

# Feature #6637: Add HTML5 support to CGI, now!

## Motivation

- ▶ CGI: provides methods for generating HTML elements
- ▶ HTML5 already widely used, support highly desirable

## Contra

- ▶ new element `<header>` collides with existing `CGI#header` (which returns the HTTP header)
- ▶ suggestion:  
rename `CGI#header`, possibly to `CGI#http_header`

## Proposal

- ▶ at least, include support for **nearly all** new HTML5 elements (easy to achieve, no compatibility issues, patch supplied)
- ▶ if possible, achieve **full** support (**this could not be done in a minor release**)