

[Home](#)[About...](#)[News](#)[Docs](#)[Help & FAQ](#)[Feedback](#)[Jump To:](#)[Results](#)**Result:** Failed validation, 18 errors**Address:** **Encoding:** iso-8859-1 **Doctype:** HTML 4.01
Transitional**Revalidate With Options** Show Source Show Outline Validate error pages Verbose Output[Help](#) on the options is available.**This page is not Valid HTML 4.01 Transitional!**

Below are the results of attempting to parse this document with an SGML parser.

- Error** *Line 17 column 47: required attribute "TYPE" not specified.*

```
<script language="JavaScript" src="main-nav.js" ></script>
```

The attribute given above is required for an element that you've used, but you have omitted it. For instance, in most HTML and XHTML document types the "type" attribute is required on the "script" element and the "alt" attribute is required for the "img" element.

Typical values for `type` are `type="text/css"` for `<style>` and `type="text/javascript"` for `<script>`.

- Error** *Line 18 column 46: required attribute "TYPE" not specified.*

```
<script language="JavaScript" src="mm_menu.js" ></script>
```

- Error** *Line 20 column 6: required attribute "TYPE" not specified.*

```
<style >
```

- Error** *Line 20 column 6: document type does not allow element "STYLE" here.*

```
<style >
```

The element named above was found in a context where it is not allowed. This could mean that you have incorrectly nested elements -- such as a "style" element in the "body" section instead of inside "head" -- or two elements that overlap (which is not allowed).

One common cause for this error is the use of XHTML syntax in HTML documents. Due to HTML's rules of implicitly closed elements, this error can create cascading effects. For instance, using XHTML's "self-closing" tags for "meta" and "link" in the "head" section of a HTML document may cause the parser to infer the end of the "head" section and the beginning of the "body" section (where "link" and "meta" are not allowed; hence the reported error).

5. **Error** *Line 41 column 32: required attribute "TYPE" not specified.*

```
<script language="JavaScript1.2" >mmLoadMenus();</script>
```

6. **Error** *Line 49 column 72: document type does not allow element "META" here.*

```
...e" content="text/html; charset=utf-8" ><table border="0" align="right" cellpadding
```

7. **Error** *Line 112 column 154: document type does not allow element "A" here.*

```
...g.html" style="text-decoration: none" ><strong class="orangeheads">Web Perform
```

8. **Error** *Line 123 column 73: there is no attribute "HEIGHT".*

```
...="0" cellspacing="0" cellpadding="0" height=" 341">
```

You have used the attribute named above in your document, but the document type you are using does not support that attribute for this element. This error is often caused by incorrect use of the "Strict" document type with a document that uses frames (e.g. you must use the "Transitional" document type to get the "target" attribute), or by using vendor proprietary extensions such as "marginheight" (this is usually fixed by using CSS to achieve the desired effect instead).

This error may also result if the element itself is not supported in the document type you are using, as an undefined element will have no supported attributes; in this case, see the element-undefined error message for further information.

How to fix: check the spelling and case of the element and attribute, (Remember XHTML is all lower-case) and/or check that they are both allowed in the chosen document type, and/or use CSS instead of this attribute. If you received this error when using the <embed> element to incorporate flash media in a Web page, see the [FAQ item on valid flash](#).

9. **Error** *Line 144 column 234: end tag for "STRONG" omitted, but its declaration does not permit this.*

```
...ming Applications</a> </strong></span ></p>
```

- o You forgot to close a tag, or
- o you used something inside this tag that was not allowed, and the validator is complaining that the tag should be closed before such content can be allowed.

The next message, "start tag was here" points to the particular instance of the tag in question); the positional indicator points to where the validator expected you to close the tag.

10. **Info** *Line 144 column 56: start tag was here.*

```
...s"><span class="orangeheads style10"><strong><strong class="orangeheads"><a h
```

11. **Error** *Line 145 column 180: end tag for element "STRONG" which is not open.*

```
... Testing Service</a></strong></strong>></span><a href="pr_081006.html" class="
```

The Validator found an end tag for the above element, but that element is not currently open. This is often caused by a leftover end tag from an element that was removed during editing, or by an implicitly closed element (if you have an error related to an element being used where it is not allowed, this is almost certainly the case). In the latter case this error will disappear as soon as you fix the original problem.

If this error occurred in a script section of your document, you should probably read this [FAQ entry](#).

12. **Error** *Line 240 column 70: document type does not allow element "META" here.*

```
...e" content="text/html; charset=utf-8"><table width="100%" border="0" cellspa
```

13. **Error** *Line 273 column 30: document type does not allow element "SCRIPT" here.*

```
<script type="text/javascript">
```

14. **Error** *Line 279 column 9: document type does not allow element "NOSCRIPT" here.*

```
<noscript >
```

15. **Warning** *Line 280 column 105: cannot generate system identifier for general entity "g".*

```
...rics.com/ctp/stat.cgi?i=WMSanalytics&g=1" alt="Website Monitoring" border=0><
```

An entity reference was found in the document, but there is no reference by that name defined. Often this is caused by misspelling the reference name, unencoded ampersands, or by leaving

off the trailing semicolon (;). **The most common cause of this error is unencoded ampersands in URLs** as described by the [WDG](#) in "[Ampersands in URLs](#)".

Entity references start with an ampersand (&) and end with a semicolon (;). If you want to use a literal ampersand in your document you must encode it as "&" (*even inside URLs!*). Be careful to end entity references with a semicolon or your entity reference may get interpreted in connection with the following text. Also keep in mind that named entity references are case-sensitive; &Aelig; and æ are different characters.

If this error appears in some markup generated by PHP's session handling code, [this article](#) has explanations and solutions to your problem.

Note that in most documents, errors related to entity references will trigger up to 5 separate messages from the Validator. Usually these will all disappear when the original problem is fixed.

16. **Error** *Line 280 column 105: general entity "g" not defined and no default entity.*

```
...rics.com/ctp/stat.cgi?i=WMSanalytics&g=1" alt="Website Monitoring" border=0><
```

This is usually a cascading error caused by a an undefined entity reference or use of an unencoded ampersand (&) in an URL or body text. See the previous message for further details.

17. **Error** *Line 280 column 106: reference to entity "g" for which no system identifier could be generated.*

```
...ics.com/ctp/stat.cgi?i=WMSanalytics&g=1" alt="Website Monitoring" border=0><.
```

This is usually a cascading error caused by a an undefined entity reference or use of an unencoded ampersand (&) in an URL or body text. See the previous message for further details.

18. **Info** *Line 280 column 104: entity was defined here.*

```
...trics.com/ctp/stat.cgi?i=WMSanalytics&g=1" alt="Website Monitoring" border=0>
```

19. **Error** *Line 287 column 78: document type does not allow element "SCRIPT" here.*

```
...s.com/urchin.js" type="text/javascript" >...
```

20. **Error** *Line 289 column 30: document type does not allow element "SCRIPT" here.*

```
<script type="text/javascript" >...
```

21. **Error** *Line 295 column 32: end tag for element "TD" which is not open.*

```
<!-- #EndLibraryItem --></td>
```



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