

TECHNOLOGICAL BASIS: BITMAP/RASTER GRAPHICS

A GRID OF PICTURE ELEMENTS, "PIXELS," EACH OF WHICH CONTAIN COLOR AND BRIGHTNESS INFORMATION

PIXELS CAN BE CHANGED INDIVIDUALLY OR AS A GROUP WITH PROGRAM ALGORITHMS

CONTRASTED WITH VECTOR GRAPHICS WHICH PRIMARILY DESCRIBE LINES (ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR)



Photomontage by: Mmxx

FILE TYPES: BITMAP/RASTER

JPEG OR JPG - JOINT PHOTOGRAPHIC EXPERTS GROUP

LOSSY COMPRESSION - DATA DISCARDING COMPRESSION USUALLY TO MINIMIZE FILE SIZE.

USE CASE: NORMAL PHOTOGRAPHY AND IMAGERY WITH EMPHASIS ON SMALLER FILE SIZES





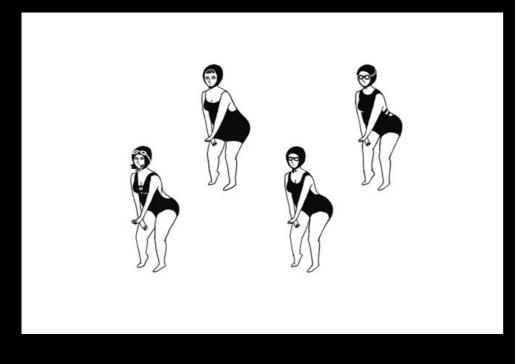
FILE TYPES: BITMAP/RASTER

GIF - GRAPHICS INTERCHANGE FORMAT

LOSSLESS COMPRESSION: UP TO 256 COLORS

SUPPORTS ANIMATION

USE CASES: ANY ANIMATION; IDEAL FOR SIMPLE AND DEFINED COLORSETS LIKE FLAT GRAPHICS AND LOGOS







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PNG - PORTABLE NETWORK GRAPHICS

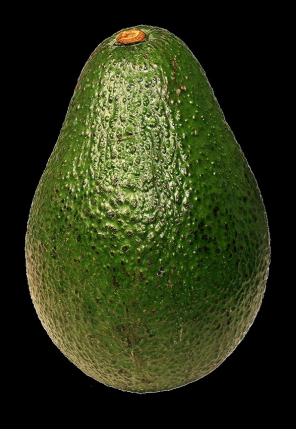
LOSSLESS COMPRESSION

IDEAL FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC TRANSPARENCY



FILE TYPES: WEBP

SUPPORT IS NOT UBIQUITOUS YET BUT IS GETTING THERE. REDUCES FILE SIZES ACROSS THE BOARD FOR ALL RASTER BASED IMAGES.







FILE TYPES: VECTOR GRAPHICS

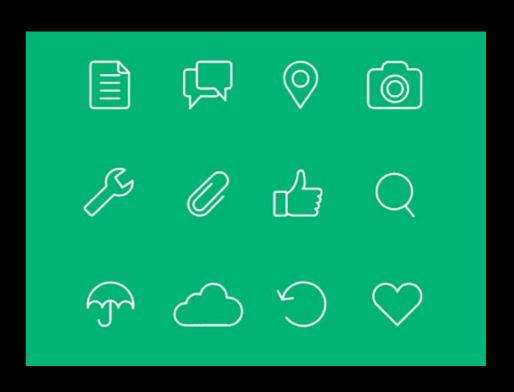
SVG - SCALABLE VECTOR GRAPHICS

A MARKUP LANGUAGE FOR DESCRIBING TWO DIMENSIONAL GRAPHICS

CAN BE INTERACTIVE AND STYLED

DEFINES VECTOR GRAPHICS IN XML FORMAT (EXTENSIBLE MARKUP LANG)



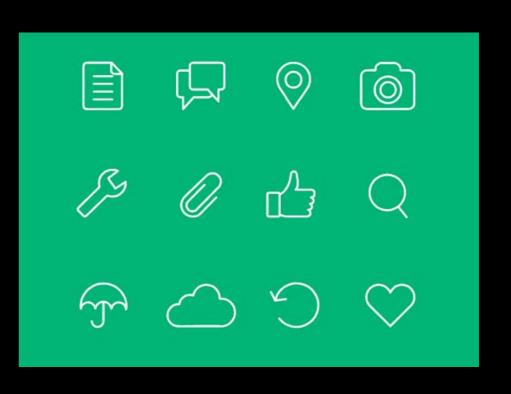


FILE TYPES: VECTOR GRAPHICS

SVG - SCALABLE VECTOR GRAPHICS

CAN BE SCALED DYNAMICALLY OR WITH CODE WITHOUT IMAGE QUALITY LOSS
CAN ALSO BE ANIMATED- EVERY PART CAN BE CONTROLLED!
USE CASES: DISPLAYING GRAPHICS THAT CAN BE CREATED IN ADOBE
ILLUSTRATOR; RESPONSIVE DESIGN; LOGOS AND ICONS





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THERE ARE SEVERAL WAYS IN WHICH SVG CONTENT CAN BE INCLUDED WITHIN A WEB PAGE:

- A STAND-ALONE SVG WEB PAGE
- EMBEDDING BY REFERENCE, USING THE HTML ELEMENT *
- EMBEDDING SVG CODE INLINE WITH HTML *
- FROM AN EXTERNAL LINK, USING THE HTML <A> ELEMENT
- REFERENCED FROM A CSS PROPERTY

COMPARISON - FLAT GRAPHICS



COMPARISON - COMPLEX COLOR GRAPHICS





COMPARISON - PHOTOGRAPHY











PHOTOSHOP

USED FOR RASTER IMAGE TYPES AS WELL AS ANIMATION

JPG

GIF

PNG

WEBP with plugin

TIFF - LOSSLESS FORMAT FOR HI-RES IMAGES

...MORE!

ILLUSTRATOR

USED FOR VECTOR IMAGE TYPES AS WELL AS DOCUMENTS LIKE PDF'S

SVG

PDF

Can export to raster files as well.

VECTOR

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