

<input type="email" />



Tel

Purely numeric

<input type="tel" />



Number

Numbers and symbols

<input type="number" />



Password

Automatic masking of input

<input type="password" />



Date

Provides month, day & year

<input type="date" />



Date & Time

Provides date, hour & min

<input type="datetime" />



Month

Provides month & year only

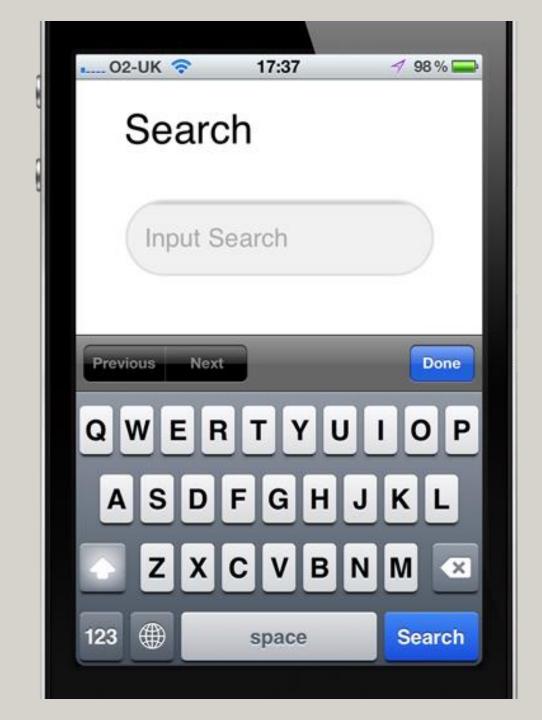
<input type="month" />



Search

Search button instead of Go

<input type="search" />



Input Choices

For multiple selection, use **checkbox**.

- value defines the value to be returned when the form is submitted while the box is checked
- checked sets the box to be checked by default

Input Choices

For single selection, use radio.



<label is not really required here, but it is highly recommended that it is used for best accessibility practices!

- value defines the value to be returned when the form is submitted while the radio button is selected.
- name defines the 'group' the radiobutton is in.

Input Choices

For dropdown boxes, use **select** with **option**.

Form Submit

Defines the input field displayed as a button for submitting the contents of the <form>.

```
<input type="submit" value="Send" />
```

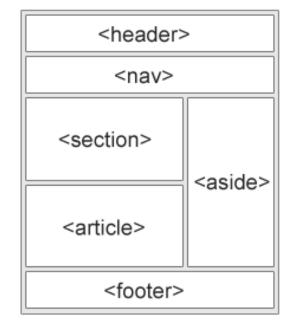
Semantic Elements

• HTML5 features semantic elements, to provide additional accessibility to HTML documents.

It can be thought of as <div> and elements, but with

intrinsic meaning.

- Examples:
 - <nav>
 - <header>
 - <footer>
 - <section>
 - <aside>
 - <article>



For each element's purpose and examples:

Media Files <video>

<video> allows video files to be embedded onto the
webpage.

Media Files <audio>

<audio> allows audio files to be embedded onto the webpage.

Media Files default "fallback" value

<audio> allows audio files to be embedded onto the webpage.

Exercise

Create a bio page about yourself.

- Add paragraphs
- Add links
- Add some images
- Insert media files
- Use divisions
- Try making use of semantic tags

Assignment

Create a bio page about yourself.

- Submit your work in Canvas
 - Zip your folder containing all your files
 - If your website contains multiple pages, name the main page as 'main.html'
 - Folder name: [Surname]_[Firstname]_HO1_HTML.zip

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