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SVG

Simple SVG FT elements

```
from nbdev.showdoc import show_doc
```

You can create SVGs directly from strings, for instance (as always, use NotStr or Safe to tell FastHTML to not escape the text):

```
svg = '<svg width="50" height="50"><circle cx="20" cy="20" r="15" fill="red"></circle>
show(NotStr(svg))
```



You can also use libraries such as fa6-icons.

To create and modify SVGs using a Python API, use the FT elements in fasthtml.svg, discussed below.

Note: fasthtml.common does NOT automatically export SVG elements. To get access to them, you need to import fasthtml.svg like so

```
from fasthtml.svg import *
```

Svg

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```
Svg (*args, viewBox=None, h=None, w=None, height=None, width=None,
     xmlns='http://www.w3.org/2000/svg', **kwargs)
```

An SVG tag; xmlns is added automatically, and viewBox defaults to height and width if not provided

To create your own SVGs, use SVG. It will automatically set the viewBox from height and width if not provided.

All of our shapes will have some convenient kwargs added by using ft_svg:

ft_svg

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```
ft_svg (tag:str, *c, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None,
        filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None,
        target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None,
```

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style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_validate=None)

Create a standard FT element with some SVG-specific attrs

Basic shapes

We'll define a simple function to display SVG shapes in this notebook:

```
def demo(el, h=50, w=50): return show(Svg(h=h,w=w)(el))
```

Rect

Rect (width, height, x=0, y=0, fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, rx=None, ry=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG rect element

All our shapes just create regular FT elements. The only extra functionality provided by most of them is to add additional defined kwargs to improve auto-complete in IDEs and notebooks, and re-order parameters so that positional args can also be used to save a bit of typing, e.g:

```
demo(Rect(30, 30, fill='blue', rx=8, ry=8))
```



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Circle

Circle (r, cx=0, cy=0, fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx history=None, hx history elt=None, hx inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG circle element

```
demo(Circle(20, 25, 25, stroke='red', stroke_width=3))
```



Ellipse

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Ellipse (rx, ry, cx=0, cy=0, fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG ellipse element

```
demo(Ellipse(20, 10, 25, 25))
```

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transformd

Create an SVG transform kwarg dict

```
rot = transformd(rotate=(45, 25, 25))
rot

{'transform': 'rotate(45,25,25)'}

demo(Ellipse(20, 10, 25, 25, **rot))
```



Line

Line (x1, y1, x2=0, y2=0, stroke='black', w=None, stroke_width=1, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG line element

```
demo(Line(20, 30, w=3))
```

Polyline

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Polyline (*args, points=None, fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target id=None, hx vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG polyline element

```
demo(Polyline(points='0,0 10,10 20,0 30,10 40,0', fill='purple', stroke_width=2))
```

Polygon

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Polygon (*args, points=None, fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG polygon element

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Text source

Text (*args, x=0, y=0, font_family=None, font_size=None, fill=None, text_anchor=None, dominant_baseline=None, font_weight=None, font style=None, text decoration=None, transform=None, opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None, vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None, hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None, accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None, enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None, lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None, translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None, hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None, hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None, hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None, hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None, hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None, hx_history=None, hx_history_elt=None, hx_inherit=None, hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None, hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)

A standard SVG text element

```
demo(Text("Hello!", x=10, y=30))
```

Hello!

Paths

Paths in SVGs are more complex, so we add a small (optional) fluent interface for constructing them:

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PathFT

PathFT (tag:str, cs:tuple, attrs:dict=None, void_=False, **kwargs)

A 'Fast Tag' structure, containing tag, children, and attrs

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Path

```
Path (d='', fill=None, stroke=None, stroke_width=None, transform=None,
      opacity=None, clip=None, mask=None, filter=None,
      vector_effect=None, pointer_events=None, target_id=None,
      hx_vals=None, id=None, cls=None, title=None, style=None,
      accesskey=None, contenteditable=None, dir=None, draggable=None,
      enterkeyhint=None, hidden=None, inert=None, inputmode=None,
      lang=None, popover=None, spellcheck=None, tabindex=None,
      translate=None, hx_get=None, hx_post=None, hx_put=None,
      hx_delete=None, hx_patch=None, hx_trigger=None, hx_target=None,
      hx_swap=None, hx_swap_oob=None, hx_include=None, hx_select=None,
      hx_select_oob=None, hx_indicator=None, hx_push_url=None,
      hx_confirm=None, hx_disable=None, hx_replace_url=None,
      hx_disabled_elt=None, hx_ext=None, hx_headers=None,
      hx history=None, hx history elt=None, hx inherit=None,
      hx_params=None, hx_preserve=None, hx_prompt=None, hx_request=None,
      hx_sync=None, hx_validate=None)
```

Create a standard path SVG element. This is a special object

Let's create a square shape, but using Path instead of Rect:

- M(10, 10): Move to starting point (10, 10)
- L(40, 10): Line to (40, 10) top edge
- L(40, 40): Line to (40, 40) right edge
- L(10, 40): Line to (10, 40) bottom edge
- Z(): Close path connects back to start

M = Move to, L = Line to, Z = Close path

```
demo(Path(fill='none', stroke='purple', stroke_width=2
     ).M(10, 10).L(40, 10).L(40, 40).L(10, 40).Z())
```



Using curves we can create a spiral:

```
p = (Path(fill='none', stroke='purple', stroke_width=2)
    .M(25, 25)
    .C(25, 25, 20, 20, 30, 20)
    .C(40, 20, 40, 30, 30, 30)
    .C(20, 30, 20, 15, 35, 15)
    .C(50, 15, 50, 35, 25, 35)
    .C(0, 35, 0, 10, 40, 10)
    .C(80, 10, 80, 40, 25, 40))
demo(p, 50, 100)
```



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Using arcs and curves we can create a map marker icon:



Behind the scenes it's just creating regular SVG path d attr – you can pass d in directly if you prefer.

```
print(p.d)
M25 45 C25 45 10 35 10 25 A15 15 0 1 1 40 25 C40 35 25 45 25 45 Z
```

```
demo(Path(d='M25 45 C25 45 10 35 10 25 A15 15 0 1 1 40 25 C40 35 25 45 25 45 Z'))
```



PathFT.M source

```
PathFT.M (x, y)
```

Move to.

PathFT.L source

```
PathFT.L (x, y)
```

Line to.

PathFT.H

```
PathFT.H (x)
```

Horizontal line to.

PathFT.V source

PathFT.V (y)

Vertical line to.

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source PathFT.Z PathFT.Z () Close path. source PathFT.C PathFT.C (x1, y1, x2, y2, x, y) Cubic Bézier curve. source PathFT.S PathFT.S (x2, y2, x, y)Smooth cubic Bézier curve. source PathFT.Q PathFT.Q (x1, y1, x, y)Quadratic Bézier curve. source PathFT.T PathFT.T (x, y) Smooth quadratic Bézier curve. source PathFT.A PathFT.A (rx, ry, x_axis_rotation, large_arc_flag, sweep_flag, x, y) Elliptical Arc. **HTMX helpers**

SvgOob

source

SvgOob (*args, **kwargs)

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Wraps an SVG shape as required for an HTMX OOB swap

When returning an SVG shape out-of-band (OOB) in HTMX, you need to wrap it with $\underline{Svg0ob}$ to have it appear correctly. ($\underline{Svg0ob}$ is just a shortcut for $\underline{Template}(Svg(...))$, which is the trick that makes SVG OOB swaps work.)

SvgInb

SvgInb (*args, **kwargs)

Wraps an SVG shape as required for an HTMX inband swap

When returning an SVG shape in-band in HTMX, either have the calling element include $hx_select='svg>*'$, or $**svg_inb$ (which are two ways of saying the same thing), or wrap the response with \underline{SvgInb} to have it appear correctly. (\underline{SvgInb} is just a shortcut for the tuple (Svg(...),

HtmxResponseHeaders(hx_reselect='svg>*')), which is the trick that makes SVG in-band swaps work.)

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