# Introducing Less



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What Is Less?

"Leaner Style Sheets"

A superset of CSS

Adds Features to the language

Makes it easier to maintain large CSS files



#### Less Features

#### Adds programming-like features:

- Variables
- Functions
- Operations
- Nested rules
- Namespacing
- Scoping





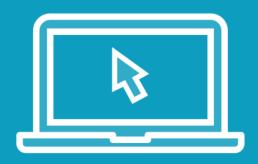
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**Compiling with Less** 





**Variables** 





Variable Scope





Variable Interpolation





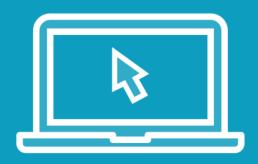
**Using Less Maps** 





**Functions** 





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What We've Learned Less is a superset of CSS

Adds programming-like functionality

Improves maintainability of CSS

