#### chr (Accent Character)

This element specifies the [type](type.docx) of combining diacritical mark attached to the base of the accent function. If this [property](property.docx) is omitted, the default accent character is U+0302. [Example: Examples of accent characters are the dot, hat, and arrow in the following cases: $\dot{a} \hat{a} \vec{a}$.

For example, the following XML represents the [acc](acc.docx) $\tilde{a}$.

<m:acc>
 <m:accPr>
 <m:chr m:val="&#771;"/>
 </m:accPr>

 <m:e>
 <m:r>
 <m:t>a</m:t>
 </m:r>
 </m:e>
</m:acc>

end example]

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| Parent Elements |
| [accPr](accPr.docx) (§); [groupChrPr](groupChrPr.docx) (§); [naryPr](naryPr.docx) (§) |

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| Attributes | Description |
| val (value) | Specifies the character used by the parent element. When it is omitted, the parent uses its assigned default. [Example: delimiter object {a}:<m:dPr> <m:begChr m:val="{"/> <m:endChr m:val="}"/></m:dPr>The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_Char](ST_Char.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |

The following XML Schema fragment defines the contents of this element:

<complexType name="CT\_Char">

 <attribute name="val" [type](type.docx)="[ST\_Char](ST_Char.docx)" use="required"/>

</complexType>