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# Column

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with gradio.Column():
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## Description

Column is a layout element within Blocks that renders all children vertically. The widths of columns can be set through the `scale` and `min_width` parameters. If a certain scale results in a column narrower than `min_width`, the `min_width` parameter will win.

## Example Usage

```
with gr.Blocks() as demo:
    with gr.Row():
        with gr.Column(scale=1):
            text1 = gr.Textbox()
            text2 = gr.Textbox()
        with gr.Column(scale=4):
            btn1 = gr.Button("Button 1")
            btn2 = gr.Button("Button 2")
```

## Initialization

### Parameter

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`scale`*int***default: 1**

relative width compared to adjacent Columns. For example, if Column A has `scale=2`, and Column B has `scale=1`, A will be twice as wide as B.

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<div>min_width</div> <div>int</div> <div>default: 320</div>	minimum pixel width of Column, will wrap if not sufficient screen space to satisfy this value. If a certain scale value results in a column narrower than min_width, the min_width parameter will be respected first.
<div>variant</div> <div><i>Literal[['default', 'panel', 'compact']]</i></div> <div>default: "default"</div>	column type, 'default' (no background), 'panel' (gray background color and rounded corners), or 'compact' (rounded corners and no internal gap).
<div>visible</div> <div>bool</div> <div>default: True</div>	If False, column will be hidden.
<div>elem_id</div> <div><i>str   None</i></div> <div>default: None</div>	An optional string that is assigned as the id of this component in the HTML DOM. Can be used for targeting CSS styles.
<div>elem_classes</div> <div><i>list[str]   str   None</i></div> <div>default: None</div>	An optional string or list of strings that are assigned as the class of this component in the HTML DOM. Can be used for targeting CSS styles.
<div>render</div> <div>bool</div> <div>default: True</div>	If False, component will not render be rendered in the Blocks context. Should be used if the intention is to assign event listeners now but render the component later.

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