

Physical Styles

`` Bold

`<I>` Italic

`<U>` Underlined

`<TT>` Monotype font, usually Courier

`<S>` Strike through style. HTML 3.0 tag.

`<SUP>` Stands for 'superscript'. HTML 3.0 tag.

`<SUB>` Stands for 'subscript'. HTML 3.0 tag.

All physical styles must end with `</...>`, for example ``

Change textsize

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n is a number between 1 (smallest text) and 7 (largest).

You can also increase reduce the size, for example +3.

COLOR is an RGB color value (rrggbb, please read Body and head tags for more information) or the name of an usual color such like "red" or "black". Read beneath for more info about supported colornames. FACE is a comma-separated list of fontnames. If the first font isn't installed on the computer, the second font will be used, and so on. FONT must end with ``, and is a Netscape tag.

The FACE variable is an Internet Explorer extension.

`<BASEFONT [SIZE=n]>`

Sets the standard size of the text.

`<Hn [...]>`

Change the size of a header. n is a number between 1 (largest) and 6 (smallest). When starting a new header, it will always begin in a new line. The text will normalize after the headers end. Must end with `</Hn>`

Some HTML 3.0 parameters are available, such like ALIGN, DINGBAT, NOWR and CLEAR. More information about these parameters can be founded in the Links and Paragraphs chapters.

<BIG>

Makes the text big. HTML 3.0 tag. Must end with </BIG>.

<SMALL>

Makes the text small. HTML 3.0 tag. Must end with </SMALL>.

Logical Styles

Emphasized text text. Shows up in italic.

<CITE>

Titles. Shows up in italic.

<CODE>

Machinecode. Shows up in a typewriter font e.g. courier.

<KBD>

Stands for 'user keyboard entry', when you want the user to type in a text. Shows up in a typewriter font, e.g. courier. Sometimes bold.

<COMMENT>

Text within this tag won't show up in the browser.

<!-->

Comments between <! and > are ignored by the browser.

<SAMP>

Stands for 'computer status message'. Shows up in a typewriter font, e.g. Courier.

Strongly emphasized text. Shows up in bold.

<VAR>

Stands for 'variable'. Shows up in italic.

<XMP>

Stands for example, shows up in a typewriter font.

<ADDRESS>

Shows u in italic. Use it in the end of the document to display the authors email address, for example.

<BLOCKQUOTE>

Use it to separate a text from the rest of the page.

<PRE [WIDTH=n]>

Make the browser to use the same textstyles as in the HTML code, including wordwraps. WIDTH=n sets the maximum length of a line in characters. Link tags (<A HREF>) works within a <PRE> text. Must end with </PRE>

<BLINK>

Use it to make the text blink. Must end with </BLINK>. Netscape tag.

<DFN>

Defines a text. Shows up in italic. HTML 3.0 tag.

<Q>

Stands for "Short quotation". HTML 3.0 tag.

<PERSON>

HTML 3.0 tag. Shows up the same as normal text in most browsers.

<AU>

Stands for "Author name". HTML 3.0 tag.

All logical styles must end with </...>, for example

Marquee

<MARQUEE...>

An auto-scrolling text. This is an Internet Explorer tag. The following parameters can be used:

WIDTH=n|n% HEIGHT=n|n%

Sets the width and height of the marquee.

VSPACE=n HSPACE=n

Defines the space between the vertical and horizontal ends of the marquee.

ALIGN=TOP|MIDDLE|BOTTOM

Sets the align of the marquee.

BEHAVIOR=SCROLL|SLIDE|ALTERNATE

Defines the method for the marquee to be used. SCROLL scrolls

the text from one side to the other and is the default value. SLIDE does the same, but stops when the text has reached the other side, and is still displayed. ALTERNATE bounces the text between the sides.

DIRECTION=LEFT|RIGHT

Defines the side to start from.

BGCOLOR=rrggb|color

Defines the background color for the marquee.

Read the 'Text styles' chapter for more.

LOOP=n|INFINITE

Defines the number of loops for the text. INFINITE loops until the page is closed.

SCROLLAMOUNT=n

Sets the number of pixels between succeeded drawn text scrolls.

SCROLLDELAY=n

Sets the number of milliseconds between succeeded drawn scrolls.

Color names

Colors can be specified either by its RGB (red-green-blue) value or by a name. There is sixteen supported colornames: aqua, black, blue, fuchsia, gray, green, lime, maroon, navy, olive, purple, red, silver, teal, white and yellow. You may change the color with the <BASE> and tags.