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HTML <article> Tag

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Example

Three articles with independent, self-contained content:

```
<article>
<h2>Google Chrome</h2>
<p>Google Chrome is a web browser developed by Google, released in
2008. Chrome is the world's most popular web browser today!</p>
</article>

<article>
<h2>Mozilla Firefox</h2>
<p>Mozilla Firefox is an open-source web browser developed by
Mozilla. Firefox has been the second most popular web browser since
January, 2018.</p>
</article>

<article>
<h2>Microsoft Edge</h2>
<p>Microsoft Edge is a web browser developed by Microsoft, released
in 2015. Microsoft Edge replaced Internet Explorer.</p>
</article>
```

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Definition and Usage

The `<article>` tag specifies independent, self-contained content.

An article should make sense on its own and it should be possible to distribute it independently from the rest of the site.

Potential sources for the `<article>` element:

- Forum post
- Blog post
- News story

Note: The `<article>` element does not render as anything special in a browser. However, you can use CSS to style the `<article>` element (see example below).

Browser Support

The numbers in the table specify the first browser version that fully supports the element.

Element					
<article>	6.0	9.0	4.0	5.0	11.1

Global Attributes

The `<article>` tag also supports the Global Attributes in HTML.

Event Attributes

The `<article>` tag also supports the Event Attributes in HTML.

More Examples

Example

Use CSS to style the <article> element:

```html
<html>
<head>
<style>
.all-browsers {
  margin: 0;
  padding: 5px;
  background-color: lightgray;
}

.all-browsers > h1, .browser {
  margin: 10px;
  padding: 5px;
}

.browser {
  background: white;
}

.browser > h2, p {
  margin: 4px;
  font-size: 90%;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>

<article class="all-browsers">
  <h1>Most Popular Browsers</h1>
  <article class="browser">
    <h2>Google Chrome</h2>
    <p>Google Chrome is a web browser developed by Google, released in 2008. Chrome is the world's most popular web browser today!</p>
  </article>
  <article class="browser">
    <h2>Mozilla Firefox</h2>
    <p>Mozilla Firefox is an open-source web browser developed by Mozilla. Firefox has been the second most popular web browser since January, 2018.</p>
```

```html
    </article>
    <article class="browser">
      <h2>Microsoft Edge</h2>
      <p>Microsoft Edge is a web browser developed by Microsoft,
released in 2015. Microsoft Edge replaced Internet Explorer.</p>
    </article>
</article>

</body>
</html>
```

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Default CSS Settings

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

```css
article {
  display: block;
}
```

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