

HTML figure Tag

 [w3schools.com/tags/tag_figure.asp](https://www.w3schools.com/tags/tag_figure.asp)

Example

Use a `<figure>` element to mark up a photo in a document, and a `<figcaption>` element to define a caption for the photo:

```
<figure>
  
  <figcaption>Fig.1 - Trulli, Puglia, Italy.</figcaption>
</figure>
```

Definition and Usage

The `<figure>` tag specifies self-contained content, like illustrations, diagrams, photos, code listings, etc.

While the content of the `<figure>` element is related to the main flow, its position is independent of the main flow, and if removed it should not affect the flow of the document.

Tip: The `<figcaption>` element is used to add a caption for the `<figure>` element.

Browser Support

The numbers in the table specify the first browser version that fully supports the element.

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| <code><figure></code> | 8.0 | 9.0 | 4.0 | 5.1 | 11.0 |
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Global Attributes

The `<figure>` tag also supports the [Global Attributes in HTML](#).

Event Attributes

The `<figure>` tag also supports the [Event Attributes in HTML](#).

More Examples

Example

Use CSS to style `<figure>` and `<figcaption>`:

```
<html>
<head>
<style>
figure {
  border: 1px #cccccc solid;
  padding: 4px;
  margin: auto;
}

figcaption {
  background-color: black;
  color: white;
  font-style: italic;
  padding: 2px;
  text-align: center;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>

<figure>
  
  <figcaption>Fig.1 - Trulli, Puglia, Italy</figcaption>
</figure>

</body>
</html>
```

Related Pages

HTML DOM reference: [Figure Object](#)

Default CSS Settings

Most browsers will display the `<figure>` element with the following default values:

Example

```
figure {
  display: block;
  margin-top: 1em;
  margin-bottom: 1em;
  margin-left: 40px;
  margin-right: 40px;
}
```