The overflow Property

The overflow property specifies whether to clip content or to add scrollbars when an element's content is too big to fit in a specified area.

- div.ex1 { background-color: lightblue; width: 200px; height: 220px; overflow: scroll; }
- div.ex2 { background-color: lightblue; width: 200px; height: 220px; overflow: hidden; }
- div.ex3 { background-color: lightblue; width: 200px; height: 220px; overflow: auto; }
- div.ex4 { background-color: lightblue; width: 200px; height: 220px; overflow: visible; }
- span.internalScroll { background-color: magenta; overflow: scroll; }
- span.internalAuto { background-color: magenta; overflow: auto; }
- span.internalHidden { background-color: magenta; overflow: hidden; }
- span.internalVisible { background-color: magenta; overflow: visible; }

overflow: scroll for div,

internal span Scroll: Some text

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internal span Auto: Some text

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