

BEHOLD

No huge javascript libraries

Can be used today

Mobile and Desktop handle it very differently

ATTRIBUTES

These apply to almost all input types, existing and new

<input type="tel">

Use pattern if you want it in a certain format

<input type="search">

Apple's baby so Safari handles it best.

Some remember last few searches.

Some give little grey X.

Can be combined with datalist to provide search suggestions

<input type="date">

Support for this one is really spotty

formData

Create a form altogether. Virtually in JavaScript. No need to create hidden forms in the DOM.

Constraint Validation

New attribute called validity

Returns the validityState object which has several boolean attributes (basically a series of true/false tests)

STYLING

Some of the problems with timing

Support

Don't play nice with jQuery plug ins when I looked around 6 months ago