### [sectPr](sectPr.docx) (Section Properties)

This element defines the section properties for the a section of the document. [Note: For the last section in the document, the section properties are stored as a child element of the [body](body.docx) element. end note]

[Example: Consider a document with multiple sections. For all sections except the final section, the [sectPr](sectPr.docx) element is stored as a child element of the last paragraph in the section, as follows:

<w:[body](body.docx)>
 <w:[p](p.docx)>

 <w:[pPr](pPr.docx)>

 <w:[sectPr](sectPr.docx)>
 (final section's properties)
 </w:[sectPr](sectPr.docx)>

 </w:[pPr](pPr.docx)>

 …
 </w:[p](p.docx)>
 …
 <w:[sectPr](sectPr.docx)>
 (final section's properties)
 </w:[sectPr](sectPr.docx)>
</w:[body](body.docx)>

end example]

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

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| Child Elements | Subclause |
| [bidi](bidi.docx) (Right to Left Section Layout) | § |
| [cols](cols.docx) (Column Definitions) | § |
| [docGrid](docGrid.docx) (Document Grid) | § |
| [endnotePr](endnotePr.docx) (Section-Wide Endnote Properties) | § |
| [footerReference](footerReference.docx) (Footer Reference) | § |
| [footnotePr](footnotePr.docx) (Section-Wide Footnote Properties) | § |
| [formProt](formProt.docx) (Only Allow Editing of Form Fields) | § |
| [headerReference](headerReference.docx) (Header Reference) | § |
| [lnNumType](lnNumType.docx) (Line [Numbering](Numbering.docx) Settings) | § |
| [noEndnote](noEndnote.docx) (Suppress Endnotes In Document) | § |
| [paperSrc](paperSrc.docx) (Paper Source Information) | § |
| [pgBorders](pgBorders.docx) (Page Borders) | § |
| [pgMar](pgMar.docx) (Page Margins) | § |
| [pgNumType](pgNumType.docx) (Page [Numbering](Numbering.docx) Settings) | § |
| [pgSz](pgSz.docx) (Page Size) | § |
| [printerSettings](printerSettings.docx) (Reference to Printer [Settings](Settings.docx) Data) | § |
| [rtlGutter](rtlGutter.docx) (Gutter on Right Side of Page) | § |
| [sectPrChange](sectPrChange.docx) (Revision Information for Section Properties) | § |
| [textDirection](textDirection.docx) (Text Flow Direction) | § |
| [titlePg](titlePg.docx) (Different First Page Headers and Footers) | § |
| [type](type.docx) (Section Type) | § |
| [vAlign](vAlign.docx) (Vertical Text Alignment on Page) | § |

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| Attributes | Description |
| rsidDel (Section Deletion Revision ID) | Specifies a unique identifier used to track the editing session when the section mark for this section was deleted from the document.All rsid\* attributes throughout this document of an equal value, if present, shall indicate that those regions were modified during the same editing session.A producer may choose to increment the revision save ID value to indicate subsequent editing sessions (editing [between](between.docx) save actions) to indicate the order of the saves performed.The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |
| rsidR (Section Addition Revision ID) | Specifies a unique identifier used to track the editing session when the section mark for this section was added to the document.All rsid\* attributes throughout this document of an equal value, if present, shall indicate that those regions were modified during the same editing session.A producer may choose to increment the revision save ID value to indicate subsequent editing sessions (editing [between](between.docx) save actions) to indicate the order of the saves performed.The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |
| rsidRPr (Physical Section Mark Character Revision ID) | Specifies a unique identifier used to track the editing session when the physical character representing this section mark was last formatted.All rsid\* attributes throughout this document of an equal value, if present, shall indicate that those regions were modified during the same editing session.A producer may choose to increment the revision save ID value to indicate subsequent editing sessions (editing [between](between.docx) save actions) to indicate the order of the saves performed.The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |
| rsidSect (Section Properties Revision ID) | Specifies a unique identifier used to track the editing session when the physical character representing this section mark was last formatted.All rsid\* attributes throughout this document of an equal value, if present, shall indicate that those regions were modified during the same editing session.A producer may choose to increment the revision save ID value to indicate subsequent editing sessions (editing [between](between.docx) save actions) to indicate the order of the saves performed.The possible values for this attribute are defined by the [ST\_LongHexNumber](ST_LongHexNumber.docx) simple [type](type.docx) (§). |

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

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

 <sequence>

 <[group](group.docx) ref="EG\_HdrFtrReferences" minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="6"/>

 <[group](group.docx) ref="EG\_SectPrContents" minOccurs="0"/>

 <element [name](name.docx)="[sectPrChange](sectPrChange.docx)" [type](type.docx)="CT\_SectPrChange" minOccurs="0"/>

 </sequence>

 <attributeGroup ref="AG\_SectPrAttributes"/>

</complexType>