

CSS Grid Container

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Grid Container

To make an HTML element behave as a grid container, you have to set the display property to *grid* or *inline-grid*.

Grid containers consist of grid items, placed inside columns and rows.

The grid-template-columns Property

The `grid-template-columns` property defines the number of columns in your grid layout, and it can define the width of each column.

The value is a space-separated-list, where each value defines the length of the respective column.

If you want your grid layout to contain 4 columns, specify the width of the 4 columns, or "auto" if all columns should have the same width.

Example

Make a grid with 4 columns:

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns: auto auto  
  auto auto;  
}
```

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Note: If you have more than 4 items in a 4 columns grid, the grid will automatically add a new row to put the items in.

The `grid-template-columns` property can also be used to specify the size (width) of the columns.

Example

Set a size for the 4 columns:

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns: 80px  
200px auto 40px;  
}
```

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The grid-template-

rows

Property

The `grid-template-rows` property defines the height of each row.

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The value is a space-separated-list, where each value defines the height of the respective row:

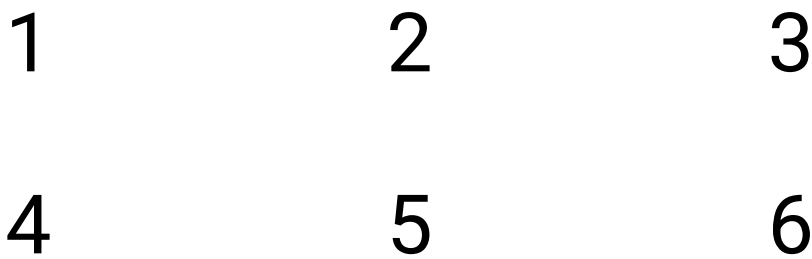
Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-  
rows: 80px 200px;  
}
```

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The justify-content Property

The `justify-content` property is used to align the whole grid inside the container.



Note: The grid's total width has to be less than the container's width for the justify-content property to have any effect.

Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
space-evenly;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
space-around;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
space-between;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
center;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
start;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  justify-content:  
end;  
}
```

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The align-content Property

The `align-content` property is used to *vertically* align the whole grid inside the container.

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Note: The grid's total height has to be less than the container's height for the align-content property to have any effect.

Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
center;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
space-evenly;  
}
```


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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
space-around;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
space-between;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
start;  
}
```

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Example

```
.grid-container {  
  display: grid;  
  height: 400px;  
  align-content:  
end;  
}
```

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