

Example

A section that is quoted from another source:

```
<blockquote cite="http://www.worldwildlife.org/who/index.html">
```

For 50 years, WWF has been protecting the future of nature. The world's leading conservation organization, WWF works in 100 countries and is supported by 1.2 million members in the United States and close to 5 million globally.

```
</blockquote>
```

Definition and Usage

The `<blockquote>` tag specifies a section that is quoted from another source.

Browsers usually indent `<blockquote>` elements (look at example below to see how to remove the indentation).

Tips and Notes

Tip: Use `<q>` for inline (short) quotations.

Browser Support

Element

<code><blockquote></code>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
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Attributes

Attribute	Value	Description
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<u><code>cite</code></u>	<i>URL</i>	Specifies the source of the quotation
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Global Attributes

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

Event Attributes

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

More Examples

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Use CSS to remove the indentation from the blockquote element:

```
<html>
<head>
<style>
blockquote {
  margin-left: 0;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>
```

```
<p>Here is a quote from WWF's website:</p>
```

```
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For 50 years, WWF has been protecting the future of nature. The world's leading
conservation organization, WWF works in 100 countries and is supported by 1.2 million
members in the United States and close to 5 million globally.
</blockquote>

</body>
</html>
```

Related Pages

HTML DOM reference: [Blockquote Object](#)

Default CSS Settings

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

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