HTML&CSS

design and build websites



CHOOSING IMAGES FOR YOUR SITE

Images can set the tone for a site in less time than it takes to read a description.

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Images are subject to copyright but there are stock photography sites where you can buy them.





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Close up of Macaroons

#142005187

By: Li Kim Goh

RF

Collection: Photodisc













CHOOSING IMAGES FOR YOUR SITE

If a page shows several photos of products or members of a team, keep them consistent.

SHOPPING BAG 0 items

CHECKOUT

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* clothes

shoes & bags

home > clothes > dresses > fit & flare

jewellery & accessories

christmas

for your home

EXPLORE

new arrivals our favourite dresses winter whites sequin + shine those we fancy occasion dresses

SHOP BY CATEGORY dresses

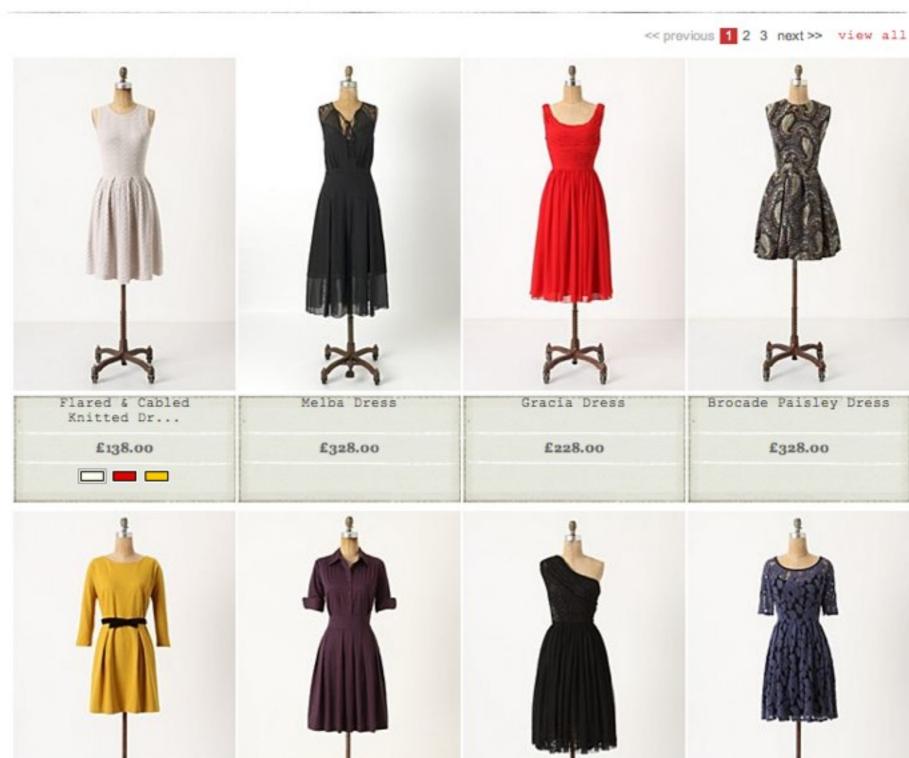
column knitted

*fit & flare

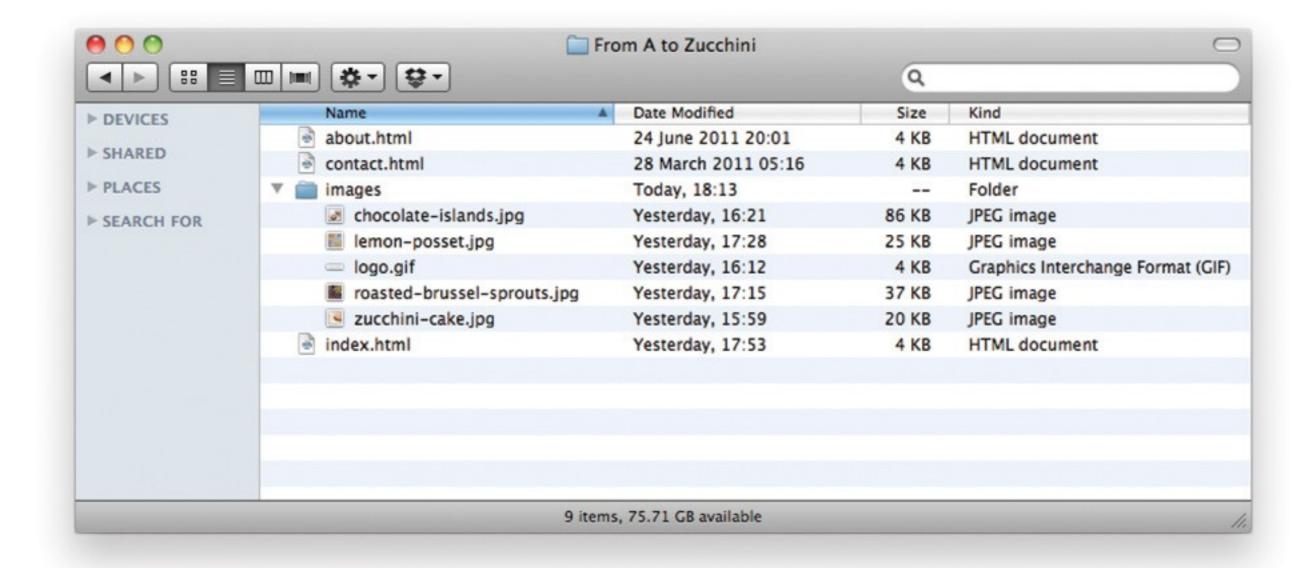
printed block colour

tops & tees shirts & blouses knitwear coats & jackets skirts denim & trousers shorts sleep & lounge lingerie tights & socks sale





STORING IMAGES ON YOUR SITE



ADDING IMAGES

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HTML
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```
<img src="images/quokka.jpg"
    alt="A family of quokka"
    title="The quokka is an Australian
        marsupial that is similar in
        size to the domestic cat" />
```

RESULT



HEIGHT & WIDTH OF IMAGES

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WHERE TO PLACE IMAGES IN YOUR CODE

HTML

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<img src="images/bird.gif" alt="bird" width="100" height="100" valign="top" />
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<img src="images/bird.gif" alt="bird" width="100" height="100" valign="middle" />
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<img src="images/bird.gif" alt="bird" width="100" height="100" valign="bottom" />
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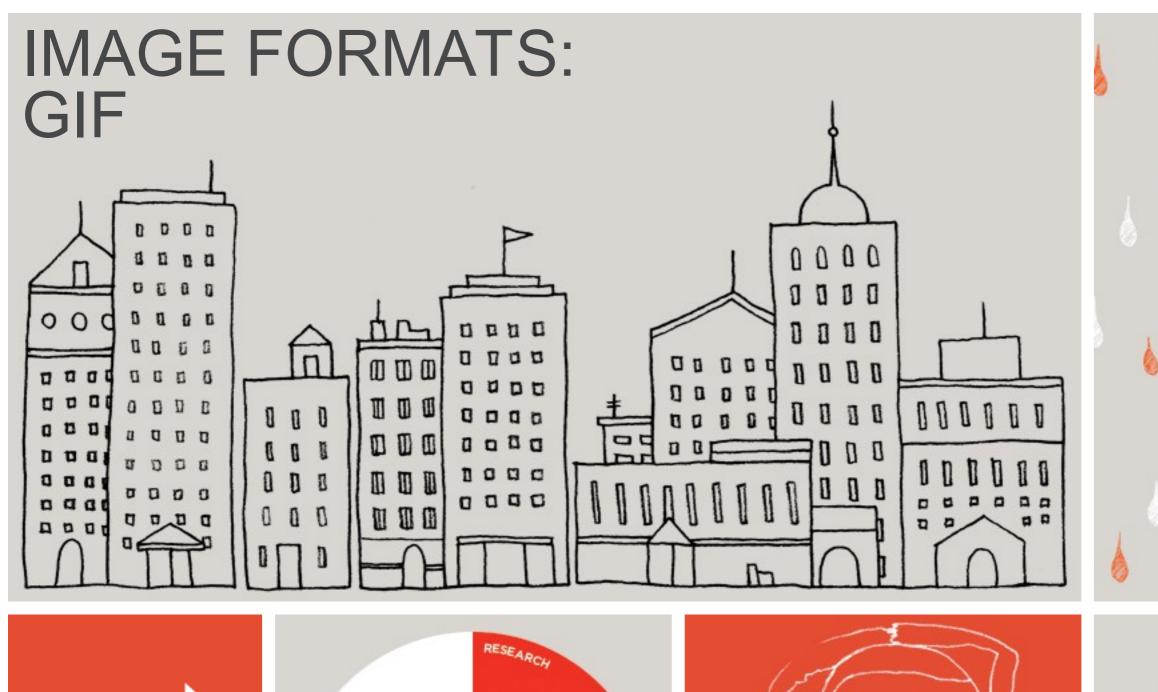






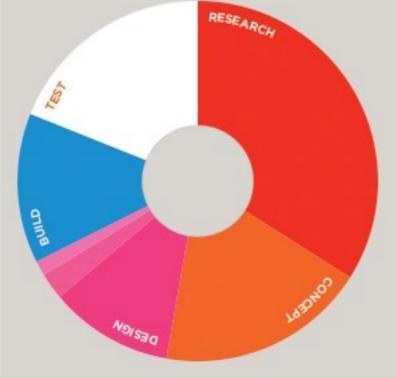












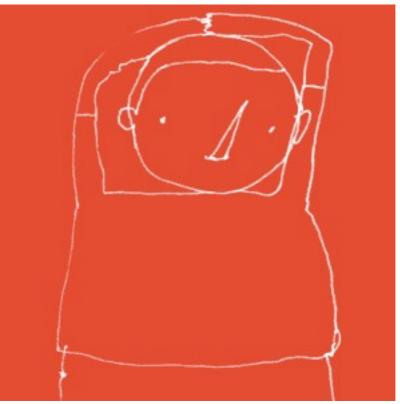
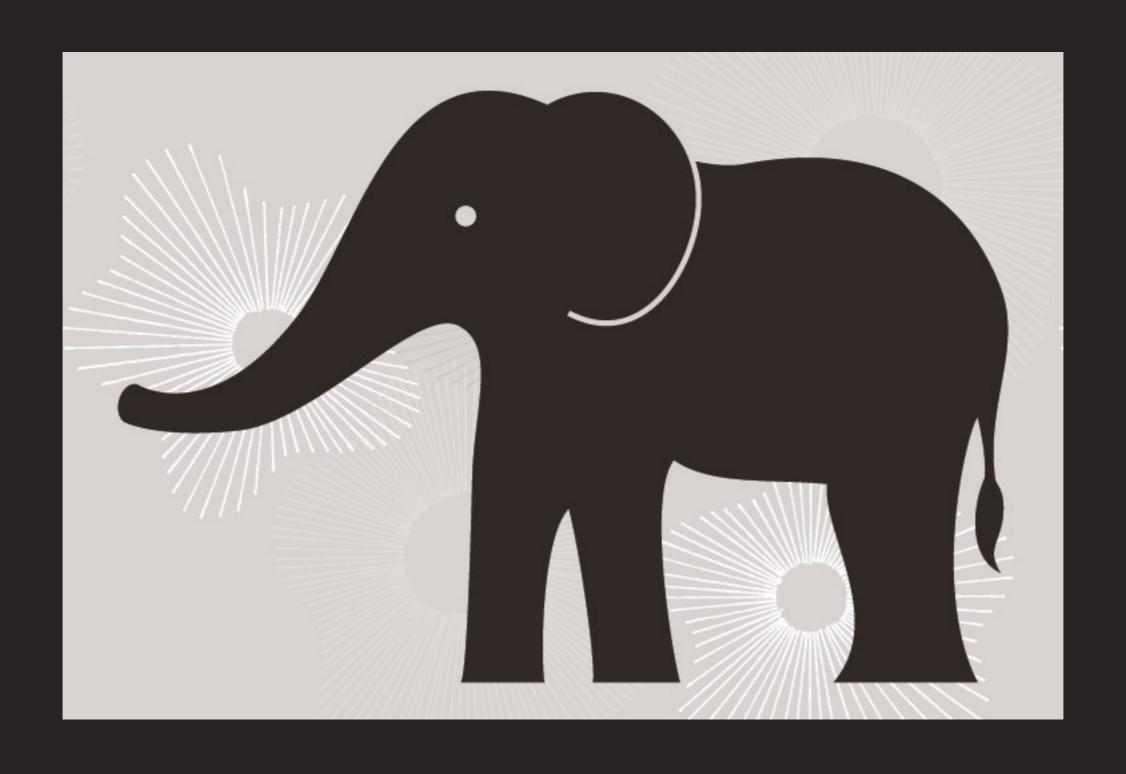
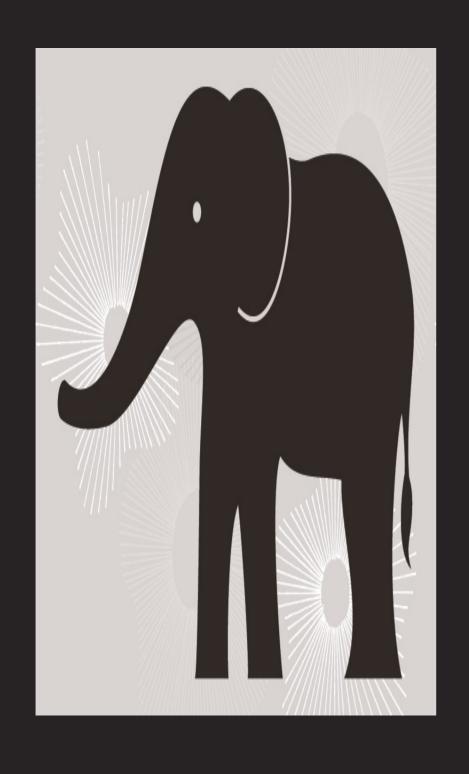




IMAGE DIMENSIONS

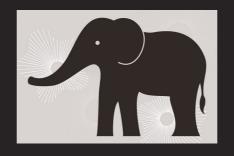
Create each image the same width and height as you would like it to appear on your website or larger.





If an image has the wrong dimensions, it can look squished.

If an image is too small, it can look blurry when shown bigger.





HTML5: FIGURE & FIGURE CAPTION

HTML

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<figure>
  <img src="images/otters.gif"</pre>
       alt="Photograph of two sea otters
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  <br />
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The element is used to add images to a web page.

You must always specify an src attribute to indicate the source of an image and an alt attribute to describe the content of an image.

You should save images at the size you will be using them on the web page or larger and in the appropriate format.

Photographs are best saved as JPEGs; illustrations or logos that use flat colors are better saved as GIFs.

