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CSS var() Function

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Example

First, declare a global variable named "--main-bg-color", then use the var() function to insert the value of the variable later in the style sheet:

```
:root {
  --main-bg-color: coral;
}

#div1 {
  background-color: var(--main-bg-color);
}

#div2 {
  background-color: var(--main-bg-color);
}
```

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Definition and Usage

The var() function is used to insert the value of a CSS variable.

Version:	CSS3
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Browser Support

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

Function					
var()	49.0	15.0	31.0	9.1	36.0

CSS Syntax

var(*--name*, *value*)

Value	Description
<i>name</i>	Required. The variable name (must start with two dashes)
<i>value</i>	Optional. The fallback value (used if the variable is not found)

More Examples

Example

Another example that uses the var() function to insert several CSS variable values:

```
:root {
  --main-bg-color: coral;
  --main-txt-color: blue;
  --main-padding: 15px;
}

#div1 {
  background-color: var(--main-bg-color);
  color: var(--main-txt-color);
  padding: var(--main-padding);
}

#div2 {
  background-color: var(--main-bg-color);
  color: var(--main-txt-color);
  padding: var(--main-padding);
}
```

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