

# HTML DOM Abbreviation Object

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## Abbreviation Object

The Abbreviation object represents an HTML <abbr> element.

### Access an Abbreviation Object

You can access an <abbr> element by using getElementById():

```
var x = document.getElementById("myAbbr");
```

[Try it \(tryit.asp?filename=tryjsref\\_abbr\\_get\)](#)

### Create an Abbreviation Object

You can create an <abbr> element by using the document.createElement() method:

```
var x = document.createElement("ABBR");
```

[Try it \(tryit.asp?filename=tryjsref\\_abbr\\_create\)](#)

## Standard Properties and Events

The Abbreviation object supports the standard properties (dom\_obj\_all.asp) and events (dom\_obj\_event.asp).

## Related Pages

HTML reference: HTML <abbr> tag (/tags/tag\_abbr.asp)

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