

HTML tags

The following is a quick reference guide for common tags used in HTML pages.

Main setup tags for an HTML document

```
<html>
  <head>
    <title>
    </title>
  </head>
  <body>
  </body>
</html>
```

`<html></html>` encompasses all tags in an HTML document and defines it as an HTML document.

`<head></head>` encompasses the title tag and contains document titles and authoring information for the document.

`<title></title>` encompasses the title for the document.

`<body></body>` encompasses all the tags that make up the document.

Main formatting tags for the document

`<h1></h1>` is a heading tag that creates the largest size text. The heading tag number can range from 1 to 6. Increasing the number makes the text smaller.

`<p></p>` creates a paragraph.

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` creates a line break.

`` bolds text.

`` emphasizes text with italics.

Links

`` inserts a link to the address provided in the href attribute.

Data tables

`<table></table>` creates a table. This pair of tags encompasses all the row and cell tags in the table.

`<tr></tr>` creates the rows of a table. This pair of tags encompasses all the cell tags in a table row and must be placed inside `<table></table>` tags.

`<td></td>` creates a cell in a table row and must be placed inside `<tr></tr>` tags.

`<th></th>` creates a table header cell in a table row. Like `<td></td>` tags, these must be placed inside `<tr></tr>` tags.

Lists

`` creates an ordered list.

`` creates an unordered list.

`` encompasses a list item and must be placed inside either `` tags or `` tags.