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Both

<http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/amortise.php>
<http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/converter.php>

are missing a line like

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<meta http-equiv="Content-Type" content="text/html; charset=utf-8" >
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(See <http://www.w3.org/International/O-charset>)

The W3C Markup Validation Service (<http://validator.w3.org/>) found the following:

Notes and Potential Issues

The following notes and warnings highlight missing or conflicting information which caused the validator to perform some guesswork prior to validation, or other things affecting the output below. If the guess or fallback is incorrect, it could make validation results entirely incoherent. It is highly recommended to check these potential issues, and, if necessary, fix them and re-validate the document.

Warning No Character Encoding Found! Falling back to UTF-8.

None of the standards sources gave any information on the character encoding labeling for this document. Without encoding information it is impossible to reliably validate the document. As a fallback solution, the "UTF-8" encoding was used to read the content and attempt to perform the validation, but this is likely to fail for all non-trivial documents.

Read the FAQ entry on character encoding for more details and pointers on how to fix this problem with your document.

Info No Character encoding declared at document level

No character encoding information was found within the document, either in an HTML meta element or an XML declaration. It is often recommended to declare the character encoding in the document itself, especially if there is a chance that the document will be read from or saved to disk, CD, etc.

See this tutorial on character encoding for techniques and explanations.

Congratulations

The document located at <http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/amortise.php> was tentatively checked as HTML 4.0 Transitional. This means that with the use of some fallback or override mechanism, we successfully performed a formal validation of it. In other words, the document would validate as HTML 4.0 Transitional if you changed the markup to match the changes we have performed automatically, but it will not be valid until you make these changes. The parser implementations we used for this check are based on OpenSP (SGML/XML).

Linking to this result

If you would like to create a link to this page (i.e., this validation result) to make it easier to revalidate this page in the future or to allow others to validate your page, the URI is <http://validator.w3.org/check?uri=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.tonymarston.net%2Fphp-mysql%2Famortise.php> (or you can just add the current page to your bookmarks or hotlist).

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Thanks.
