CSS (Cascading Style Sheets)

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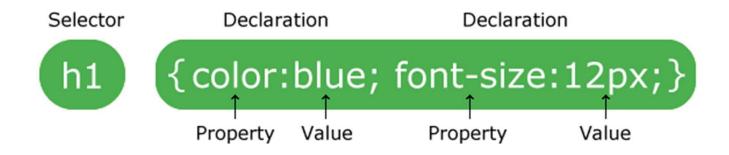
Syntax

The **selector** points to the HTML element you want to style.

The **declaration block** contains one or more declarations separated by semicolons.

Each **declaration** includes a CSS property name and a value, separated by a colon.

A CSS declaration always ends with a semicolon, and declaration blocks are surrounded by curly braces.



Hello World!

Hello World! (in 3 ways) These paragraphs are styled with CSS.

Save this as css/style.css

1: External

```
p {
  color: red;
  text-align: center;
}
```

And link it in your HTML code as below; <link ... >

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<style>
p {
    color: red;
    text-align: center;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>
Hello World!
These paragraphs are styled with CSS.
</body>
```

Cascading Order

What style will be used when there is more than one style specified for an HTML element?

All the styles in a page will "cascade" into a new "virtual" style sheet by the following rules, where number one has the highest priority:

- 1. Inline style (inside an HTML element)
- 2. External and internal style sheets (in the head section)
- Browser default

Selectors

```
Element

p { }

ID

#para1 { }

Class

.center { }
```

Selectors: ID

This paragraph is not affected by the style.

The id selector uses the id attribute of an HTML element to select a specific element.

The id of an element should be unique within a page, so the id selector is used to select one unique element!

To select an element with a specific id, write a hash (#) character, followed by the id of the element.

The style rule below will be applied to the HTML element with id="para1":

Red and center-aligned heading

Selectors: Class

Red and center-aligned paragraph.

The class selector selects elements with a specific class attribute.

To select elements with a specific class, write a period (.) character, followed by the name of the class.

In the example below, all HTML elements with class="center" will be red and center-aligned:

```
.center {
  text-align: center;
  color: red;
}
```

```
<h1 class="center">Red and center-aligned heading</h1>
Red and center-aligned paragraph.
```

You can also specify that only specific HTML elements should be affected by a class.

Only elements with class="center" will be center-aligned

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<style>
p.center {
    text-align: center;
    color: red;
}
</style>
</head>
<body>
<h1 class="center">This heading will not be affected</h1>
This paragraph will be red and center-aligned.
</body>
</body>
</html>
```

This heading will not be affected

This paragraph will be red and center-aligned.

HTML elements can also refer to more than one class. In the example below, the element will be styled according to class="center" and to class="large":

```
<html>
<head>
<style>
p.center {
 text-align: center;
 color: red;
p.large {
 font-size: 300%;
</style>
</head>
<body>
<h1 class="center">This heading will not be affected</h1>
This paragraph will be red and center-aligned.
This paragraph will be red, center-aligned, and
in a large font-size.
</body>
</html>
```

This heading will not be affected

This paragraph will be red and center-aligned

This paragraph will be red, center-aligned, and in a large font-size.

Grouping Selectors

```
h1 {
  text-align: center;
  color: red;
}

h2 {
  text-align: center;
  color: red;
}

p {
  text-align: center;
  color: red;
}
p {
  text-align: center;
  color: red;
}
```

CSS Comments

Comments are used to explain the code, and may help when you edit the source code at a later date.

Comments are ignored by browsers.

A CSS comment starts with /* and ends with */

Comments can also span multiple lines:

```
p {
  color: red;
  /* This is a single-line comment */
  text-align: center;
}

/* This is
a multi-line
comment */
```

Colors

RGB, HEX, HSL, RGBA, HSLA values

HTML supports <u>140 standard color names</u>

Some colors:





hsl(hue, saturation, lightness)

Hue is a degree on the color wheel from 0 to 360. 0 is red, 120 is green, and 240 is blue.

Saturation is a percentage value, 0% means a shade of gray, and 100% is the full color.

Lightness is also a percentage, 0% is black, 50% is neither light or dark, 100% is white



Alpha channel for transparency

Same as color name "Tomato":

rgb(255, 99, 71)

#ff6347

hsl(9, 100%, 64%)

Same as color name "Tomato", but 50% transparent:

rgba(255, 99, 71, 0.5)

hsla(9, 100%, 64%, 0.5)

```
<h1 style="background-color:rgb(255, 99, 71);">...</h1>
<h1 style="background-color:#ff6347;">...</h1>
<h1 style="background-color:hsl(9, 100%, 64%);">...</h1>
<h1 style="background-color:rgba(255, 99, 71, 0.5);">...</h1>
<h1 style="background-color:hsla(9, 100%, 64%, 0.5);">...</h1></h1>
```

Colors: Background color example

Hello World

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetuer adipiscing elit, sed diam nonummy nibh euismod tincidunt ut laoreet dolore magna aliquam erat volutpat. Ut wisi enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud exerci tation ullamcorper suscipit lobortis nisl ut aliquip ex ea commodo consequat.

```
<h1 style="background-color:DodgerBlue;">Hello World</h1>
Lorem ipsum...
```

Colors: Borders

Hello World

Hello World

Hello World

```
<h1 style="border:2px solid Tomato;">Hello World</h1>
<h1 style="border:2px solid DodgerBlue;">Hello World</h1>
<h1 style="border:2px solid Violet;">Hello World</h1>
```

CSS Backgrounds

background-color

```
body {
  background-color: lightblue;
}
```

background-image

```
body {
  background-image: url("paper.gif");
}
```

background-repeat

```
body {
  background-image: url("gradient_bg.png");
  background-repeat: repeat-x;
}

body {
  background-image: url("img_tree.png");
  background-repeat: no-repeat;
  background-position: right top;
}
```

CSS Border Properties...

```
p.dotted {border-style: dotted;}
p.dashed {border-style: dashed;}
p.solid {border-style: solid;}
p.double {border-style: double;}
p.groove {border-style: groove;}
p.ridge {border-style: ridge;}
p.inset {border-style: inset;}
p.outset {border-style: outset;}
p.none {border-style: none;}
p.hidden {border-style: hidden;}
p.mix {border-style: dotted dashed solid double;}
```

A dotted border.
A dashed border.
A solid border.
A double border.
A groove border. The effect depends on the border-color value.
A ridge border. The effect depends on the border-color value.
An inset border. The effect depends on the border-color value.
An outset border. The effect depends on the border-color value.
No border.
A hidden border.
A mixed harder

CSS Margins

Create space around elements, outside of any defined borders.

```
p {
    margin-top: 100px;
    margin-bottom: 100px;
    margin-right: 150px;
    margin-left: 80px;
}

p {
    margin: 25px 50px 75px 100px;
}

}
```

CSS Padding

Generate space around an element's content, inside of any borders.

```
div {
  padding-top: 50px;
  padding-right: 30px;
  padding-bottom: 50px;
  padding-left: 80px;
}
div {
  padding: 25px 50px 75px 100px;
}
```

CSS Height and Width

The height and width can be set to auto (this is default: browser calculates them), or be specified in length values, like px, cm, etc., or in percent (%) of the containing block.

```
div {
   height: 200px;
   width: 50%;
   background-color: powderblue;
}
```

This element has a height of 200 pixels and a width of 50%

CSS Box Model

Margin - Clears an area outside the border. The margin is transparent

Border - A border that goes around the padding and content

Padding - Clears an area around the content. The padding is transparent

Content - The content of the box, where text and images appear

```
div {
  width: 300px;
  border: 15px solid green;
  padding: 50px;
  margin: 20px;
}
```



320px (width)

- + 20px (left + right padding)
- + 10px (left + right border)
- + 0px (left + right margin)
- = 350px

CSS Text

```
body {
                         h1 {
 color: blue;
                           text-align: center;
                                                                  text-decoration: none;
                         h2 {
                                                               h1 {
                          text-align: left;
  color: green;
                                                                  text-decoration: overline;
                         h3 {
                                                               h2 {
                           text-align: right;
                                                                  text-decoration: line-through;
div {
 text-align: justify;
                                                                h3 {
                                                                 text-decoration: underline;
```

```
p.uppercase {
                                      h1 {
                                                                    h1 {
 text-transform: uppercase;
                                        letter-spacing: 3px;
                                                                      word-spacing: 10px;
                                                                    }
                                      }
p.lowercase {
                                      h2 {
                                                                    h2 {
 text-transform: lowercase;
                                                                      word-spacing: -5px;
                                        letter-spacing: -3px;
                                                                    }
p.capitalize {
  text-transform: capitalize;
                                      p.small {
                                                                     h1 {
                                        line-height: 0.8;
                                                                       text-shadow: 3px 2px red;
p {
                                      p.big {
  text-indent: 50px;
                                        line-height: 1.8;
```