# Slider

Sliders allow users to make selections from a range of values.

Sliders reflect a range of values along a bar, from which users may select a single value. They are ideal for adjusting settings such as volume, brightness, or applying image filters.

{{"component": "modules/components/ComponentLinkHeader.js"}}

# **Continuous sliders**

Continuous sliders allow users to select a value along a subjective range.

{{"demo": "ContinuousSlider.js"}}

# **Sizes**

For smaller slider, use the prop size="small".

{{"demo": "SliderSizes.js"}}

## **Discrete sliders**

Discrete sliders can be adjusted to a specific value by referencing its value indicator. You can generate a mark for each step with <code>marks={true}</code> .

{{"demo": "DiscreteSlider.js"}}

## **Small steps**

You can change the default step increment.

{{"demo": "DiscreteSliderSteps.js"}}

### **Custom marks**

You can have custom marks by providing a rich array to the marks prop.

 $\{ \{ "demo" : "Discrete Slider Marks.js" \} \}$ 

### **Restricted values**

You can restrict the selectable values to those provided with the marks prop with step={null}.

{{"demo": "DiscreteSliderValues.js"}}

# Label always visible

You can force the thumb label to be always visible with valueLabelDisplay="on".

{{"demo": "DiscreteSliderLabel.js"}}

# Range slider

The slider can be used to set the start and end of a range by supplying an array of values to the value prop.

{{"demo": "RangeSlider.js"}}

#### Minimum distance

You can enforce a minimum distance between values in the <code>onChange</code> event handler. By default, when you move the pointer over a thumb while dragging another thumb, the active thumb will swap to the hovered thumb. You can disable this behavior with the <code>disableSwap</code> prop. If you want the range to shift when reaching minimum distance, you can utilize the <code>activeThumb</code> parameter in <code>onChange</code>.

{{"demo": "MinimumDistanceSlider.js"}}

# Slider with input field

In this example, an input allows a discrete value to be set.

{{"demo": "InputSlider.js"}}

# Color

{{"demo": "ColorSlider.js"}}

# **Customization**

Here are some examples of customizing the component. You can learn more about this in the <u>overrides</u> <u>documentation page</u>.

{{"demo": "CustomizedSlider.js"}}

# Music player

{{"demo": "MusicPlayerSlider.js"}}

#### **Vertical sliders**

{{"demo": "VerticalSlider.js"}}

**WARNING**: Chrome, Safari and newer Edge versions i.e. any browser based on WebKit exposes <Slider orientation="vertical" /> as horizontal (<a href="chromium issue #1158217">chromium issue #1158217</a>). By applying -webkit-appearance: slider-vertical; the slider is exposed as vertical.

However, by applying <code>-webkit-appearance: slider-vertical;</code> keyboard navigation for horizontal keys (<code>Arrow Left</code>, <code>Arrow Right</code>) is reversed (<code>chromium issue #1162640</code>). Usually, up and right should increase and left and down should decrease the value. If you apply <code>-webkit-appearance</code> you could prevent keyboard navigation for horizontal arrow keys for a truly vertical slider. This might be less confusing to users compared to a change in direction.

{{"demo": "VerticalAccessibleSlider.js"}}

## **Track**

The track shows the range available for user selection.

#### Removed track

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The track can be turned off with track={false} . 

{{"demo": "TrackFalseSlider.js"}}

Inverted track

The track can be inverted with track="inverted" .
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# Non-linear scale

{{"demo": "TrackInvertedSlider.js"}}

You can use the scale prop to represent the value on a different scale.

In the following demo, the value x represents the value  $2^x$ . Increasing x by one increases the represented value by factor 2.

```
{{"demo": "NonLinearSlider.js"}}
```

# **Accessibility**

(WAI-ARIA: https://www.w3.org/TR/wai-aria-practices/#slider)

The component handles most of the work necessary to make it accessible. However, you need to make sure that:

- Each thumb has a user-friendly label ( aria-label , aria-labelledby or getAriaLabel prop).
- Each thumb has a user-friendly text for its current value. This is not required if the value matches the semantics of the label. You can change the name with the getAriaValueText or aria-valuetext prop.

# Limitations

## **IE 11**

The slider's value label is not centered in IE 11. The alignement is not handled to make customizations easier with the lastest browsers. You can solve the issue with:

```
.MuiSlider-valueLabel {
  left: calc(-50% - 4px);
}
```