The background of the slide features a large, modern building with a glass facade. The glass panels are arranged in a grid pattern, creating a reflection of the surrounding environment. In the reflection, a cable car system is visible, with gondolas suspended from cables against a backdrop of a cloudy sky.

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Abstract

This CSS module defines a two-dimensional grid-based layout system, optimized for user interface design. In the grid layout model, the children of a grid container can be positioned into arbitrary slots in a predefined flexible or fixed-size layout grid. Level 2 expands Grid by adding “subgrid” capabilities for nested grids to participate in the sizing of their parent grids; and aspect-ratio–controlled gutters.

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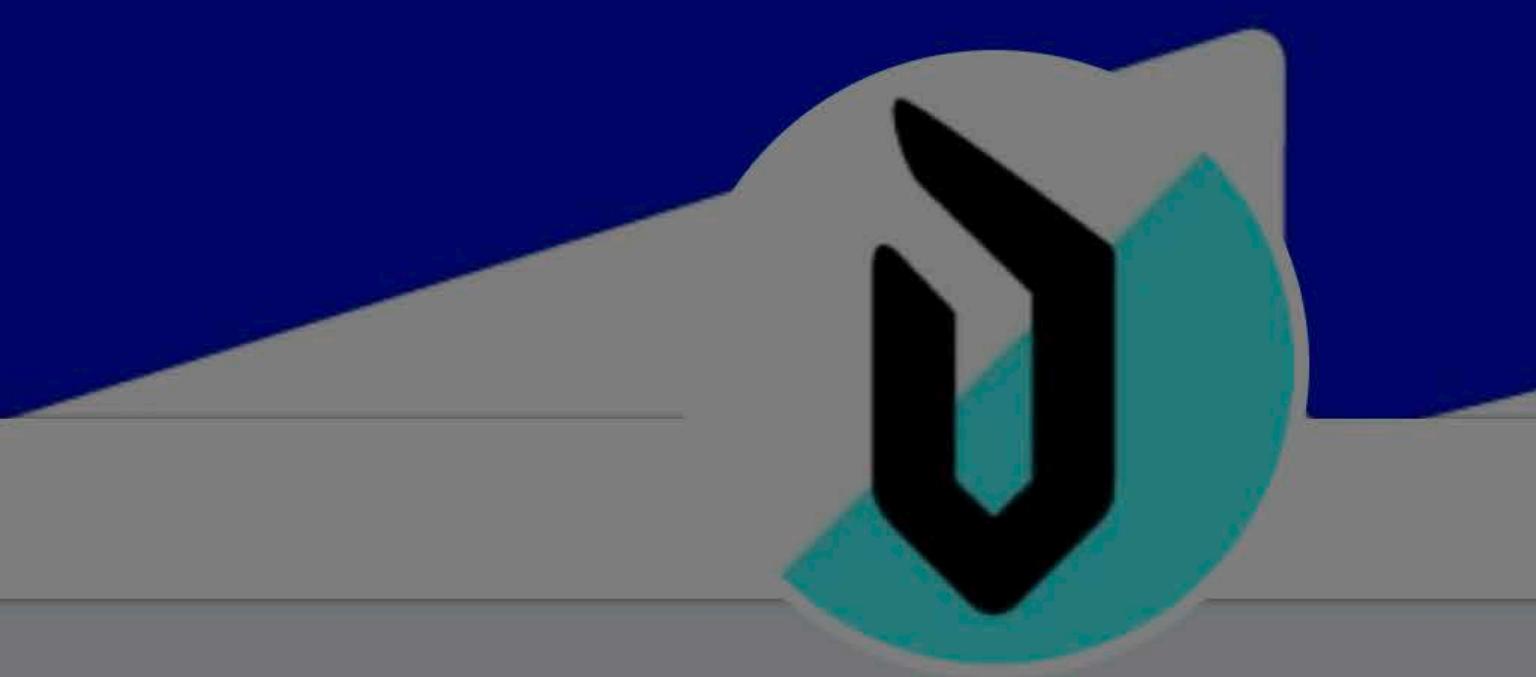
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Early last year, I worked on the redesign of a rather content-heavy website. Design requirements were fairly light: the client asked us to keep the organization's existing logo and to improve the dense typography and increase legibility. So, early on in the design process, we spent a sizable amount of time planning a well-defined grid for a library of content modules.



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A key feature of Flexbox and Grid Layout is that they can deal with distributing available space between, around and inside grid and flex items. Quite often this *just works*, and we get the result we were hoping for without trying very hard. This is because the specifications attempt to default to the most likely use cases. Sometimes, however, you might wonder why something ends up the size that it is. Or, you might want to do something different to the default behavior. To do so, you need to know something of how the underlying algorithms figure out how to distribute space.

In this article, I'm going to share with you some interesting things about sizing boxes in CSS. I've picked out a few things from the specifications that I believe are vital in terms of understanding exactly how big that box is. Take some time to read through, and I think you'll find sizing in Grid a lot less mysterious!

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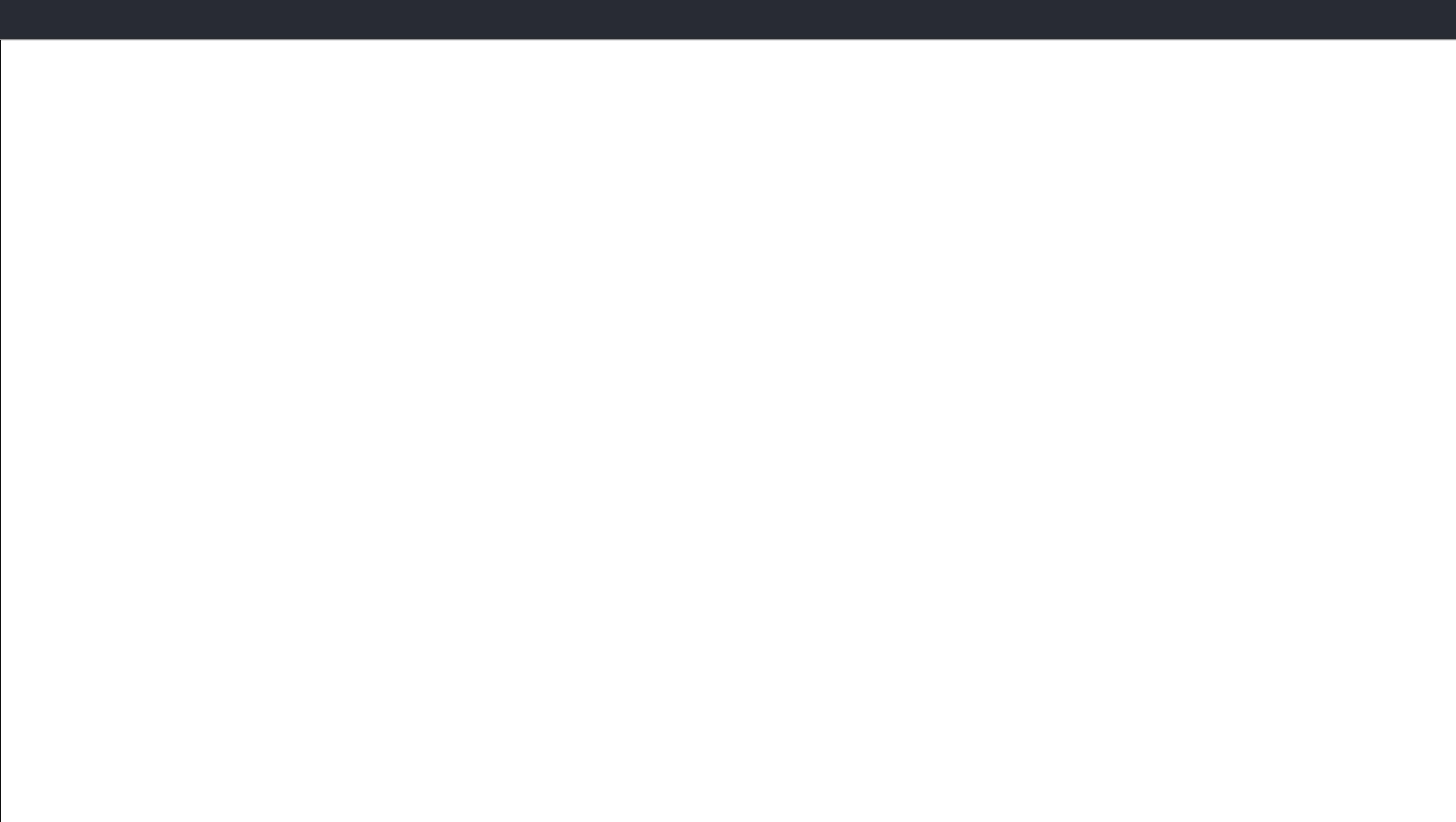
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How big is a grid?



“Each track has specified minimum and maximum sizing functions (which may be the same).”

–11.1 Grid Sizing Algorithm

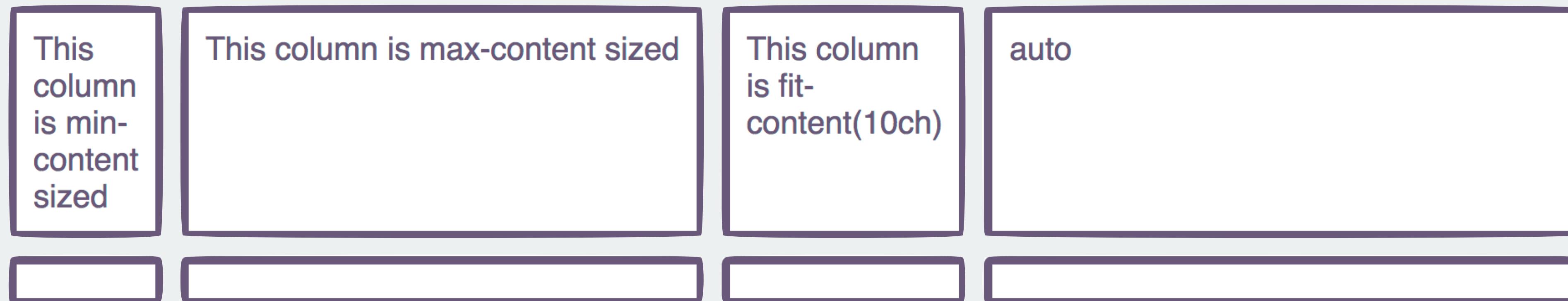
- ❖ Fixed sizing:
lengths such as px or em, or a resolvable percentage
- ❖ An intrinsic sizing function
auto, min-content, max-content, fit-content
- ❖ A flexible sizing function
The fr unit

Intrinsic Sizing

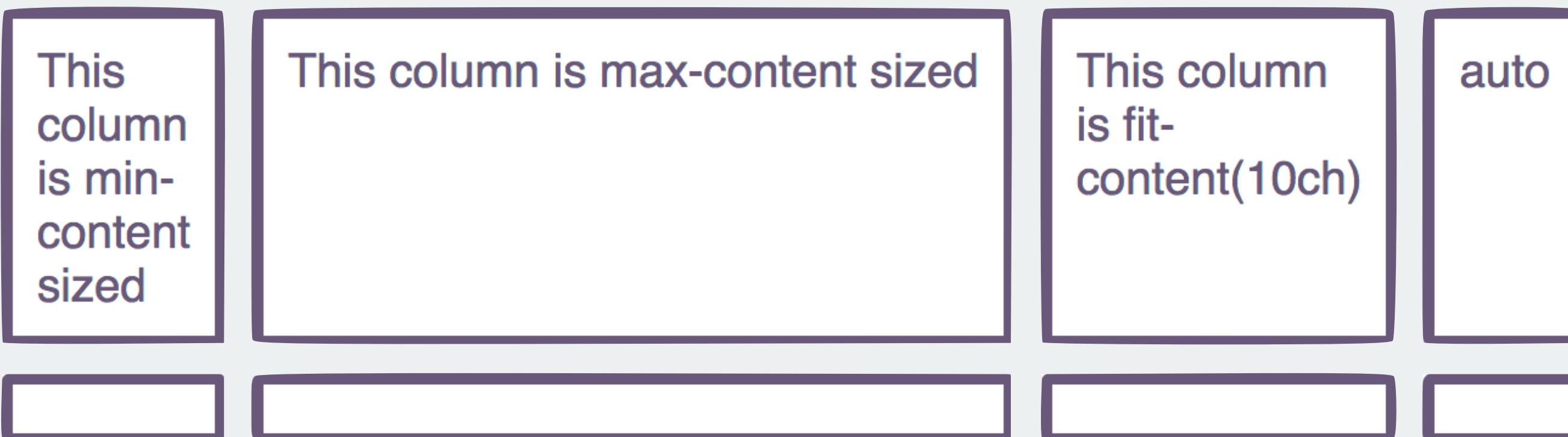
auto

Default size of grid tracks. Tracks sized *auto* will stretch to take up space in the grid container.

justify-content: stretch



justify-content: start



Intrinsic Sizing: auto

The auto-sized track will stretch in the inline direction.

Use justify-content: start to override the stretching behaviour.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    min-content  
    max-content  
    fit-content(10ch)  
    auto;  
  justify-content: start;  
}
```

Intrinsic Sizing

min-content

The smallest size the item can be, taking advantage of all soft-wrapping opportunities.

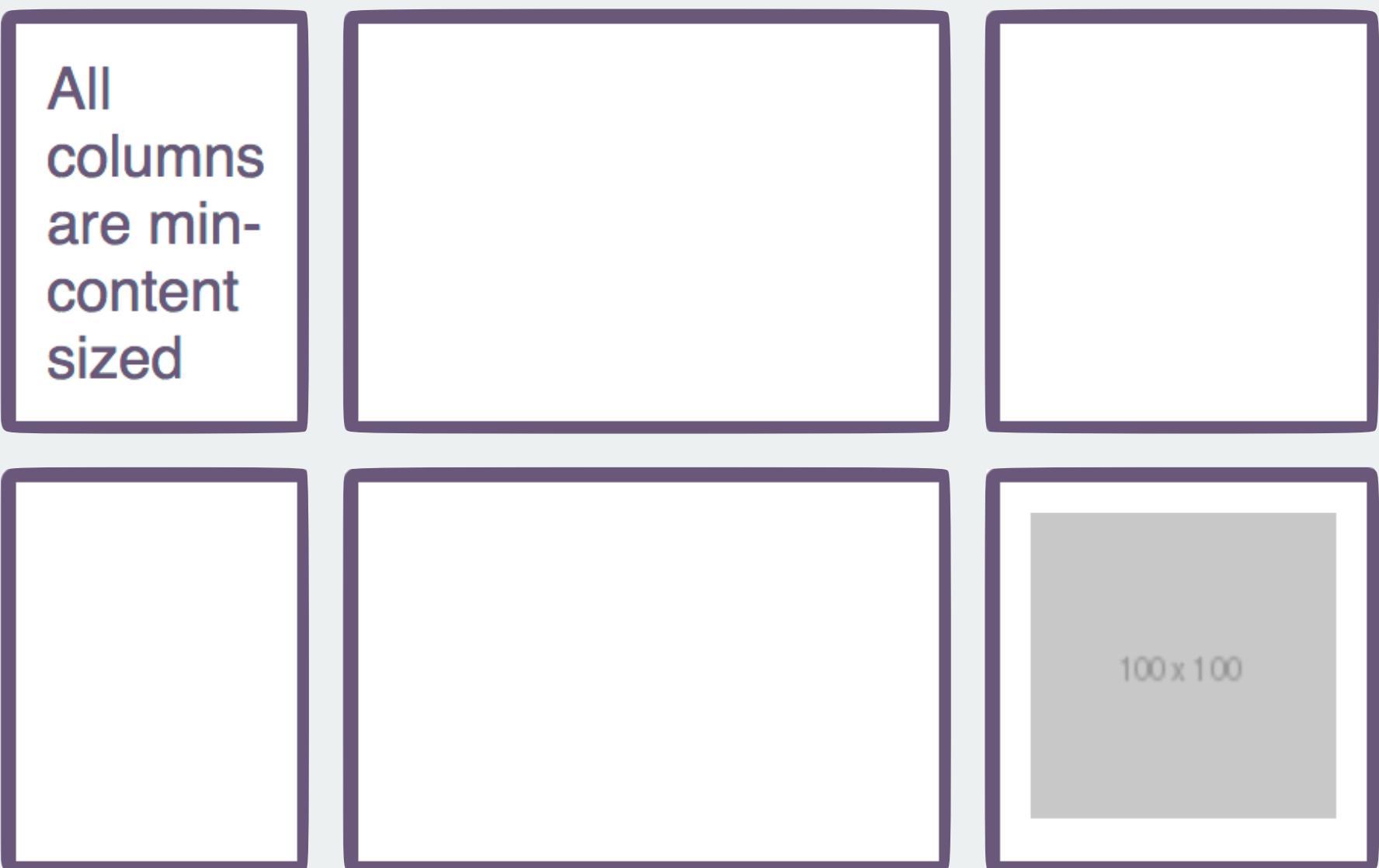
Intrinsic Sizing: min-content

Grid tracks sized with min-content will become as small as they can without causing overflows.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    min-content  
    min-content  
    min-content;  
}
```

The word 'columns'
is defining the size
of track 1.

A 100px image
defines the size
of track 3



This item has a width
which defines the size
of track 2

Intrinsic Sizing

max-content

The largest size the track can be, no soft-wrapping will occur. Overflows may happen.

Intrinsic Sizing: max-content

Grid tracks sized with `max-content` will become as large as needed, and may overflow the grid container.

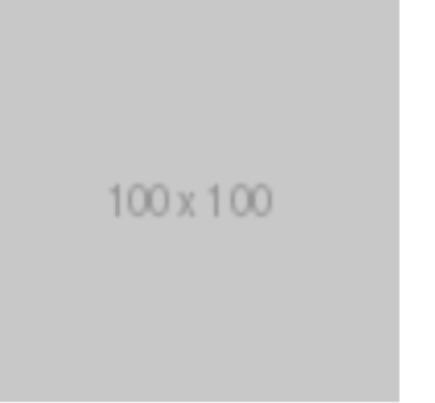
```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    max-content  
    max-content  
    max-content;  
}
```

Tracks 1 and 2 need to be wide enough to fit the unwrapped text.

A 100px image defines the size of track 3

All columns are max-content sized

All columns are max-content sized



100x100

This item has a width applied

Intrinsic Sizing

fit-content

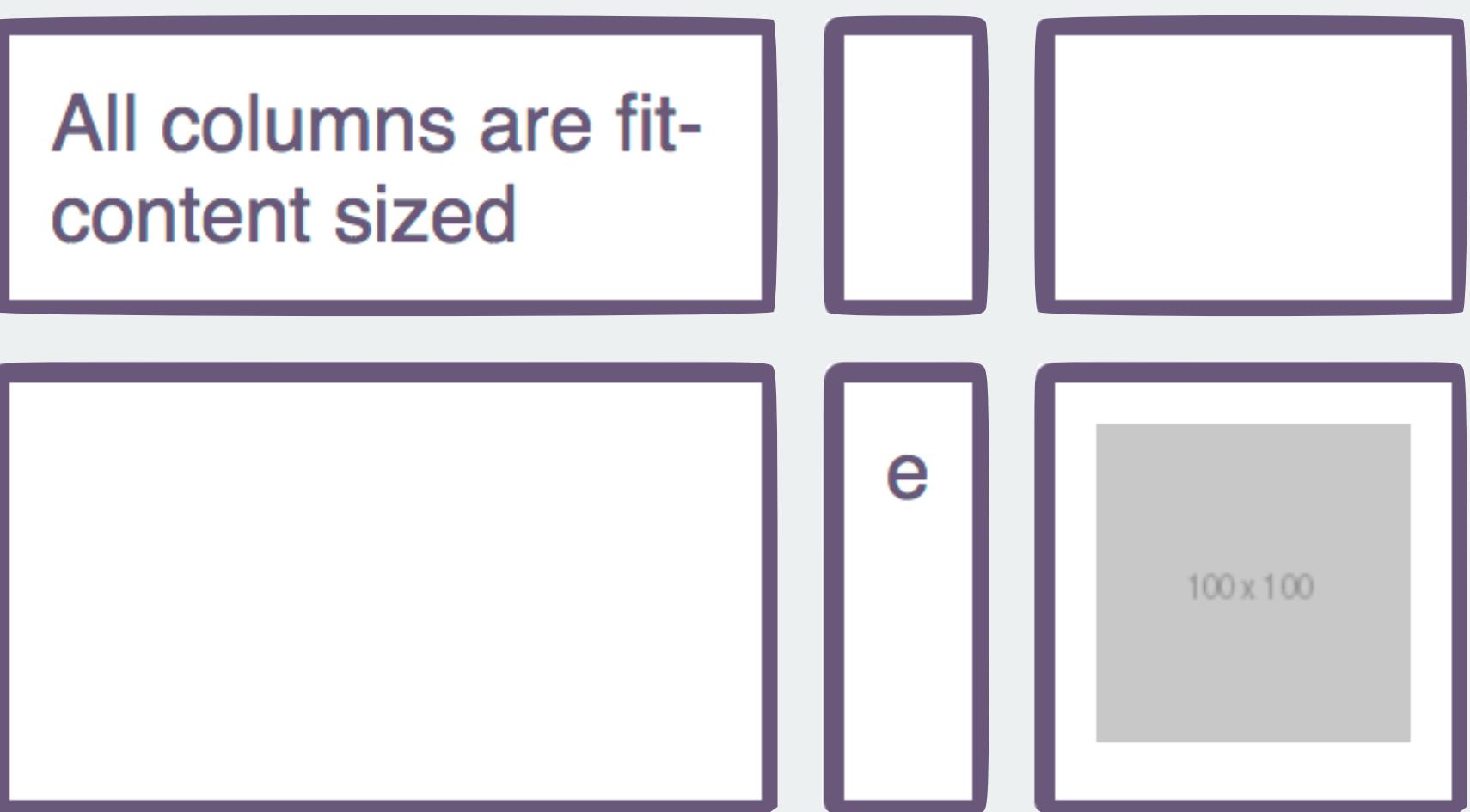
Act like max-content until it reaches the passed in value.

Intrinsic Sizing: fit-content

Grid tracks sized with `fit-content` will act like `max-content` until they hit the limit given.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    fit-content(10em)  
    fit-content(10em)  
    fit-content(15ch);  
}
```

Columns 1 and 2 are both fit-content(10em). Track 1 wraps at 10em. Track 2 is max-content.



Track 3 is
fit-content(15ch)

Flexible lengths

Sizing with fr units

The fr unit describes a flexible length

Flexible lengths

The fr unit is a <flex> unit and represents a portion of the available space in the Grid Container.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns: 2fr 1fr 1fr;  
}
```

2fr

A

1fr

B

1fr

C

D

E

F

Minimum & Maximum sizing functions

minmax()

Minimum Sizing Function

The minimum size for these two tracks is 100px, and 10em.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    minmax(100px, auto)  
    minmax(10em, 20em);  
}
```

Minimum Sizing Function

The minimum size of these two tracks is auto.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    10fr  
    fit-content(10em);  
}
```

Minimum Sizing Function

The minimum size of the first track is 100px, the second track is 50px (10% of 500).

```
.grid {  
  width: 500px;  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    100px  
    10%;  
}
```

Maximum Sizing Function

The maximum size for these two tracks is 400px, and 20em.

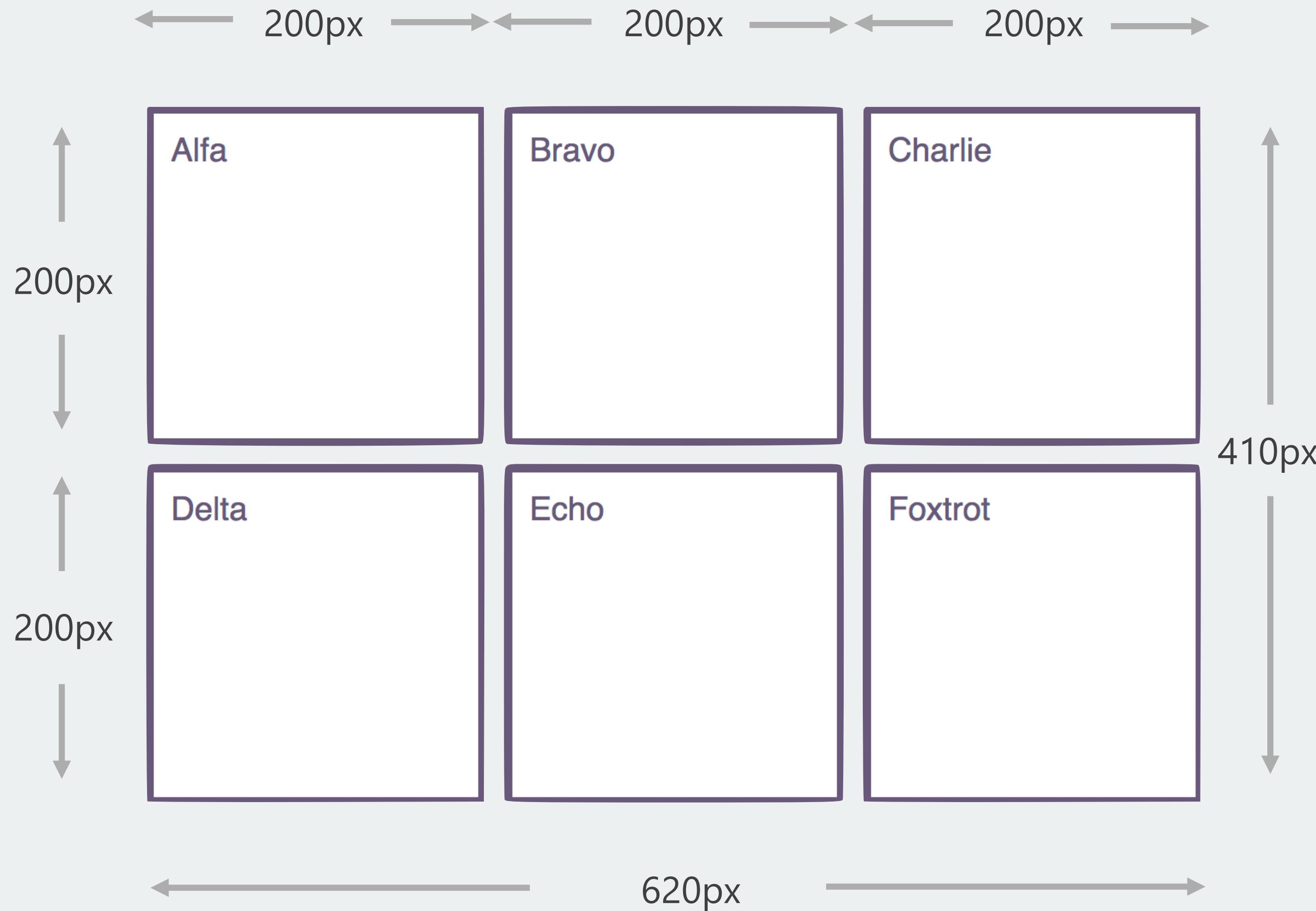
```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    minmax(100px, 400px)  
    minmax(10em, 20em);  
}
```

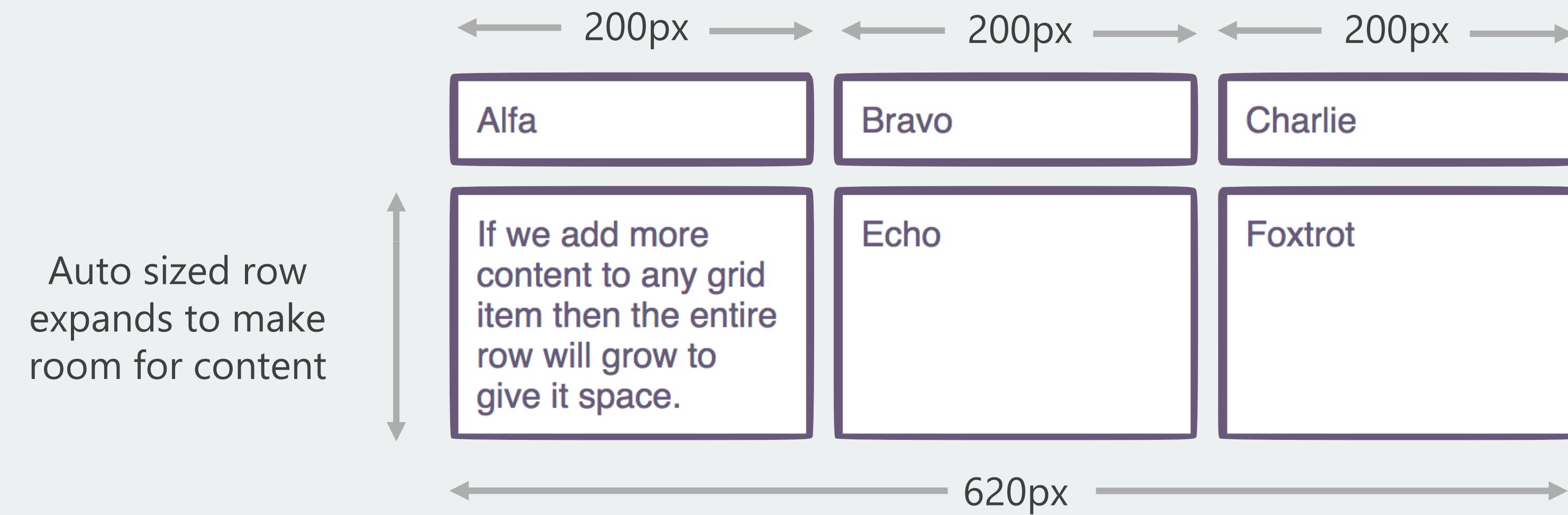
Maximum Sizing Function

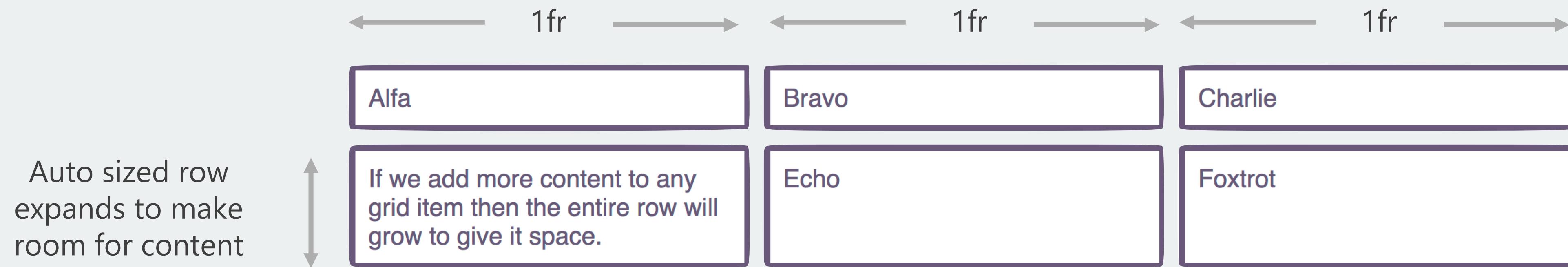
The maximum size for the first track is max-content.

For the second track the maximum is 10em.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    auto  
    fit-content(10em);  
}
```





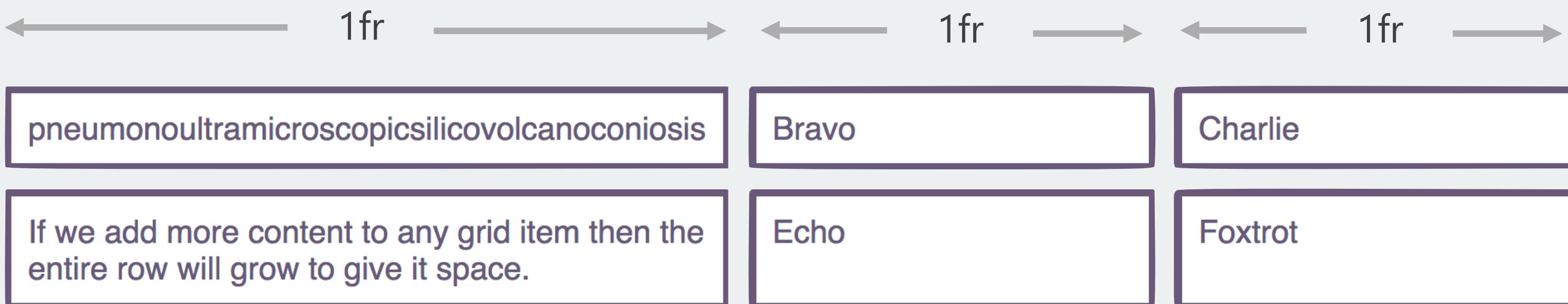


What is a fr unit anyway?

A track sized with 1fr, is actually sized minmax(auto, 1fr).

The minimum size is auto.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns: 1fr 1fr 1fr;  
}
```



What is a fr unit anyway?

Make the minimum size 0, to force three equal width columns - even if that means overflows.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    minmax(0,1fr)  
    minmax(0,1fr)  
    minmax(0,1fr);  
}
```

minmax(0,1fr)

pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanoconiosis

If we add more content to any grid item then the entire row will grow to give it space.

minmax(0,1fr)

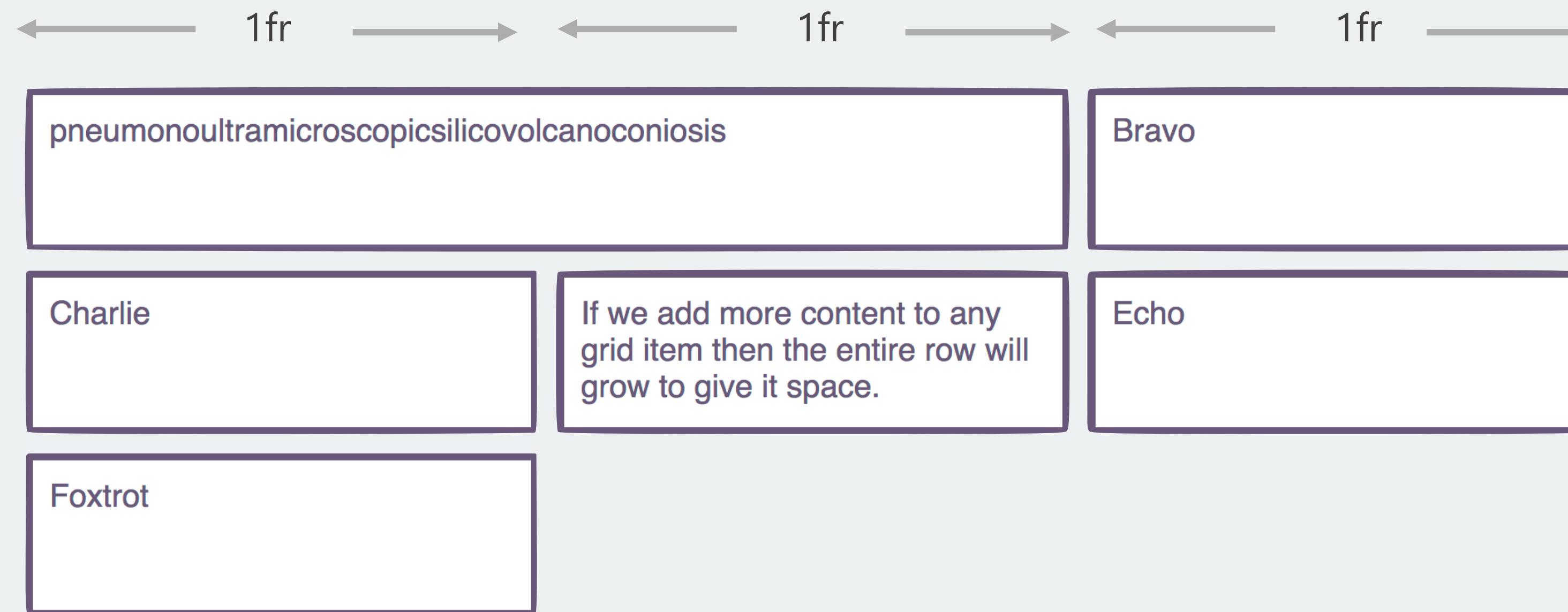
Bronchitis

Echo

minmax(0,1fr)

Charlie

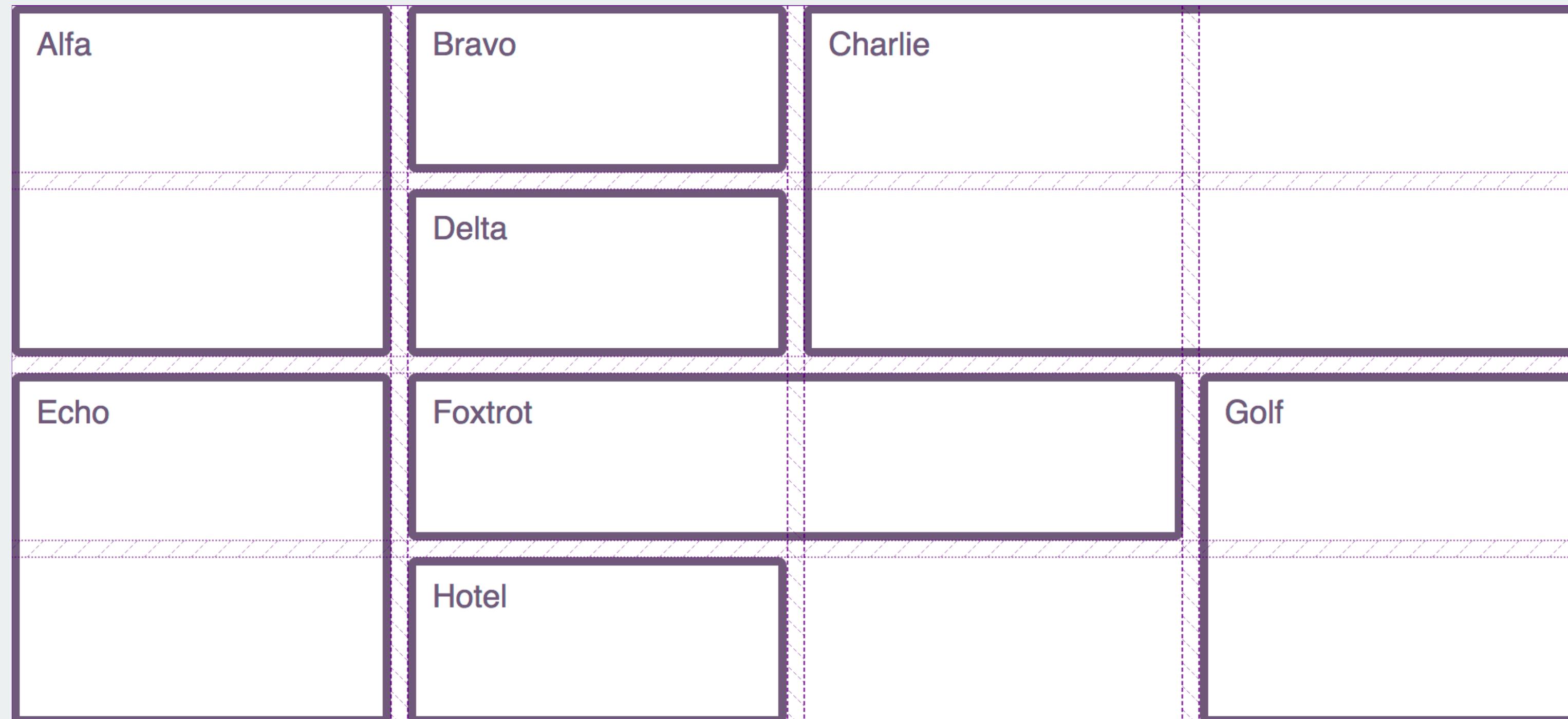
Foxtrot

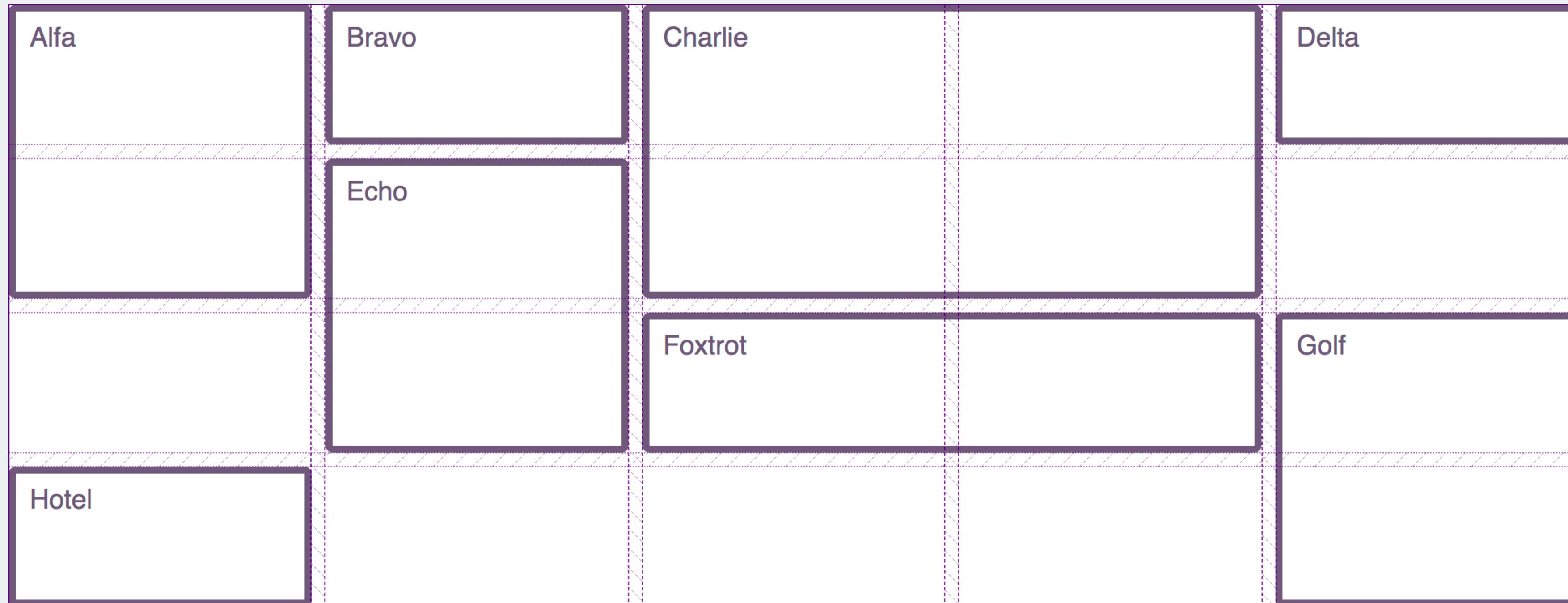


As many flexible columns as will fit

Use auto-fill or auto-fit along with repeat and minmax, to create as many flexible columns with a minimum size as will fit into the container.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    repeat(auto-fill, minmax(200px, 1fr));  
  grid-auto-rows: 100px;  
}
```

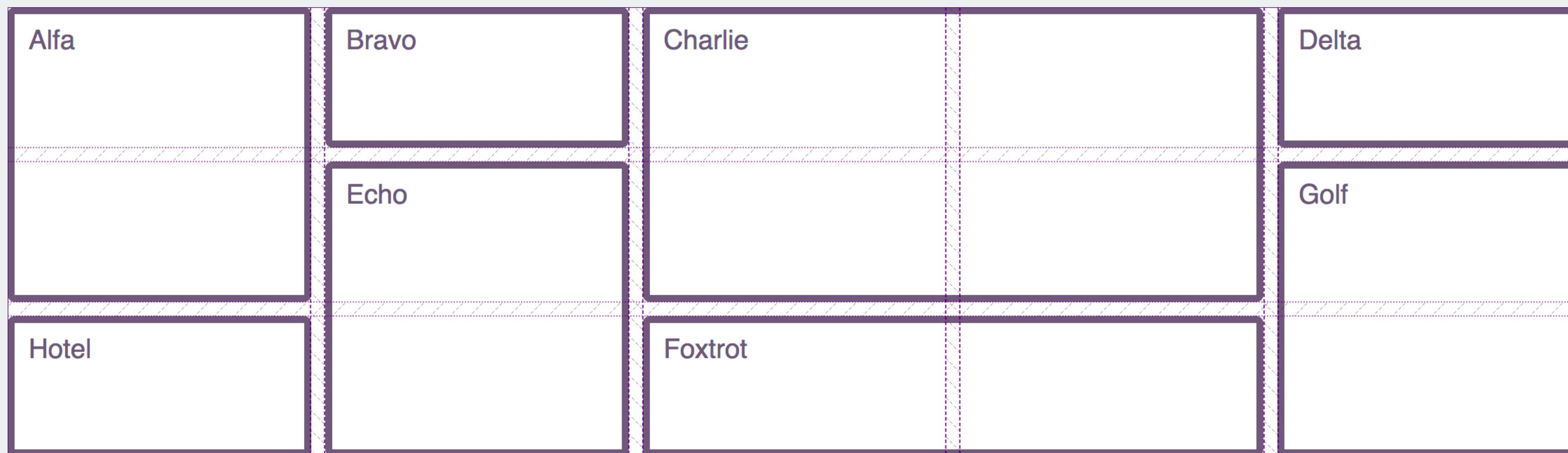




Dense Packing Mode

Using the value `dense` for `grid-auto-flow` will cause items to be displayed out of document order.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    repeat(auto-fill, minmax(200px, 1fr));  
  grid-auto-rows: 100px;  
  grid-auto-flow: dense;  
}
```



Upside down and back to front

The grid-area property

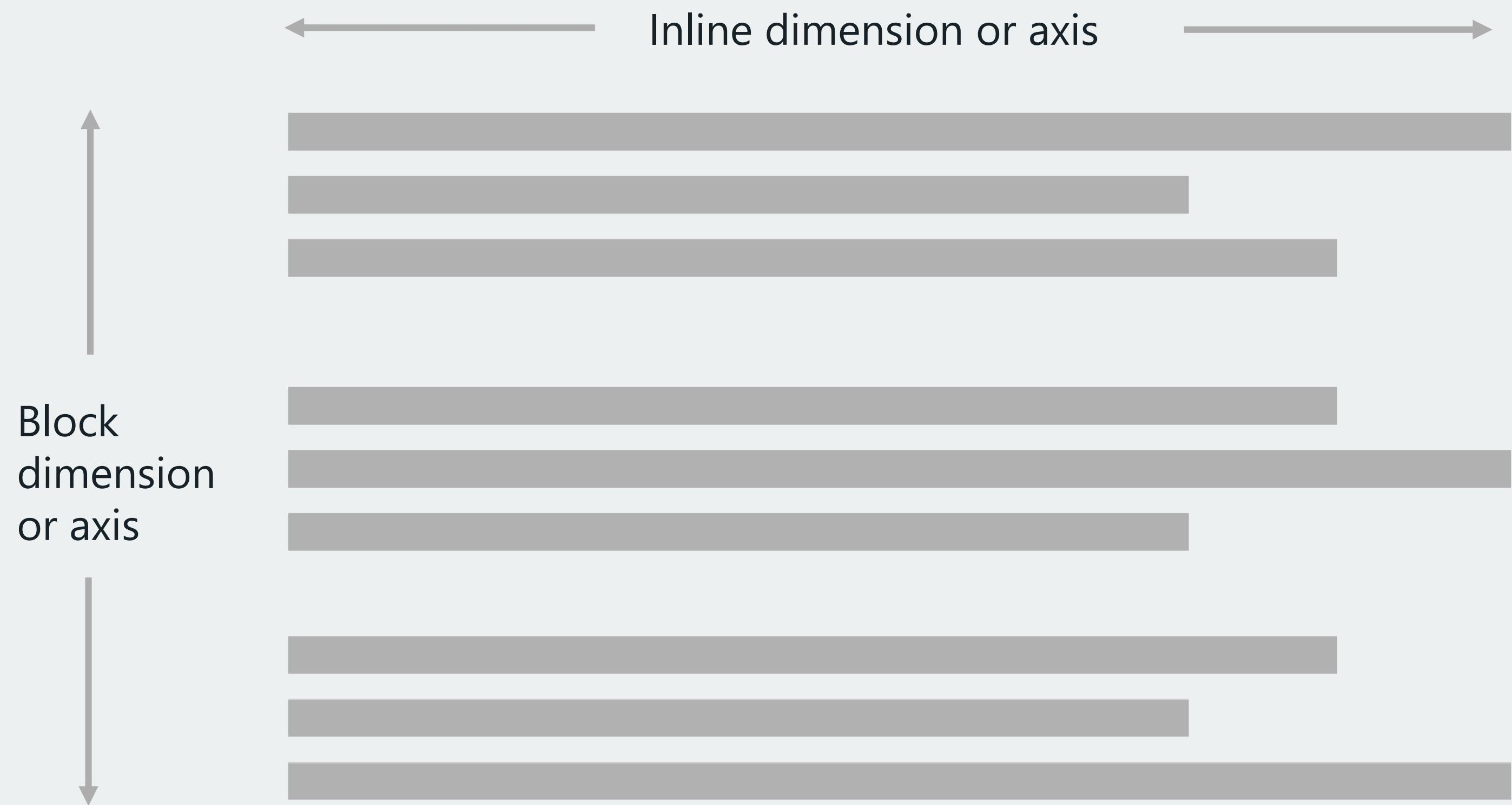
Order of the lines:

- grid-row-start
- grid-column-start
- grid-row-end
- grid-column-end

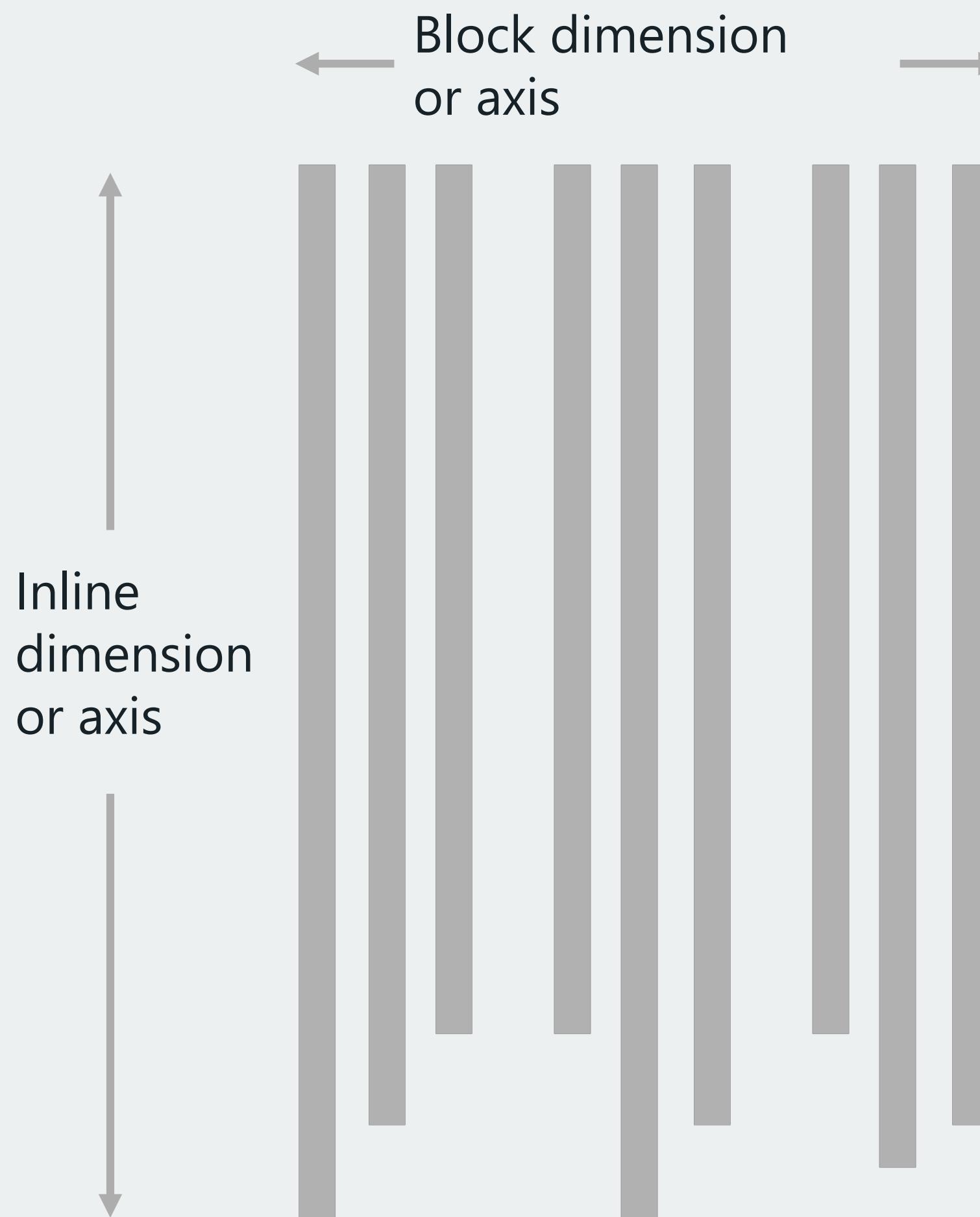
```
.item {  
  grid-area: 1 / 2 / 3 / 4;  
}
```

Logical Properties and Writing Modes

Horizontal Writing Mode



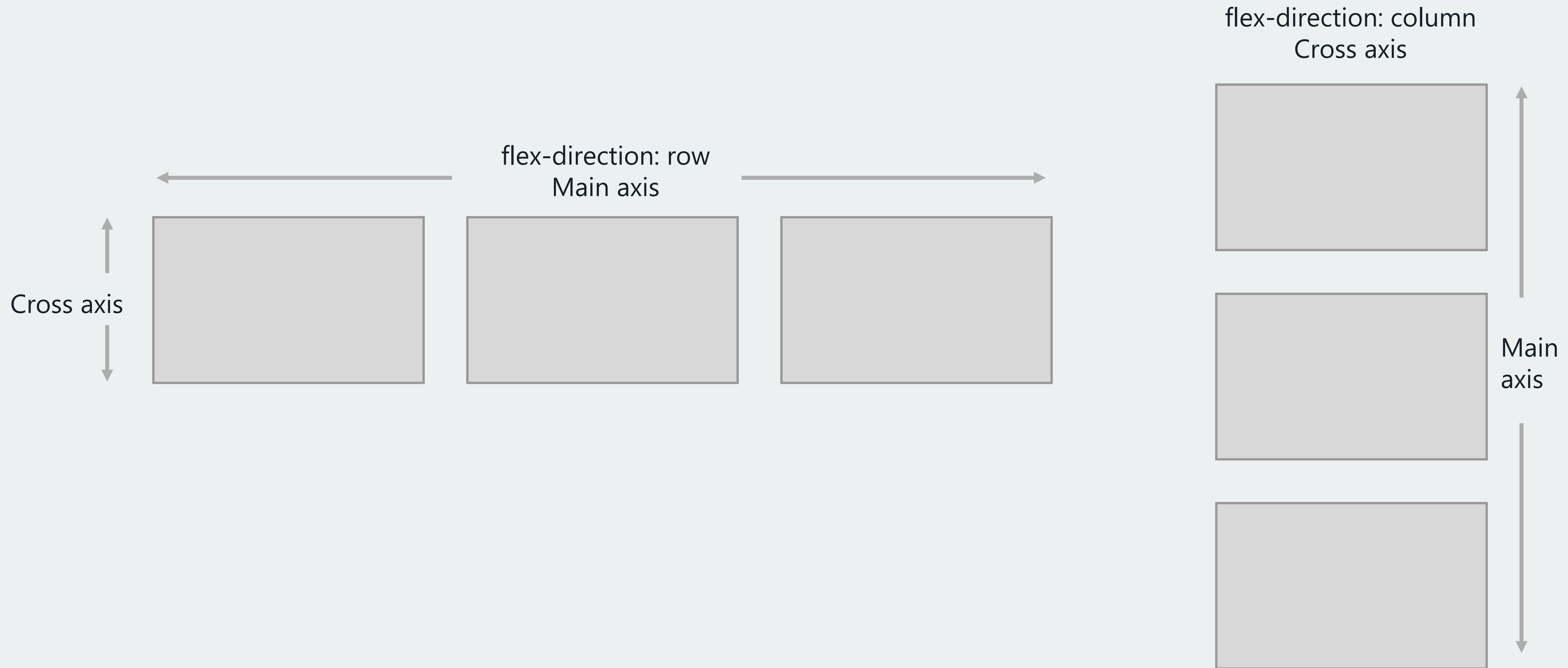
Vertical Writing Mode



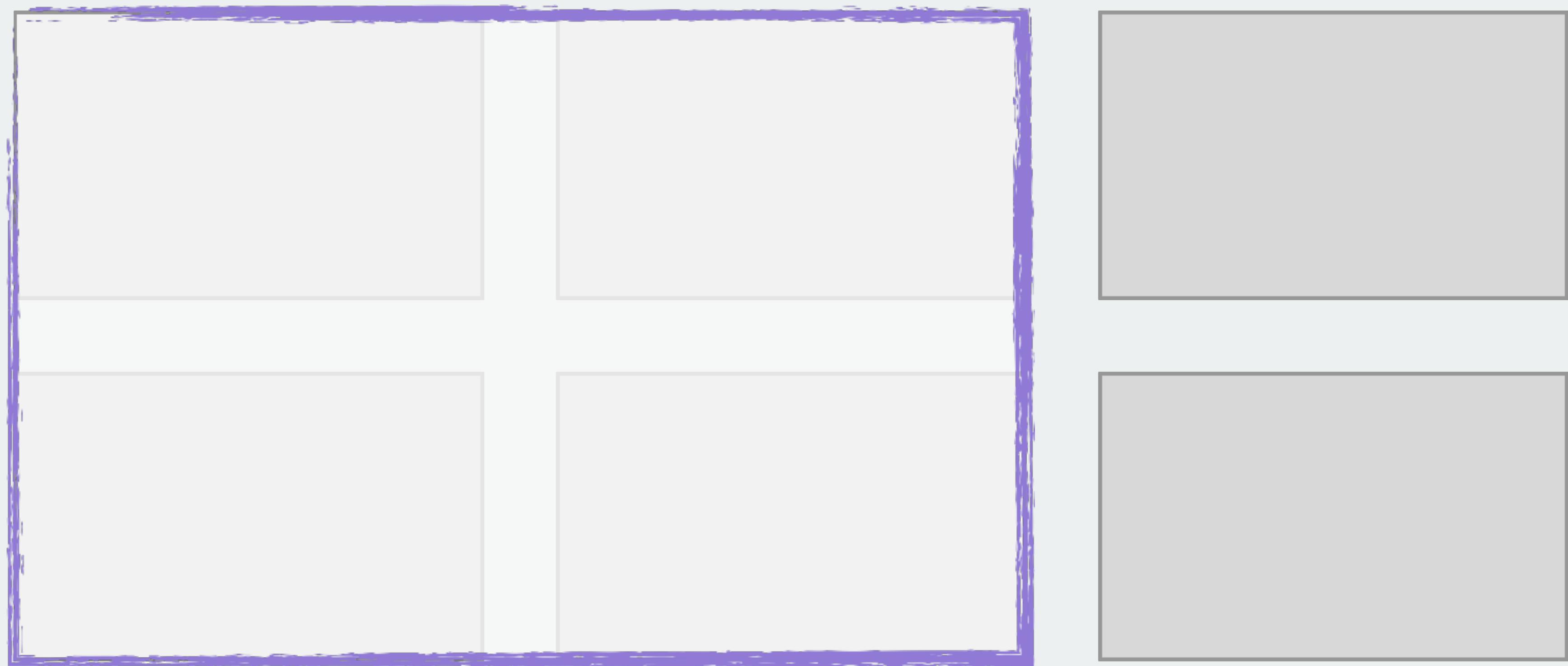
Grid Layout in Horizontal Writing Mode



Flex Layout in Horizontal Writing Mode



Horizontal LR



Horizontal LR

grid-row-start: 1

grid-column-start: 1

grid-area: 1 / 1 / 3 / 3;

grid-row-end: 3

grid-column-end: 3

Horizontal RL

grid-row-start: 1

grid-column-end: 3

grid-area: 1 / 1 / 3 / 3;

grid-column-start: 1

grid-row-end: 3

Vertical LR

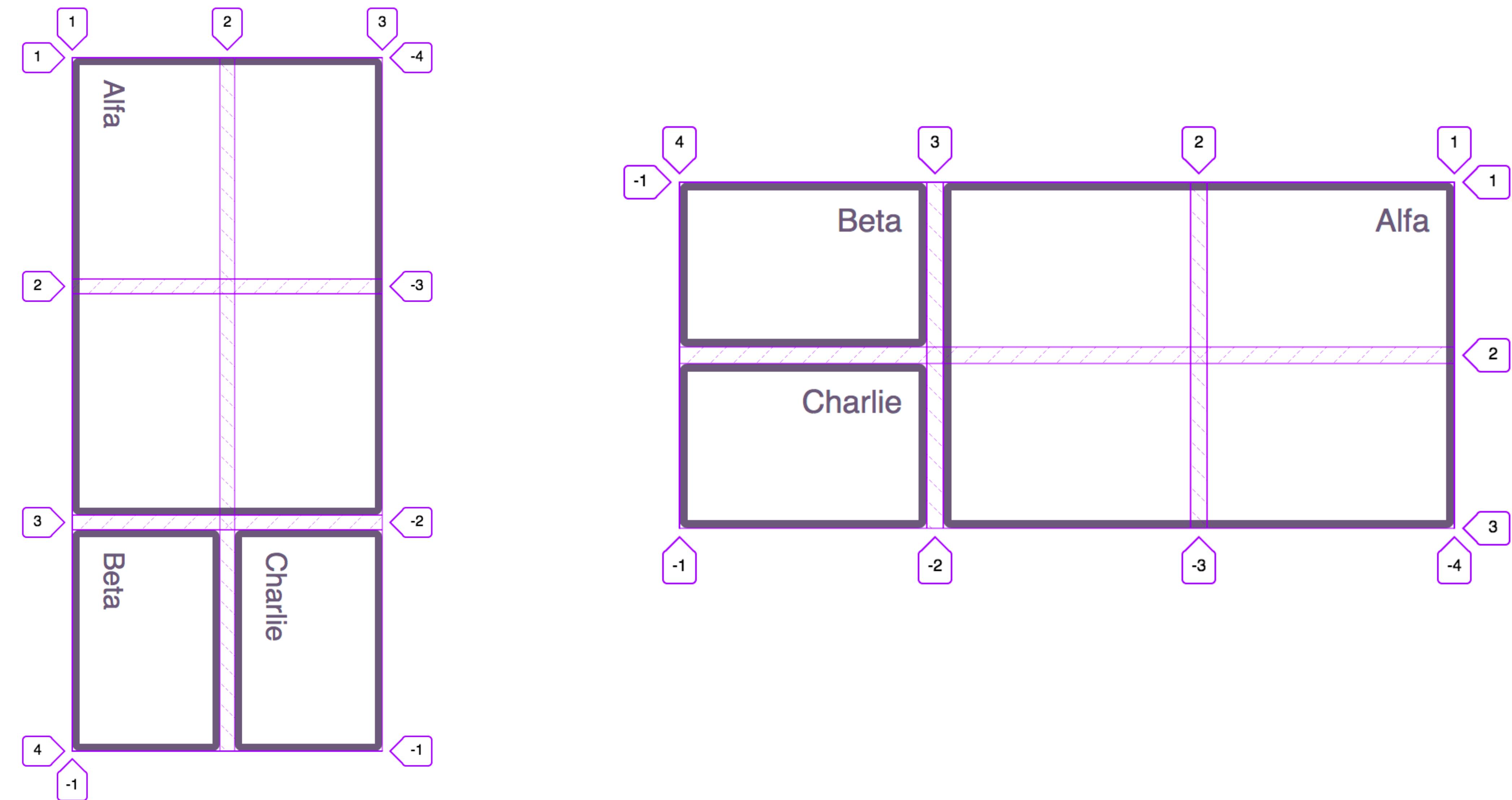
grid-column-start: 1

grid-row-start: 1

grid-area: 1 / 1 / 3 / 3;

grid-row-end: 3

grid-column-end: 3



Alignment and the Grid

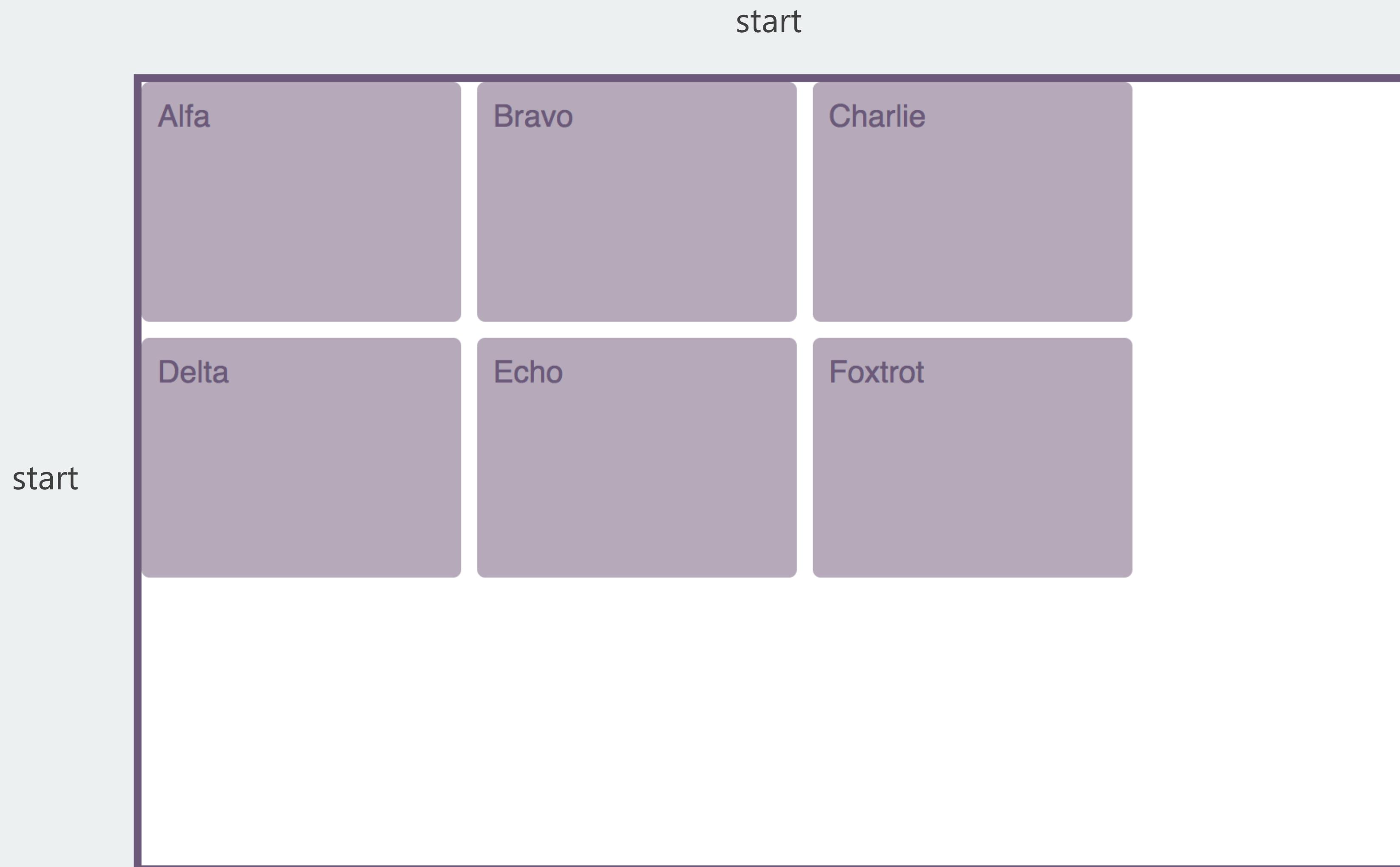
- ❖ Align the tracks:
this requires extra space in the grid container
- ❖ Align the items
move content around inside the area it has been placed into

Box Alignment Specification

Aligning tracks

The tracks created on this grid do not fill the width and height defined on the grid container.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  width: 800px;  
  height: 500px;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns: 200px 200px 200px;  
  grid-template-rows: 150px 150px;  
}
```

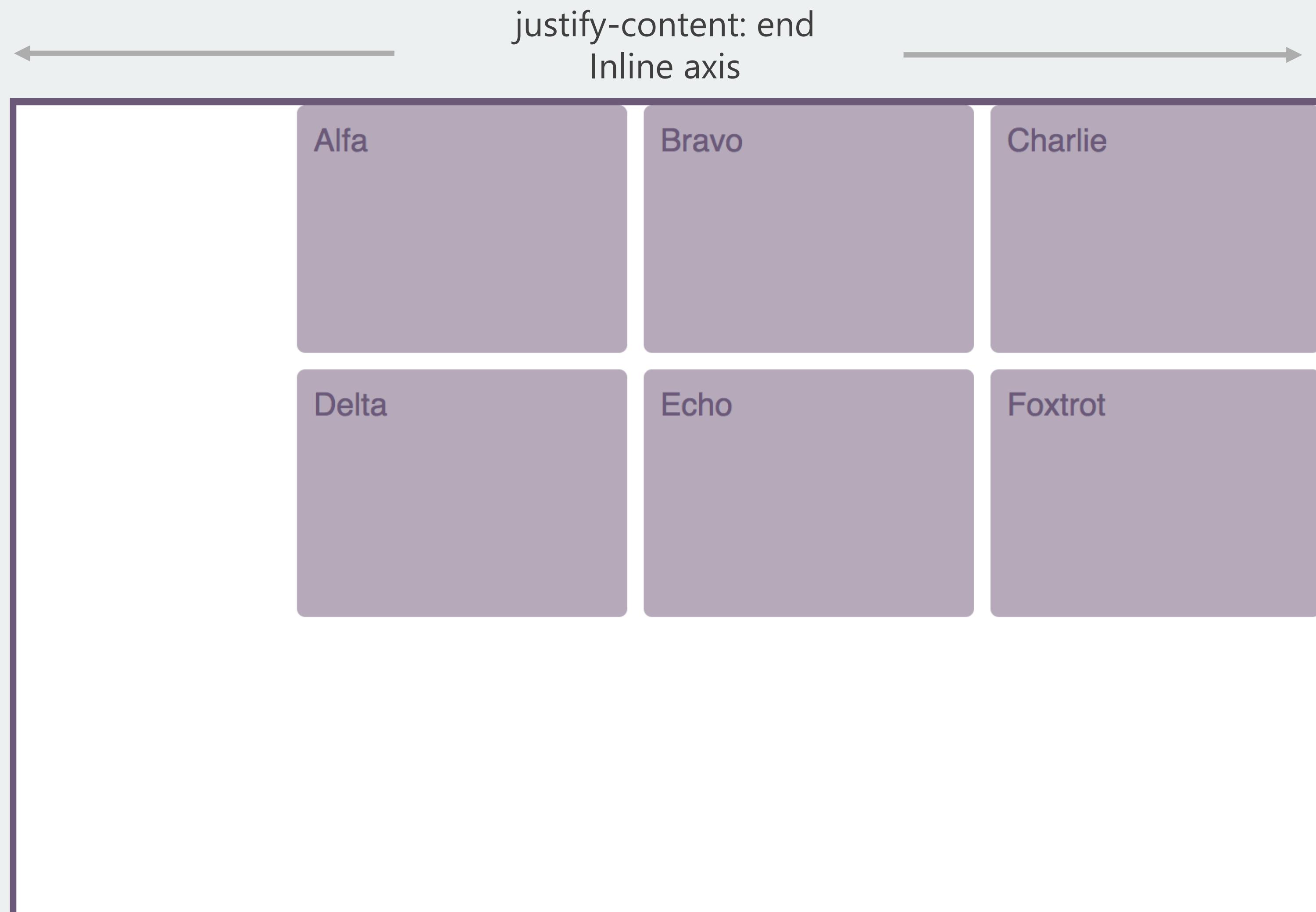


align-content and *justify-content*

Aligning tracks

What should I do with free space in the Grid Container?

- ❖ **align-content**
align tracks in the Block Dimension
- ❖ **justify-content**
align tracks in the Inline Dimension





Keyword values

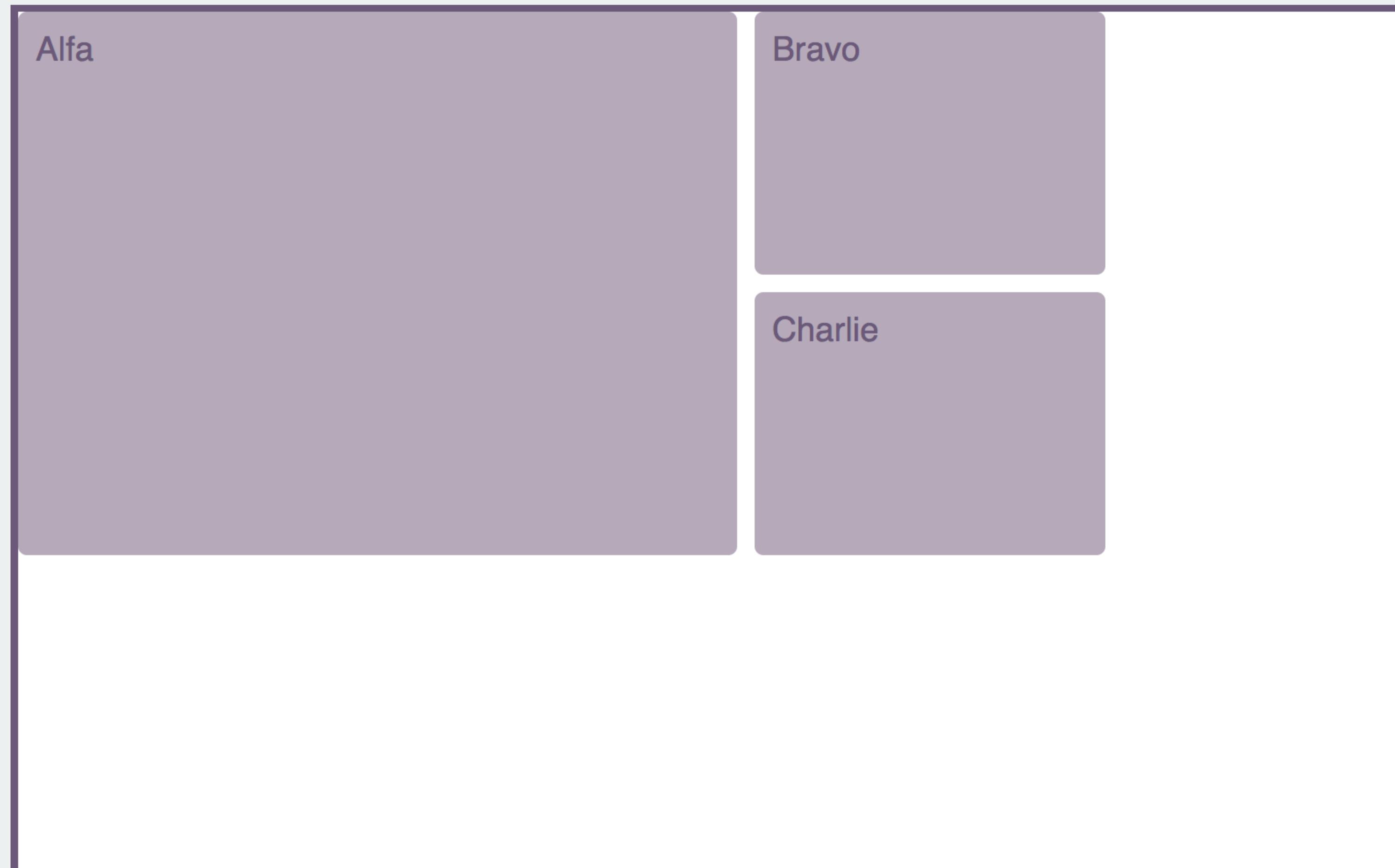
- ❖ space-between
- ❖ space-around
- ❖ space-evenly

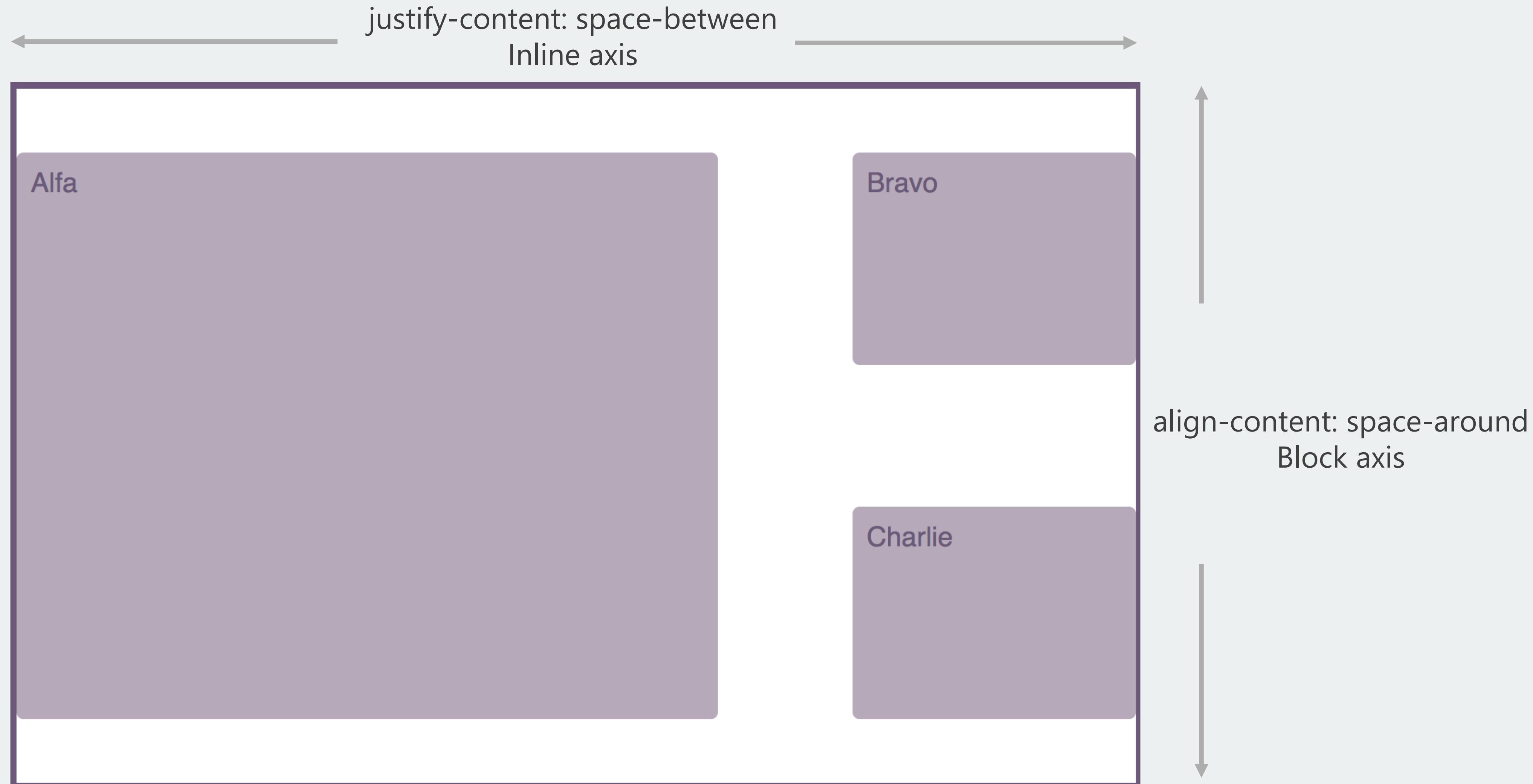
```
.grid {  
    display: grid;  
    width: 800px;  
    height: 500px;  
    grid-gap: 10px;  
    grid-template-columns: 200px 200px 200px;  
    grid-template-rows: 150px 150px;  
justify-content: space-between;  
align-content: space-around;  
}
```

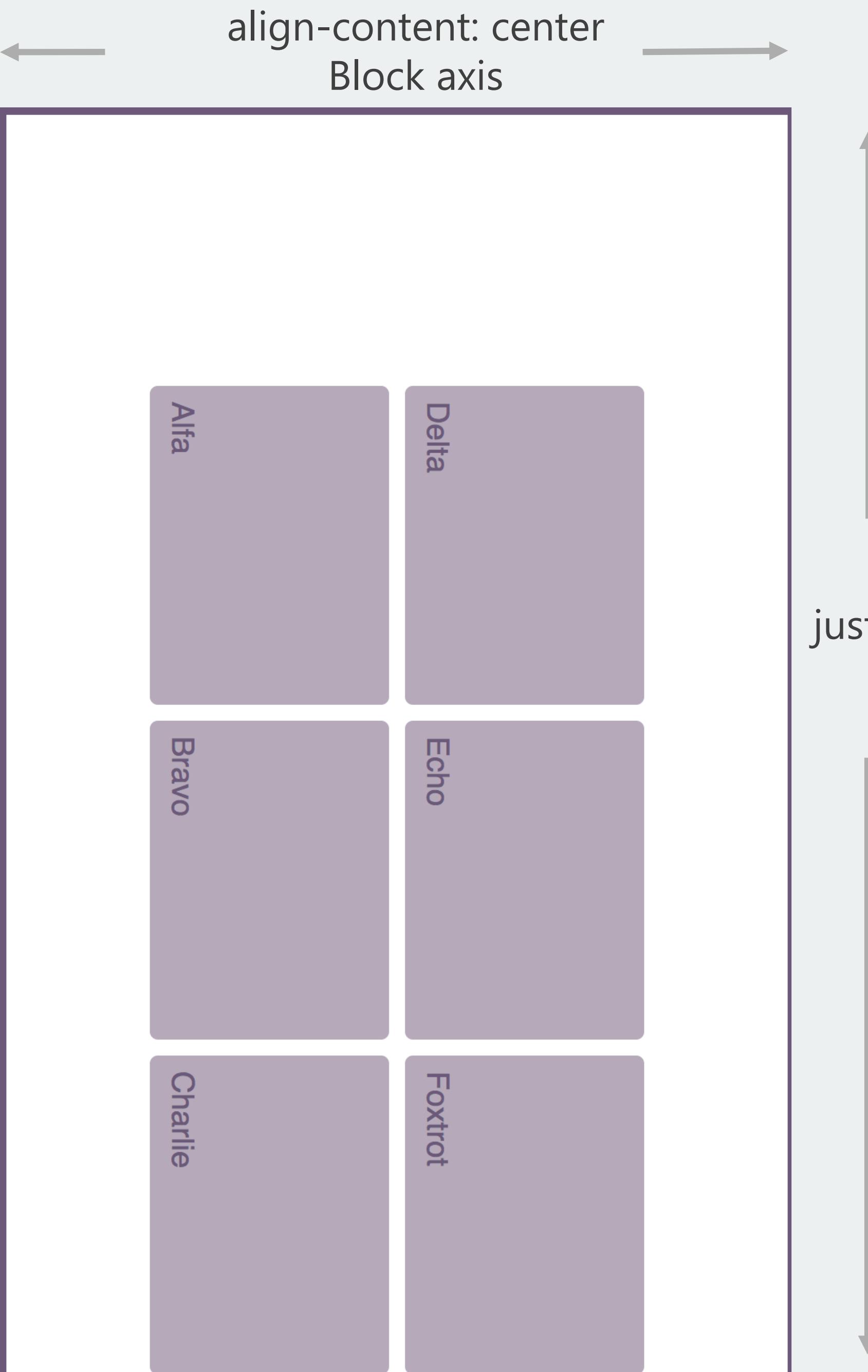
`justify-content: space-between`
Inline axis



`align-content: space-around`
Block axis







Writing Modes

Once again the grid works the same way whichever way up it is.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  inline-size: 800px;  
  block-size: 500px;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns: 200px 200px 200px;  
  grid-template-rows: 150px 150px;  
  justify-content: end;  
  align-content: center;  
  writing-mode: vertical-lr;  
}
```



In the past, CSS has tied itself to physical dimensions and directions, physically mapping the placement of elements to the left, right and

top and bottom. We `float` an element `left` or `right`, we use the positioning offset properties `top`, `left`, `bottom` and `right`. We set margins, padding, and borders as `margin-top` and `padding-left`. These physical properties and values make sense if you are working in a horizontal, top to bottom, left to right writing mode and direction.

They make less sense if you use a vertical writing mode, whether for your entire layout or for some elements. In this article, I'm going to explain how CSS is changing to support writing modes, and in doing so, I'll clear up some of the things that might confuse you about Flexbox and Grid.

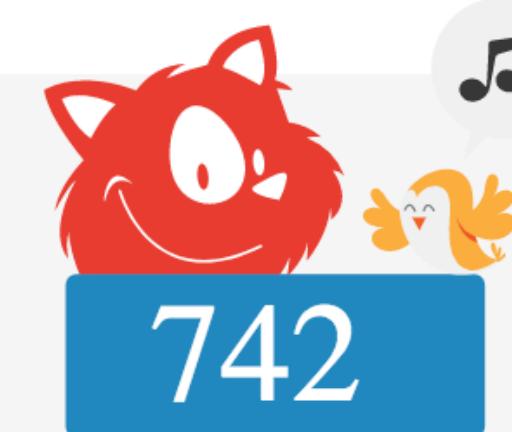
When I first began working with CSS Grid and explaining the new specification to people, I noted that the `grid-area` property could be used as a one-line shorthand for setting all four lines. Therefore, the three examples below would result in the same item placement. The first uses the longhand properties, the second specifies start and end lines for each dimension, and the third uses `grid-area`.

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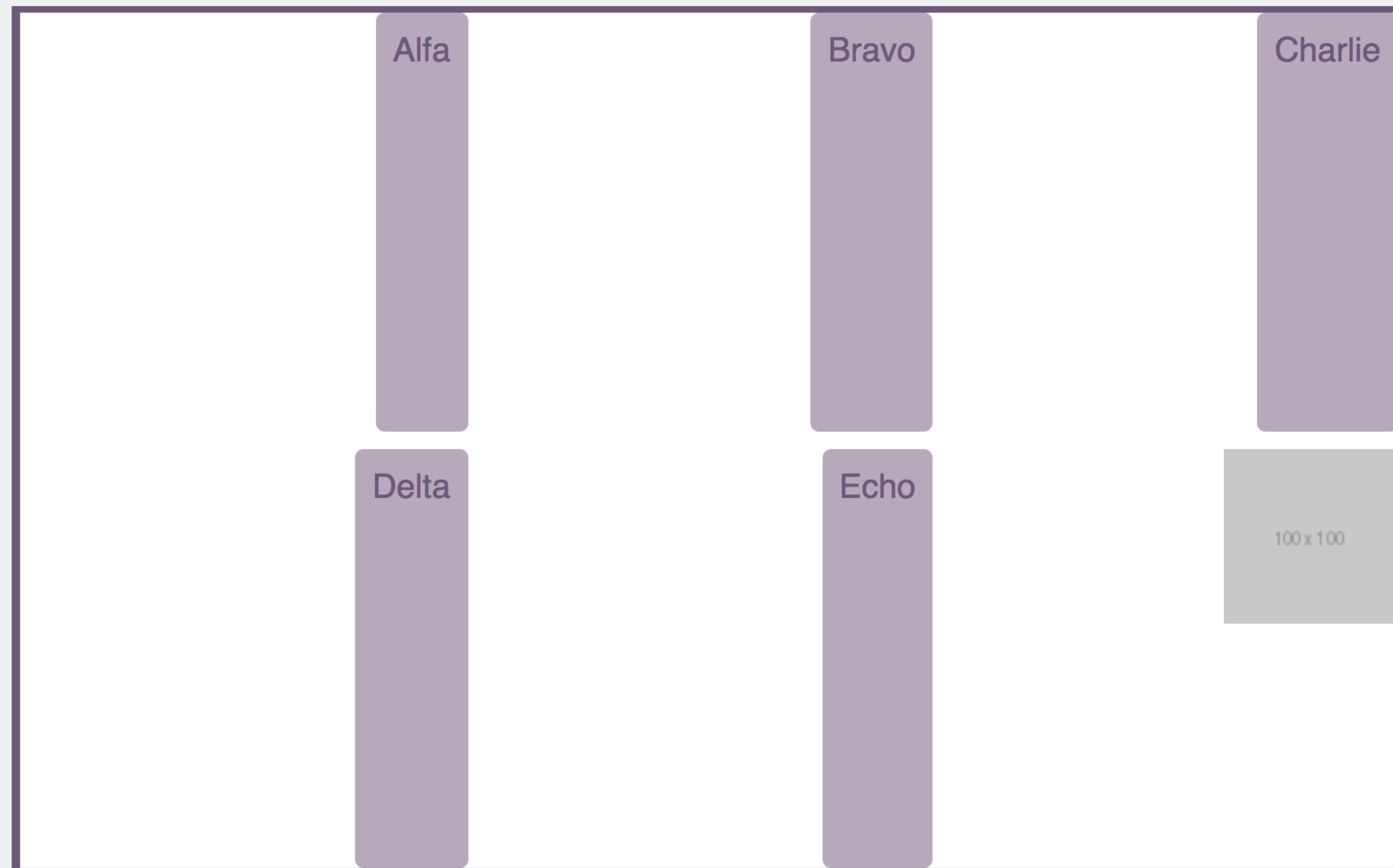
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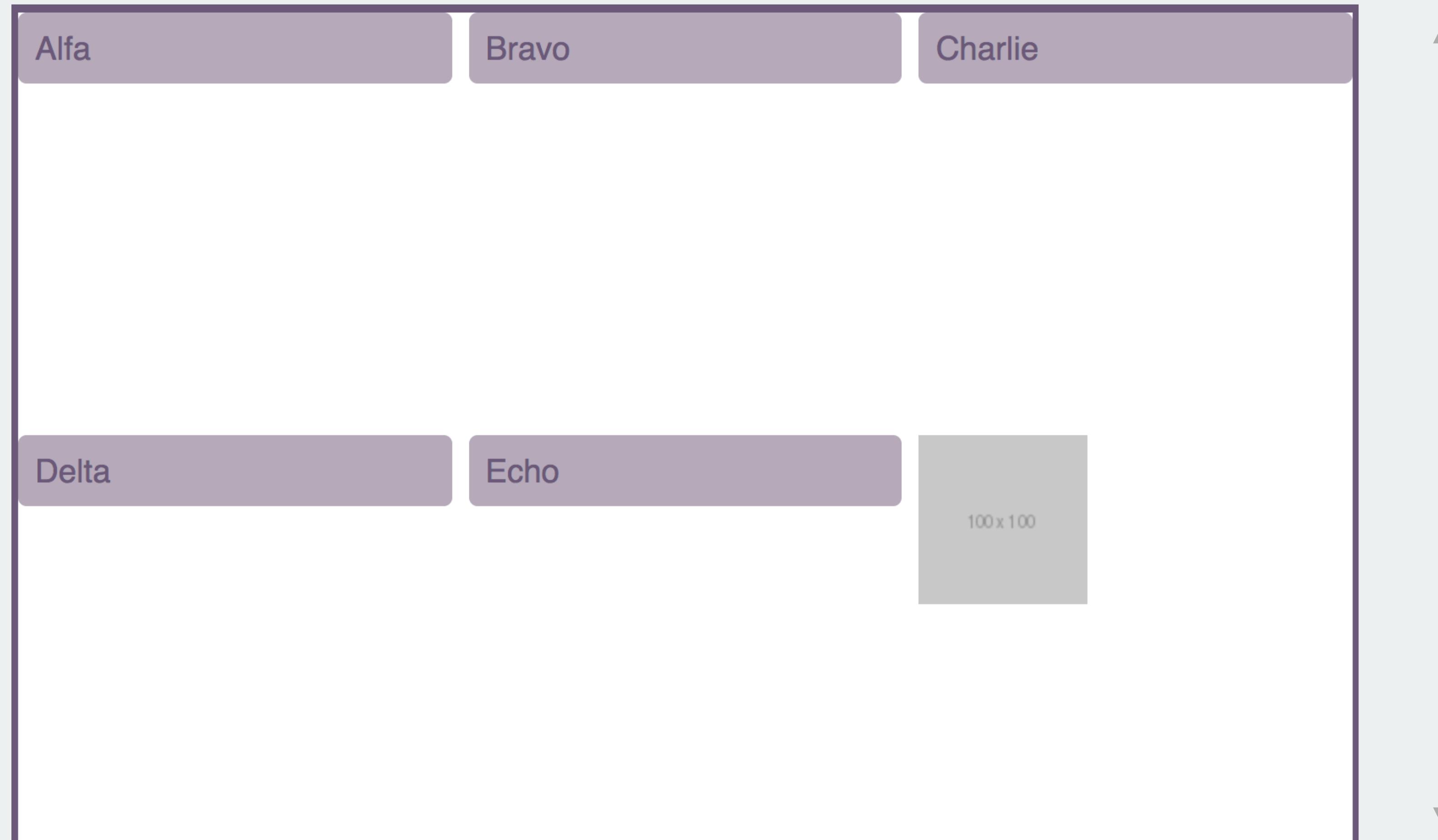
Setting the align-self and justify-self values of individual Grid Items.

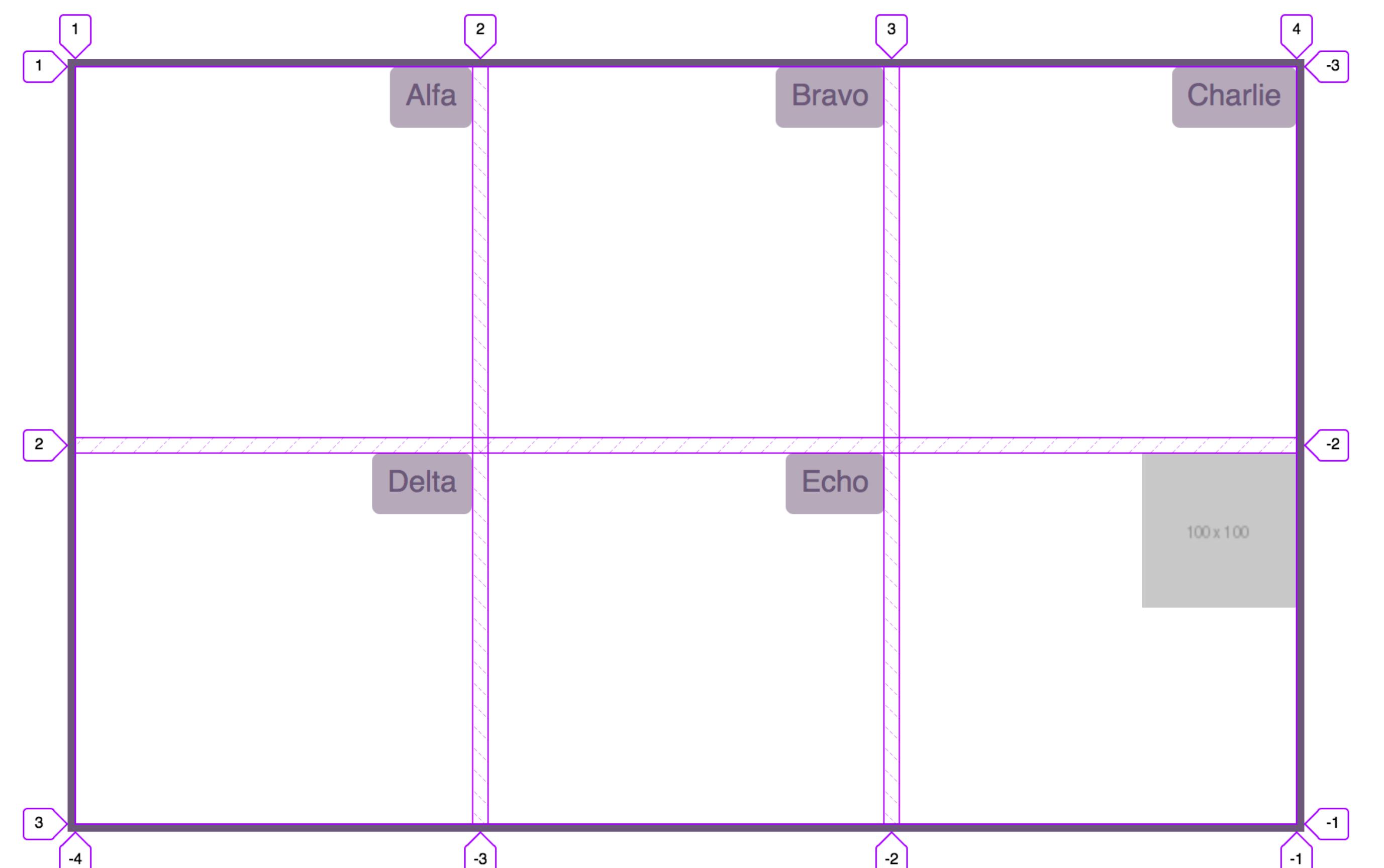
- ❖ align-items / align-self
set alignment of items in the Block Dimension
- ❖ justify-items / justify-self
set alignment of items in the Inline Dimension



justify-items: end
Inline axis







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Grid

Overlay Grid

`div.grid`

Display line numbers
 Display area names
 Extend lines infinitely

```
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  <iframe id="result" class="result-iframe" src="https://s.codepen.io/rachelandrew/fullpage/dmmQVg" sandbox="allow-same-origin allow-scripts allow-pointer-lock allow-popups allow-modals allow-forms" allow="geolocation; microphone; camera; midi; vr" allowtransparency="true" allowfullscreen="true">
    #document
      <!DOCTYPE html>
      <html lang="en">
        <head></head>
        <body translate="no">
          <div class="grid"></div>
        </body>
      </html>
```

html > body.fullpage.logged-in > div#result-frame-wrap > iframe#result.result-iframe > html > body > div.grid

align-self and *justify-self*

Target individual items to set alignment.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  width: 800px;  
  height: 500px;  
  grid-gap: 10px;  
  grid-template-columns: 1fr 1fr 1fr;  
  grid-template-rows: 1fr 1fr;  
  align-items: start;  
  justify-items: end;  
}  
  
.grid img {  
  align-self: stretch;  
  justify-self: stretch;  
}
```



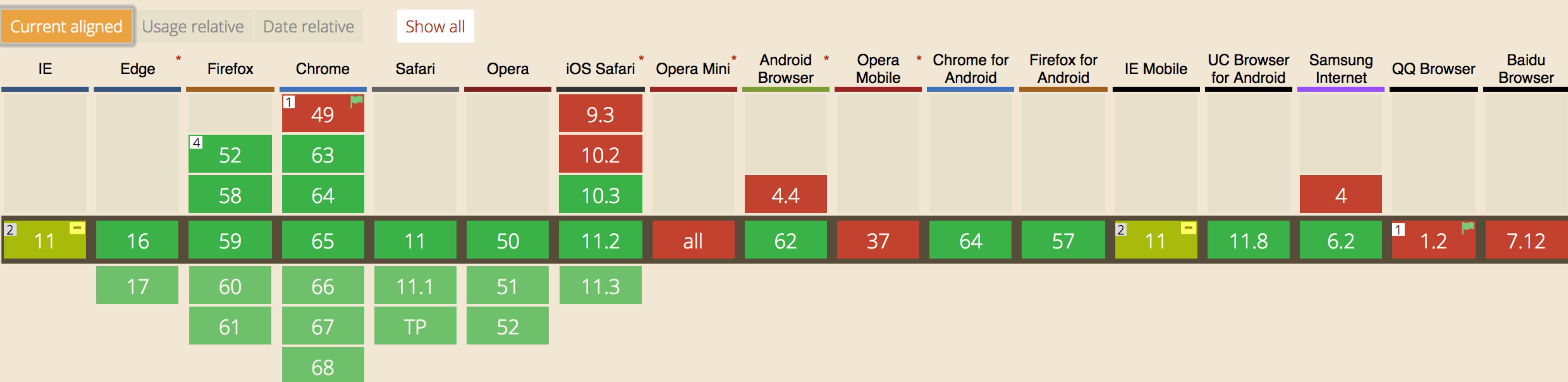
“Where is my magic Grid Polyfill?”

Please stop asking me this question.

CSS Grid Layout - CR

Method of using a grid concept to lay out content, providing a mechanism for authors to divide available space for layout into columns and rows using a set of predictable sizing behaviors.
Includes support for all `grid-*` properties and the `fr` unit.

Usage
Global
unprefixed:
% of all users
84.14% + 3.42% = 87.56%



Notes

Known issues (2)

Resources (13)

Feedback

¹ Enabled in Chrome through the "experimental Web Platform features" flag in chrome://flags

² Partial support in IE refers to supporting an [older version](#) of the specification.

⁴ There are some bugs with overflow ([1356820](#), [1348857](#), [1350925](#))

To polyfill grid is to force expensive JavaScript onto the slowest browsers and devices.

New CSS can help you create better experiences
in browsers that don't support new CSS.

A 12 column layout

This is all you need. No framework required.

```
.grid {  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns: repeat(12, 1fr);  
  grid-auto-rows: 100px;  
  grid-gap: 20px;  
}  
  
.four-cols { grid-column: auto / span 4; }  
  
.three-cols { grid-column: auto / span 3; }  
  
.six-cols { grid-column: auto / span 6; }
```

New CSS knows about old CSS

- ❖ Media Queries:
tailor your design according to features of the device
- ❖ Feature Queries:
tailor your design to the support in the browser



Adding a vertical centre line either side of the text

Using generated content to add a border.

```
header h1 {  
    text-align: center;  
    display: grid;  
    grid-template-columns: 1fr auto 1fr;  
    grid-gap: 20px;  
}  
  
header h1:before,  
header h1:after {  
    content: "";  
    align-self: center;  
    border-top: 1px solid rgba(37,46,63,.5);  
}
```

Heading here



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zucchini.

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tomatillo melon azuki bean garlic.

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cauliflower sea lettuce kohlrabi amaranth water
spinach avocado daikon napa cabbage asparagus

Feature Queries

Test for a CSS feature, and apply the CSS if it exists in that browser.

```
header h1 {  
    text-align: center;  
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}  
  
@supports (display: grid) {  
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    }  
}
```

No Grid

Heading here



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Grid

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Creating circles from squares

Use border-radius

Don't forget that old CSS still exists!

```
header img {  
    border-radius: 50%;  
    margin: 0 auto 2em auto;  
}
```

CSS Shapes

Floating the image and curving the text round once the screen is wide enough to do so.

```
header img {  
    border-radius: 50%;  
    margin: 0 auto 2em auto;  
}  
  
@media (min-width: 30em) {  
    header img {  
        float: left;  
        shape-outside: margin-box;  
        margin: 0 20px 0 0;  
    }  
}
```

Heading here



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Multi-column layout

Well supported, responsive by default.

```
section {  
  column-width: 15em;  
}
```

Vertical Media Queries

Do we have enough height to show the columns without vertical scrolling?

```
@media (min-height: 500px) {  
  section {  
    column-width: 15em;  
  }  
}
```


Creating columns of cards

Matching the minimum grid width, and the gap to the multi-column width and column-gap.

```
.resources {  
  max-width: 60em;  
}  
  
.resources {  
  margin: 1em auto;  
  padding: 0;  
  list-style: none;  
  display: grid;  
  grid-template-columns:  
    repeat(auto-fill, minmax(15em, 1fr));  
  grid-gap: 1em;  
}  
  
.resources li.image {  
  grid-row: auto / span 2;  
}
```



Using in-line-block as a fallback

We only need to over-ride the width and margin in a Feature Query.

```
@media (min-width: 40em) {  
  .resources li {  
    display: inline-block;  
    width: 47%;  
    margin: 0 1% 1em 1%;  
    vertical-align: top;  
  }  
  
}  
  
@supports (display: grid) {  
  .resources li {  
    width: auto;  
    margin: 0;  
  }  
}
```



Using multi-column layout as a fallback

We don't need to override the column-* properties. They are ignored once we are in grid layout.

```
@media (min-width: 40em) {  
  .resources {  
    column-width: 15em;  
  }  
  
  .resources li {  
    break-inside: avoid;  
  }  
}
```



We can achieve a lot with a little CSS.

Before worrying if a technique performs well, ask yourself if you need it at all.

Reframe the browser support
conversation.

We have the tools to provide great experiences for everyone.

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