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HTML tables allow web developers to arrange data into rows and columns.

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A table in HTML consists of table cells inside rows and columns.

A simple HTML table:

```
<table>
<tr>
<th>Company</th>
<th>Contact</th>
<th>Country</th>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Alfreds Futterkiste</td>
<td>Maria Anders</td>
<td>Germany</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Centro comercial Mactezuma</td>
<td>Francisco Chang</td>
<td>Mexico</td>
</tr>
</table>
```

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Each table cell is defined by a `<td>` and a `</td>` tag.

td stands for table data.

Everything between `<td>` and `</td>` are the content of the table cell.

```
<table>
  <tr>
    <td>Emil</td>
    <td>Tobias</td>
```

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Note:

A table cell can contain all sorts of HTML elements: text, images, lists, links, other tables, etc.

Table Rows

Each table row starts with a `<tr>` and ends with a `</tr>` tag.

`tr` stands for table row.

Example

```
<table>
  <tr>
    <td>Emil</td>
    <td>Tobias</td>
    <td>Linus</td>
  </tr>
  <tr>
    <td>16</td>
    <td>14</td>
    <td>10</td>
  </tr>
</table>
```

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You can have as many rows as you like in a table; just make sure that the number of cells are the same in each row.

Note:

There are times when a row can have less or more cells than another. You will learn about that in a later chapter.

Table Headers

Sometimes you want your cells to be table header cells. In those cases use the `<th>` tag instead of the `<td>` tag:

`th` stands for table header.

Example

Let the first row be table header cells:

```
<table>
  <tr>
    <th>Person 1</th>
    <th>Person 2</th>
    <th>Person 3</th>
  </tr>
  <tr>
    <td>Emil</td>
    <td>Tobias</td>
    <td>Linus</td>
  </tr>
  <tr>
    <td>16</td>
    <td>14</td>
    <td>10</td>
  </tr>
</table>
```

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By default, the text in `<th>` elements are bold and centered, but you can change that with CSS.

HTML Exercises

https://www.w3schools.com/html/html_tables.asp

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