

# Bootstrap Grid System

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# Viewport

```
<meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width,  
initial-scale=1, shrink-to-fit=no">
```

- The *viewport* meta tag:
  - Ensures that the screen width is set to the device width and the content is rendered with this width in mind
  - Designing the websites to be responsive to the size of the viewport
    - Bootstrap grid system

<http://getbootstrap.com/docs/4.0/layout/grid/>

# Bootstrap Grid

- Designed to be:
  - Responsive
  - Mobile first
  - Fluid

# CSS Flexbox Layout

- Simpler and flexible layout options in CSS
- Can easily handle dynamic/unknown size of content containers
- Direction-agnostic layout

# Why Flexbox for Bootstrap?

- Easy vertical alignment of content within a parent element
- Easy reordering of content across devices and screen resolutions with the help of media queries
- Easy CSS-only equal height columns for your grid-based layouts

# Bootstrap Grid

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row">
```

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# Bootstrap Grid

- Bootstrap makes available five classes
  - default targets all screen sizes from extra small to extra large,
  - *sm* for small,
  - *md* for medium,
  - *lg* for large, and
  - *xl* for extra large screen sizes
- Each row in Bootstrap grid system is divided into 12 columns
- Use the classes `.col-*`, `.col-sm-*`, `col-md-*`, and `.col-lg-*` for defining the layouts for the various screen sizes
- Specify how many columns each piece of content will occupy within a row, all adding up to 12 or a multiple thereof

# Bootstrap Grid

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-5">
```

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<div class="col-sm-7">
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# Auto-layout Columns

```
<div class="container">
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<div class="row">
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<div class="col-sm">
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<div class="col-sm">
```

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<div class="col-sm">
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<div class="col-sm">
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```
<div class="col-sm-6">
```

```
<div class="col-sm">
```

# Bootstrap Grid Details

	Extra small <576px	Small ≥576px	Medium ≥768px	Large ≥992px	Extra large ≥1200px
Grid behavior	Horizontal at all times	Collapsed to start, horizontal above breakpoints			
Max container width	None (auto)	540px	720px	960px	1140px
Class prefix	.col-	.col-sm-	.col-md-	.col-lg-	.col-xl-
# of columns	12				
Gutter width	30px (15px on each side of a column)				
Nestable	Yes				
Offsets	Yes				

# Using Column classes

## Extra Small Screens

```
<div class="col-12 col-sm-5">
```

```
<div class="col-12 col-sm-7">
```

## Small, Medium, Large and Extra Large Screens

```
<div class="col-12 col-sm-5">
```

```
<div class="col-12 col-sm-7">
```

# Reordering Content

## Extra Small Screens

```
<div class="col-sm-5 order-sm-last">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-7 order-sm-first">
```

## Small, Medium and Large Screens

```
<div class="col-sm-7  
order-sm-first">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-5 order-sm-last">
```

# Vertical Alignment

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row align-items-center">
```



```
<div class="col-5">
```

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```
<div class="col-7">
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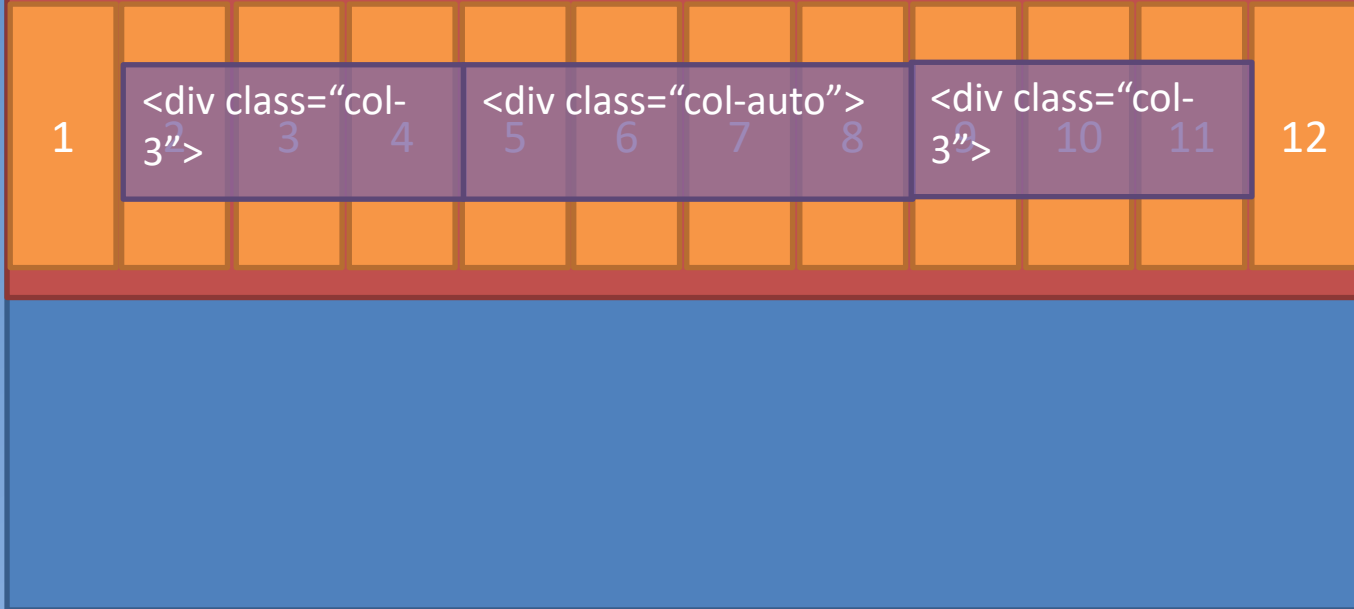
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# Horizontal Alignment

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row justify-content-center">
```



# Column Offsets

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row">
```

1

```
<div class="col-sm-4  
offset-sm-1">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-7">
```

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# Nesting Columns

```
<div class="container">
```

```
<div class="row">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-5">
```

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```
<div class="col-sm-7">
```

```
<div class="row">
```

```
<div class="col-sm-9">
```

```
<div  
class="col-  
sm-3">
```



# Exercise: Responsive Design and Bootstrap Grid System

- Create responsive websites using the Bootstrap grid system
- Customize the CSS classes through your own additions in a separate CSS file