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HTML Table Colspan & Rowspan

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HTML tables can have cells that span over multiple rows and/or columns.

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HTML Table - Colspan

To make a cell span over multiple columns, use the `colspan` attribute:

Example

```
<table>
<tr>
  <th colspan="2">Name</th>
  <th>Age</th>
</tr>
<tr>
  <td>Jill</td>
  <td>Smith</td>
  <td>43</td>
</tr>
<tr>
  <td>Eve</td>
  <td>Jackson</td>
  <td>57</td>
</tr>
</table>
```

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Note: The value of the `colspan` attribute represents the number of columns to span.

HTML Table - Rowspan

To make a cell span over multiple rows, use the `rowspan` attribute:

Example

```
<table>
<tr>
  <th>Name</th>
  <td>Jill</td>
</tr>
<tr>
  <th rowspan="2">Phone</th>
  <td>555-1234</td>
</tr>
<tr>
  <td>555-8745</td>
</tr>
</table>
```

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Note: The value of the `rowspan` attribute represents the number of rows to span.

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Exercise

What is the correct HTML attribute for specifying how many rows a cell should span?

- ☐ span
- ☐ rowspan
- ☐ spanning

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