

# **Tables**

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The table row element, <tr>, is used to add rows to a table before adding table data and table headings.

#### Table Data Element

The table data element,  $<\!\!t d>$ , can be nested inside a table row element,  $<\!\!t r>$ , to add a cell of data to a table.

```
cell one data
cell two data
```

## <thead> Table Head Element

The table head element, <thead>, defines the headings of table columns encapsulated in table rows.

```
<thead>

heading 1
heading 2

</thead>

col 1
```



## rowspan Attribute

Similar to colspan, the rowspan attribute on a table header or table data element indicates how many rows that particular cell should span within the table. The rowspan value is set to 1 by default and will take any positive integer up to 65534.

```
>
 row 1:
 col 1
 col 2
>
 row 2 (this row will
span 2 rows):
 col 1
 col 2
col 1
 col 2
row 3:
 col 1
 col 2
```

## Table Body Element

The table body element, <tbody>, is a semantic element that will contain all table data other than table heading and table footer content. If used, <tbody> will contain all table row <tr> elements, and indicates that <tr> elements make up the body of the table. <table> cannot have both <tbody> and <tr> as direct children.



# Table Heading Element

The table heading element,  $\,<\!th>>\,$ , is used to add titles to rows and columns of a table and must be enclosed in a table row element,  $\,<\!tr>>\,$ .

# colspan Attribute

The colspan attribute on a table header or table data element indicates how many columns that particular cell should span within the table. The colspan value is set to 1 by default and will take any positive integer between 1 and 1000.

```
        row 1:
        col 1
        col 2
        col 3
        col 3
```



## <tfoot> Table Footer Element

The table footer element, <tfoot>, uses table rows to give footer content or to summarize content at the end of a table.

```
<thead>
 >heading 1
  heading 2
 </thead>
col 1
  col 2
 <tfoot>
 summary of col 1
  summary of col 2
 </tfoot>
```

#### Table Element

In HTML, the <table> element has content that is used to represent a two-dimensional table made of rows and columns.

```
<!-- rows and columns will go here -->
```