

# handlebars



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Get the HTML result of evaluating a Handlebars template by executing the template with a context.

```
var context = {title: "My New Post", body: "This is my first post!"}  
var html    = template(context);
```

results in

```
<div class="entry">  
  <h1>My New Post</h1>  
  <div class="body">  
    This is my first post!  
  </div>  
</div>
```

## Options

The template function can be passed an options object as the second parameter which allows for customization:

- `data` Pass in an object to define custom `@variable` private variables.
- `helpers` Pass in to provide custom helpers in addition to the globally defined helpers. Values defined in this object will replace any values defined in the global object for the duration of the template execution.
- `partials` Pass in to provide custom partials in addition to the globally defined partials. Values defined in this object will replace any values defined in the global object for the duration of the template execution.

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