Button group

Contents

Basic example

Wrap a series of buttons with `.btn` in `.btn-group`.

{{< example >}}

Left Middle Right

{{< /example >}}

{{< callout warning >}} ##### Ensure correct `role` and provide a label

In order for assistive technologies (such as screen readers) to convey that a series of buttons is grouped, an appropriate `role` attribute needs to be provided. For button groups, this would be `role="group"`, while toolbars should have a `role="toolbar"`.

In addition, groups and toolbars should be given an explicit label, as most assistive technologies will otherwise not announce them, despite the presence of the correct role attribute. In the examples provided here, we use `aria-label`, but alternatives such as `aria-labelledby` can also be used. {{< /callout >}}

These classes can also be added to groups of links, as an alternative to the [`.nav` navigation components]({{< docsref "/components/navs-tabs" >}}).

{{< example >}}

Active link Link Link

{{< /example >}}

Mixed styles

{{< example >}}

Left Middle Right

{{< /example >}}

Outlined styles

{{< example >}}

Left Middle Right

{{< /example >}}

Checkbox and radio button groups

Combine button-like checkbox and radio [toggle buttons]({{< docsref "/forms/checks-radios" >}}) into a seamless looking button group.

{{< example >}}

Checkbox 1

Checkbox 2

Checkbox 3

{{< /example >}}

{{< example >}}

Radio 1

Radio 2

Radio 3

{{< /example >}}

Button toolbar

Combine sets of button groups into button toolbars for more complex components. Use utility classes as needed to space out groups, buttons, and more.

{{< example >}}

```
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">1</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">2</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">3</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">4</button>
```

```
<button type="button" class="btn btn-secondary">5</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-secondary">6</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-secondary">7</button>

<button type="button" class="btn btn-info">8</button>
```

{{< /example >}}

Feel free to mix input groups with button groups in your toolbars. Similar to the example above, you'll likely need some utilities though to space things properly.

{{< example >}}

```
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">1</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">2</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">3</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">4</button>

<div class="input-group-text" id="btnGroupAddon">@</div>
<input type="text" class="form-control" placeholder="Input group example" aria-label="Input

<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">1</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">2</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">3</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-secondary">4</button>

<div class="input-group-text" id="btnGroupAddon2">@</div>
<input type="text" class="form-control" placeholder="Input group example" aria-label="Input
```

{{< /example >}}

Sizing

Instead of applying button sizing classes to every button in a group, just add `.btn-group-*` to each `.btn-group`, including each one when nesting multiple groups.

```
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Left</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Middle</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Right</button>

<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Left</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Middle</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Right</button>

<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Left</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Middle</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-outline-dark">Right</button>

<div class="btn-group btn-group-lg" role="group" aria-label="...">...</div>
<div class="btn-group" role="group" aria-label="...">...</div>
<div class="btn-group btn-group-sm" role="group" aria-label="...">...</div>
```

Nesting

Place a `.btn-group` within another `.btn-group` when you want dropdown menus mixed with a series of buttons.

{{< example >}}

1 2

```
<button id="btnGroupDrop1" type="button" class="btn btn-primary dropdown-toggle" data-bs-to
  Dropdown
</button>
<ul class="dropdown-menu" aria-labelledby="btnGroupDrop1">
  <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
  <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
</ul>
```

{{< /example >}}

Vertical variation

Make a set of buttons appear vertically stacked rather than horizontally. **Split button dropdowns are not supported here.**

```
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-dark">Button</button>

<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">Button</button>
<div class="btn-group" role="group">
  <button id="btnGroupVerticalDrop1" type="button" class="btn btn-primary dropdown-toggle" 
    Dropdown
  </button>
  <ul class="dropdown-menu" aria-labelledby="btnGroupVerticalDrop1">
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
  </ul>
</div>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">Button</button>
<button type="button" class="btn btn-primary">Button</button>
<div class="btn-group" role="group">
  <button id="btnGroupVerticalDrop2" type="button" class="btn btn-primary dropdown-toggle" 
    Dropdown
  </button>
  <ul class="dropdown-menu" aria-labelledby="btnGroupVerticalDrop2">
```

```html
      <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
      <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
    </ul>
</div>
<div class="btn-group" role="group">
  <button id="btnGroupVerticalDrop3" type="button" class="btn btn-primary dropdown-toggle" d
    Dropdown
  </button>
  <ul class="dropdown-menu" aria-labelledby="btnGroupVerticalDrop3">
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
  </ul>
</div>
<div class="btn-group" role="group">
  <button id="btnGroupVerticalDrop4" type="button" class="btn btn-primary dropdown-toggle" d
    Dropdown
  </button>
  <ul class="dropdown-menu" aria-labelledby="btnGroupVerticalDrop4">
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
    <li><a class="dropdown-item" href="#">Dropdown link</a></li>
  </ul>
</div>

<input type="radio" class="btn-check" name="vbtn-radio" id="vbtn-radio1" autocomplete="off"
<label class="btn btn-outline-danger" for="vbtn-radio1">Radio 1</label>
<input type="radio" class="btn-check" name="vbtn-radio" id="vbtn-radio2" autocomplete="off">
<label class="btn btn-outline-danger" for="vbtn-radio2">Radio 2</label>
<input type="radio" class="btn-check" name="vbtn-radio" id="vbtn-radio3" autocomplete="off">
<label class="btn btn-outline-danger" for="vbtn-radio3">Radio 3</label>

<div class="btn-group-vertical">
  ...
</div>
```