

dottab

(mPDF >= 4.3)

dottab - Insert dots to following (right-aligned) text

Description

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<dottab [ outdent ] />
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Insert a string of dots to fill the space to the text which follows <dottab />, which is right-aligned. This gives the appearance seen in e.g. a table of contents, or a menu with prices. A minimum of 3 dots (with spaces either side) is inserted. If the text which follows the <dottab /> will not fit on a single line, the default tab of ' ... ' is added, and text is not right-aligned.

Note: If a space is required after the <dottab> use a non-breaking space

From mPDF 5.7+ CSS styles can be applied to <dottab> as for an inline element.

Attributes

outdent

Takes any valid CSS **LENGTH** e.g. "2em"
DEFAULT: 0

Changelog

Version	Description
4.3	This tag was added.
5.7	<i>outdent</i> was added

Examples

Example #1

```
$menuitem = '<p>Chilli con carne <dottab />&nbsp;£7.95</p>';  
$mpdf->WriteHTML($menuitem);
```

Example #2

To right-align the text which follows the <dottab> whilst indenting any preceding lines:

```
$menuitem = '<p style="padding-right: 3em">Chilli con carne etc. etc. <dottab outdent="3em" />&nbsp;£7.95</p>';
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