

Notifications for Jaunty – Visual Guidelines

Team: User Experience and Design

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1. Attributes of the notification window (bubble)

1.1. Bubble size



Minimum height: 64px

Maximum height: 200px

1.2. Bubble shape, color and opacity



Color: #131313

Opacity: 80%

Corner roundness: 6px

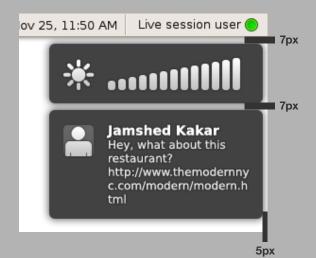
Drop shadow color: #000000

Drop shadow spread: 8px

Icons and text drop shadow color: #000000

Icons and text drop shadow spread: 2px

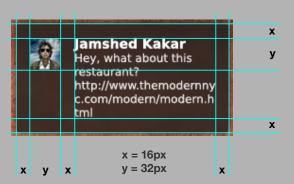
1.3. Bubble screen position



Width: 226px

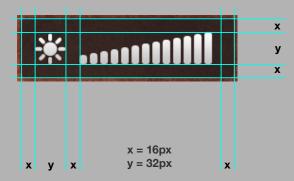
2. Layout rules for the bubble content

2.1. Icon/avatar + content



Important. Please note that the icon/avatar area is always aligned to the top of the content (text) area.

2.2. Icon + indicator



Important. Please note that the indicator is always aligned to the bottom left of the content area.

2.3. Content only





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3. Typography

3.1. Font face, size, weight and color



Font face: same as current system setting for application font

Title color: #ffffff

Title weight: bold

Title size: 20% larger than body

Body color: #eaeaea

Body weight: normal

Body size: same as current system setting for application font

Drop shadow: 2px spread, #000000

3.2. Paragraph settings



Alignment: left-aligned (for left-to-right languages) or right-aligned (for right-to-left languages)

Vertical alignment: center

Justification: do not justify

Hyphenation: do not hyphenate

Line-height: system default (relative to font size)

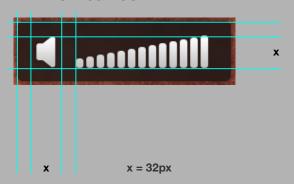
4. Icon/avatar positioning

4.1. Square icon



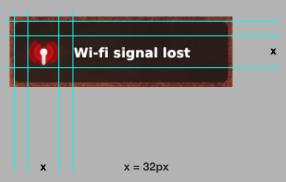
Square aspect icon must fill the whole icon area (32x32px)

4.2. Vertical icon



Vertical aspect icon must fill the whole icon area vertically (32px) and be center-aligned horizontally

4.3. Horizontal icon



Horizontal aspect icon must fill the whole icon area horizontally (32px) and be center-aligned vertically



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5. Bubble animation

Transition: Fade from and to 0% opacity

Fade-in time: 250ms

Fade-out time: 1000ms

Default on-screen time: 5s

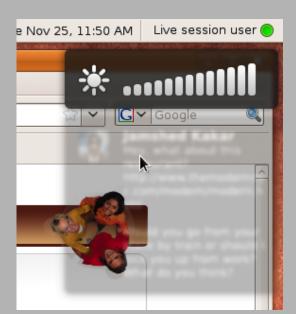
6. Mouse over behavior

6.1. Normal state



Any object behind the bubble receives a 2px gaussian blur

6.2. Mouse over state



Background behavior:

Any object behind the bubble loses the blur.

Bubble behavior:

Bubble receives 2px gaussian blur and 40% opacity.

Transition:

Transition between normal and mouse over state should be instant.