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HTML <var> Tag

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Example

Format text in a document:

```
<var>Variable</var>
```

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Definition and Usage

Tip: This tag is not deprecated, but it is possible to achieve richer effect with CSS.

All phrase tags:

Tag	Description
<u></u>	Renders as emphasized text
<u></u>	Defines important text
<u><code></u>	Defines a piece of computer code
<u><samp></u>	Defines sample output from a computer program
<u><kbd></u>	Defines keyboard input
<u><var></u>	Defines a variable

Browser Support

Element					
<var>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Differences Between HTML 4.01 and HTML5

NONE.

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Most browsers will display the `<var>` element with the following default values:

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```
var {  
  font-style: italic;  
}
```

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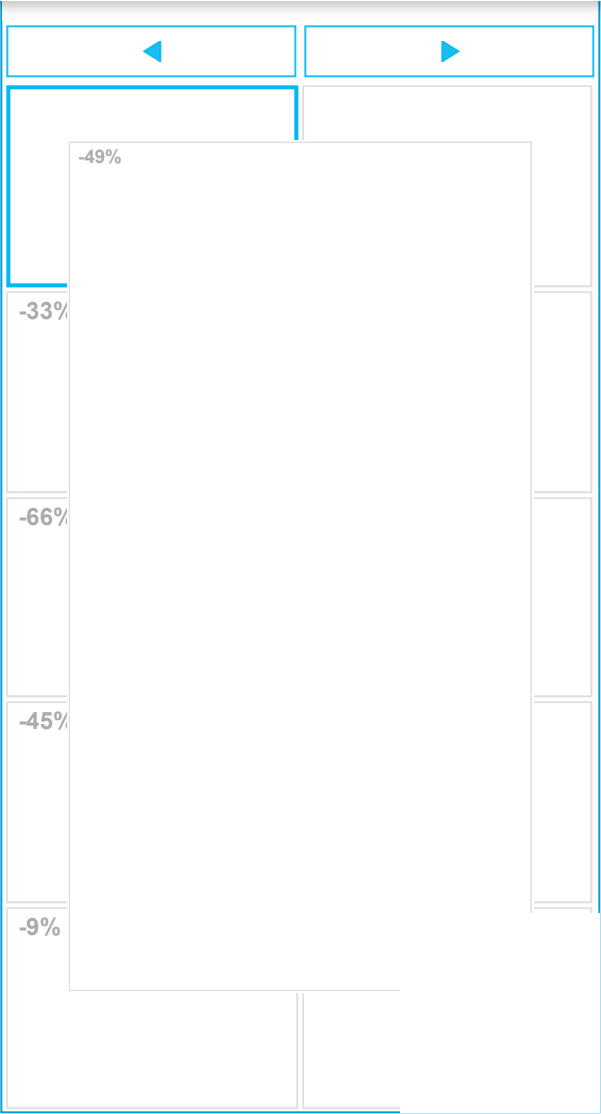
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