

## New Features Introduced in HTML5

**Audio and Video Elements:** The `<audio>` and `<video>` tags allow developers to embed multimedia content directly into web pages without needing external plugins.

html

```
<video width="300" height="200" controls>
  <source src="video.mp4" type="video/mp4">
  Your browser does not support the video tag.
</video>
```

```
<audio controls>
  <source src="audio.mp3" type="audio/mpeg">
  Your browser does not support the audio tag.
</audio>
```

**Header and Footer Elements:** These elements provide semantic meaning for the header and footer sections of a document.

html

```
<header>
  <h1>Welcome to My Website</h1>
</header>

<footer>
  <p>Contact us at info@mywebsite.com</p>
</footer>
```

## Semantic Tags in HTML5

**Semantic tags** are elements that clearly describe their meaning in a human- and machine-readable way. They provide better structure to web pages and improve accessibility and SEO.

### Examples:

- `<article>`: Represents a self-contained composition in a document.
- `<section>`: Defines a section in a document.
- `<aside>`: Contains content that is tangentially related to the content around it.
- `<header>`: Represents introductory content or a set of navigational links.

- `<footer>`: Represents the footer of a section or document.
- `<nav>`: Contains navigation links.
- `<figure>`: Contains media content with a caption.

### **Uses of Semantic Tags**

Semantic tags improve accessibility, SEO, readability, and consistency by providing clear context and structure to web content.