

Recursive (Beta v1.014, Aug 2019, 3da10a84)
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https://recursive.design

A highly customizable variable font for design, code, and UI.

Recursive is a versatile new variable font with five stylistic axes. These variation axes enable customizable control within five stylistic ranges: Proportion, Expression, Weight, Slant, and Italic. Carefully-planned named instances also allow selection within a set of predefined styles.

Recursive offers a range of personality, from a sturdy, rational Linear to a friendly, energetic Casual. It comes in two subfamilies: Mono & Sans. Within these subfamilies, characters maintain the exact same width across all font styles. This allows for smooth stylistic transitions without affecting line length, enabling new levels of typographic flexibility & interactivity.

Flip the pages to see Recursive in motion!

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PROP	0.00	*
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ital	1.00	***************************************



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wght 645.68 ....*

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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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PROP 0.00 *

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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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PROP 0.00 *

XPRN 0.54 ·····*

wght 569.08 ····*

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ital 0.00 *
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XPRN 0.51 ·····

wght 554.39 ····

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ital 0.00 *
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XPRN 0.48 .....*

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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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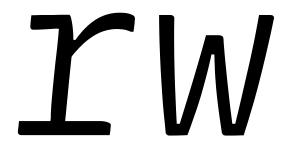
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ital 0.00 *
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PROP 0.00 *

XPRN 0.16 ····*

wght 381.87 ···*

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ital 0.00 *
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wght 372.56 ····*

slnt -4.94 ·····

ital 0.00 *
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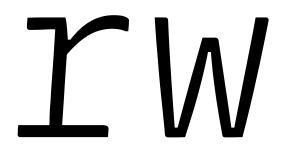
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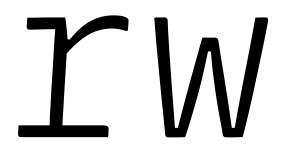
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ital 0.00 *
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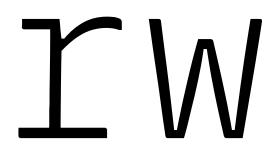
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ital 0.00 *
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ital 0.00 *
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PROP 0.00 *
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PROP 0.00 *
XPRN 0.00 *
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