

CSS Links

With CSS, links can be styled in many different ways.

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Styling Links

Links can be styled with any CSS property (e.g. **color**, **font-family**, **background**, etc.).

Example

```
a {  
  color: hotpink;  
}
```

In addition, links can be styled differently depending on what **state** they are in.

The four links states are:

- **a:link** - a normal, unvisited link
- **a:visited** - a link the user has visited
- **a:hover** - a link when the user mouses over it
- **a:active** - a link the moment it is clicked

Example

```
/* unvisited link */  
a:link {  
  color: red;  
}  
  
/* visited link */  
a:visited {  
  color: green;  
}
```

```
/* mouse over link */  
a:hover {  
    color: hotpink;  
}
```

```
/* selected link */  
a:active {  
    color: blue;  
}
```

//Padding can also be added to expand the links

//background colors can be added to change the background colors