### [jc](jc.docx) (Table Alignment)

This element specifies the alignment of the current [table](table.docx) with respect to the text margins in the current section. When a [table](table.docx) is placed in a WordprocessingML document that does not have the same width as the margins, this property is used to determine how the [table](table.docx) is positioned with respect to those margins. The interpretation of property is reversed if the parent [table](table.docx) is right to left using the [bidiVisual](bidiVisual.docx) element (§).

If this property is omitted on a [table](table.docx), then the justification shall be determined by the associated [table](table.docx) style. If this property is not specified in the style hierarchy, then the [table](table.docx) shall be left justified with zero indentation from the leading margin (the left margin in a left-to-right [table](table.docx) or the right margin in a right-to-left table).

[Example: Consider the following WordprocessingML [table](table.docx), justified to the left margin by default:

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| R1C1 | R1C2 | R1C3 |
| R2C1 | R2C2 | R2C3 |

This [table](table.docx) does not fill the entire width of the text margins. If the [table](table.docx) should be right justified to the margin, as follows:

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| R1C1 | R1C2 | R1C3 |
| R2C1 | R2C2 | R2C3 |

That requirement would be specified using the following WordprocessingML:

<w:[tblPr](tblPr.docx)>
 <w:[jc](jc.docx) w:val="[right](right.docx)"/>
</w:[tblPr](tblPr.docx)>

The [jc](jc.docx) element specifies that the [table](table.docx) shall be right aligned with respect to the text margins. end example]

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| Parent Elements |
| [tblPr](tblPr.docx) (§); [tblPr](tblPr.docx) (§); [tblPr](tblPr.docx) (§); [tblPr](tblPr.docx) (§) |

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| Attributes | Description |
| val (Alignment Type) | Specifies the justification which should be applied to the parent [object](object.docx) within a document.The possible values (see below) for this attribute are always specified relative to the page, and do not change semantic from right-to-left and left-to-right documents.[Example: Consider the following WordprocessingML fragment for a paragraph in a document:<w:[pPr](pPr.docx)> <w:[jc](jc.docx) w:val="[right](right.docx)" /></w:[pPr](pPr.docx)>This paragraph is now right justified on the page, regardless of the paragraph or section settings. end example]The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_Jc](ST_Jc.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |

The following [XML](XML.docx) Schema fragment defines the contents of this element:

<complexType [name](name.docx)="CT\_Jc">

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

</complexType>