



# CSS-based SlideShow System

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# Introduction



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# Navigation

Only through keyboard for now :(

- ✓ → or ↓ to advance to the next slide or incrementally displayed item
- ✓ ← or ↑ to go to the previous slide or incrementally displayed item
- ✓ Ctrl\* + → or Ctrl\* + ↓ to jump to the next slide
- ✓ Ctrl\* + ← or Ctrl\* + ↑ to jump to the previous slide
- ✓ Home to go to the first slide, End to go to the last
- ✓ Ctrl\* + G to jump to an arbitrary slide (by slide number or identifier)

\* Ctrl or Shift actually. Only Shift works in Opera.

# Features



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**Cool, huh? You can press Ctrl+Shift+H to see all slides (warning: can be slow!)**



# Timer

- ✓ Timer in the form of a progress bar on the top
- ✓ Define the talk duration with the attribute `data-duration` on the `body`
- ✓ Style the timer and the end state with the selectors `#timer` and `#timer.end` respectively.

# Presenter view

**This slide has presenter notes. They are only visible in presenter view (Ctrl+P or Shift+P).**



# <style scoped />

You can use the HTML5 `scoped` attribute on style elements in slides, to only style the current slide or inside sections that include multiple slides to style all of them and nothing else.

For example, inspect this slide and then run

```
$$('style[scoped]')[0].sheet.cssRules[0].selectorText
```

in the console to see how the original selector gets changed.

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- ✓ **Document.title** changing according to slide title (fetched either from the `title` attribute or the slide's heading)

# Drawbacks

- ✓ **Only supports modern browsers. Why?**
  - More lightweight
  - Easier to understand code
  - It's a presentation, so the environment is controlled anyway
- ✓ **No mouse click to advance to the next slide. I consider it annoying.**
- ✓ **Doesn't work in mobile :(**



# Plugins

# Plugin: CSS Snippets

```
new CSSSnippet(document.getElementById('snippet'));
```

- ✓ **Dynamically edit CSS and reflect the results in any element's style**

- Which one? Specify a selector with the `data-subject` attribute or leave blank for the slide to be the subject

- ✓ **Automatically prefixes CSS3 properties/values, when needed**

- Also does it with the style attribute (statically) if the element is not a text field (doesn't work in IE and Firefox 3.6)

- ✓ **Textarea automatically adjusts rows/font-size on line break (use class `dont-adjust` to turn off)**



# CSS Snippets demo

**Edit the following CSS code:**

```
background-color:red;  
background-image: linear-gradient(red, #600)
```

# CSS Snippets: raw CSS

```
@keyframes rainbow {  
    from, to { background: red }  
    16% { background: yellow }  
    33% { background: green }  
    50% { background: aqua }  
    66% { background: blue }  
    83% { background: fuchsia }  
}  
  
#animation-demo { animation: 30s rainbow infinite; }
```



# Plugin: CSS Controls

- ✓ **Use sliders and other controls to adjust CSS values**

- Which one? Specify a selector with the `data-subject` attribute or leave blank for the slide to be the subject

- Specify style with `data-style` (use `{value}` where the result will be)

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# CSS Controls demo

Slide lightness:

border-width:

font-family:



# Plugin: Code highlight

- ✓ Syntax highlighting for every `<code>` element with a `lang` attribute.
- ✓ Only highlights when the slide becomes active, for performance
- ✓ Currently only supports JavaScript, but it's easy to add any language
- ✓ Styling done through easy to understand classes like `.string` or `.comment`

# Code highlight example

```
// Comment
document.addEventListener('DOMAttrModified', function(e) {
  var node = e.target, attr = e.attrName;
  if(/^input$/i.test(node.nodeName)
    && (attr === 'placeholder' || attr === 'value')
    || foo > 5)
    Placeholder.update(node);
}, false);
```



# Thank you!

Get it or contribute at <http://github.com/LeaVerou/CSSS>

Credits:

- ✓ [Colored wood background by Luke Roberts](#)
- ✓ The name CSSS is actually inspired by S5, as you could probably guess ;-)
- ✓ A big thanks to the community at Github for various contributions to this project