

# Default skins

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## 1. Introduction

Forrest supplies a collection of default skins which are configurable and so should meet the needs of most projects. The aim is to provide many capabilities so that extra skins are not needed.

## 2. Convention for choosing skin names

The skin names are based on playing with the word "skin". See our technique for [choosing skin names](#) (<http://svn.apache.org/repos/asf/forrest/trunk/src/core/context/skins/new-skin-names.txt>) .

## 3. Skin descriptions

### 3.1. crust

Uses HTML tables.

This skin used to be called "forrest-site" which evolved to become "krysalis-site" and is now "crust".

### 3.2. pelt

Uses CSS "div" and no HTML tables.

During its earlier development, this skin used to be called "css-style-dev".

### 3.3. tigris

This skin is based on version 1.1 of the [style.tigris.org](http://style.tigris.org/) (<http://style.tigris.org/>) project. (It deliberately contravenes our skin naming convention.)