# **HTML** small Tag

```
™<sup>3</sup> w3schools.com/tags/tag_small.asp
```

### **Example**

Define a smaller text:

```
This is some normal text.
<small>This is some smaller text.</small>
```

### **Definition and Usage**

The <small> tag defines smaller text (like copyright and other side-comments).

**Tip:** This tag is not deprecated, but it is possible to achieve richer (or the same) effect with CSS.

## **Browser Support**

#### **Element**

```
<small> Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes
```

#### **Global Attributes**

The <small> tag also supports the Global Attributes in HTML.

#### **Event Attributes**

The <small> tag also supports the Event Attributes in HTML.

# More Examples

#### **Example**

Use CSS to define smaller text:

```
<html>
<head>
<style>
span.small {
font-size: smaller;
}
</style>
</head>
```

```
<body>
This is some normal text.
<span class="small">This is some smaller text.</span>
</body>
</html>
```

## **Related Pages**

HTML tutorial: HTML Text Formatting

HTML DOM reference: Small Object

# **Default CSS Settings**

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

### **Example**

```
small {
  font-size: smaller;
}
```