

.Reference card - Rich text in formal source v1

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Paragraph (rt:p)

Within a rich text paragraph the rich text elements listed below can be used for extended formatting of body text.

Element	Description
Paragraph rt:p	Rich text paragraph. <i>Example:</i> <pre><body> <rt:p> This is body paragraph text. <rt:em>This is rich text emphasis text.</rt:em> </rt:p> </body></pre>
Anchor reference rt:a	Anchor reference to a: 1.) Section or subsection in the current content resource; href contains the identifier of the section or subsection <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href="AppendixA" title="Click to navigate to appendix A">Appendix A</rt:a></pre> 2.) Section or subsection in another content resource; href contains the identifier of the section or subsection prefixed by the path to the content resource <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href="//Content/Guidelines/Building guidelines.formalcontent#ConstructionSiteGuidelines" title="Click to navigate to the construction site guidelines">Construction site guidelines</rt:a></pre> 3.) Content resource; href contains the path to the content resource <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href="//Content/Guidelines/Building guidelines.formalcontent" title="Click to navigate to the building guidelines">Building guidelines</rt:a></pre> 4.) Anchor link to an element (e.g. image) inside the current section or subsection; href contains the identifier of the element <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href="#Figure2" title="Click to navigate to figure 2">Fig. 2</rt:a></pre> 5.) Anchor link to an element (e.g. image) of another section or subsection in the current content resource; href contains the identifier of the element, prefixed by the identifier of the section or subsection <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href="Dormers#Figure2" title="Click to navigate to figure 2">Fig. 2</rt:a></pre> 6.) Website or other protocol link <i>Example:</i> <pre><rt:a href=" http://www.beinformed.com" title="Click to navigate to the Be Informed website">Be Informed website</rt:a></pre>

Abbreviation rt:abbr	Abbreviation <i>Example:</i> <rt:abbr>Abbreviation text</rt:abbr>
Line break rt:br	Line break within text. <i>Example:</i> <rt:br />
Citation rt:cite	Citation <i>Example:</i> <rt:cite>Citation text</rt:cite>
Code block rt:code	Code block <i>Example:</i> <rt:code>Code text</rt:code>
Deleted text rt:del	Deleted text <i>Example:</i> <rt:del>Deleted text</rt:del>
Emphasized text rt:em	Emphasized text <i>Example:</i> <rt:em>Emphasized text</rt:em>
Image include rt:img	Image included. An image consists of a title and source, with an optional alt text, identifier and class (for styling purposes). <i>Example:</i> <rt:img id="Figure2" alt="Figure 2" title="Figure 2 Dormer side wall guidelines" src="images/fig2.png" /> Note: the path to the image resource should be a relative path from the formal content resource or a web address.
Insert rt:ins	Inserted text <i>Example:</i> <rt:ins>Inserted text</rt:ins>
Strong rt:strong	Strong text <i>Example:</i> <rt:strong>Strong text</rt:strong>
Superscript rt:sup	Superscript text <i>Example:</i> <rt:sup>Superscript text</rt:sup>
Subscript rt:sub	Subscript text <i>Example:</i> <rt:sub>Subscript text</rt:sub>

Unnumbered lists (rt:ul) and ordered lists (rt:ol)

Within a rich text list, unnumbered and ordered lists can be created.

Element	Description
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Unnumbered list rt:ul	Unnumbered list <i>Example:</i> <rt:ul> <rt:li>First unnumbered list item</rt:li> <rt:li>Second unnumbered list item</rt:li> </rt:ul>
Ordered list rt:ol	Ordered list. <i>Example:</i> <rt:ol> <rt:li>First ordered list item</rt:li> <rt:li>Second ordered list item</rt:li> </rt:ol>
List item rt:li	List item <i>Example:</i> <rt:li>List item text</rt:li>

Tables (rt:table)

Within a rich text table the following rich text elements can be used.

Example:

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<rt:table>  
  <rt:tr>  
    <rt:th>Heading column 1</rt:th>  
    <rt:th>Heading column 2</rt:th>  
  </rt:tr>  
  <rt:tr>  
    <rt:td>Data column 1 for row</rt:td>  
    <rt:td>Data column 1 for row</rt:td>  
  </rt:tr>  
</rt:table>
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Element	Description
Table row rt:tr	Table row <i>Example:</i> <rt:tr></rt:tr>
Table row header rt:th	Table row header <i>Example:</i> <rt:th></rt:th>
Table row data rt:td	Table row data <i>Example:</i> <rt:td></rt:td>