

# Cascading Style Sheets

1. CSS(Cascading Style Sheets )
2. Styles define how to display HTML elements
3. The W3C maintains a CSS3 progress report
4. Styles are normally saved in external .css files.
5. External style sheets enable you to change the appearance and layout of all the pages in a Website, just by editing one single file!
6. A Style Rule is composed of two parts: a selector and a declaration.
  - a. The Selector indicates the element to which the rule is applied.
  - b. The Declaration determines the property values of a selector.
    - i. The Property specifies a characteristic, such as color, font-family, position, and is followed by a colon (:).
    - ii. The Value expresses specification of a property, such as red for color, arial for font family, 12 pt for font-size, and is followed by a semicolon (;).
  - c. Selector{property: value} Eg: **p {color: red; }**
  - d. Comments
    - i. /\*This is a comment\*/
7. The id and class Selectors
  - a. In addition to setting a style for a HTML element, CSS allows you to specify your own selectors called "id" and "class".
  - b. The style rule below will be applied to the element with id="para1":
    - i. **#para1{text-align:center;color:red};**
  - c. all HTML elements with class="center" will be center-aligned:
    - i. **.center{text-align:center;}**
8. Three Ways to Insert CSS
  - a. External style sheet
    - i. `<head> <link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="mystyle.css" />  
</head>`
  - b. Internal style sheet

```
<head>
<style type="text/css">
hr {color:red;}
p {margin-left:20px;}
body {background-image:url("images/back40.gif");}
</style>
</head>
```

    - i.
  - c. Inline style
    - i. `<p style="color:red;margin-left:20px">This is a paragraph.</p>`
  - d. If some properties have been set for the same selector in different style sheets, the values will be inherited from the more specific style sheet.
  - e. Font Family

- i. The font-family property should hold several font names as a "fallback" system. If the browser does not support the first font, it tries the next font.
- ii. `p{font-family:"Times New Roman", Times, serif;}`

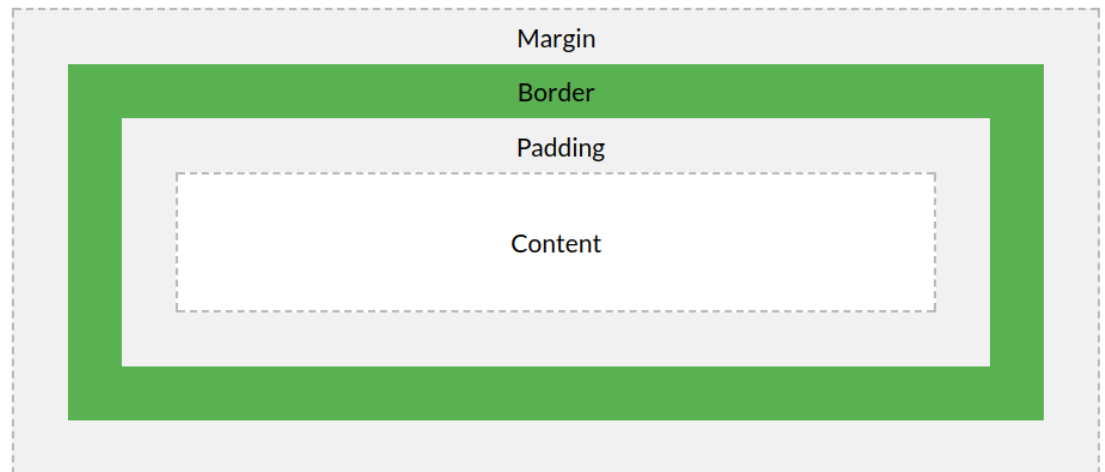
#### 9. Styling Links

- a. Links can be style with any CSS property (e.g. color, font-family, background-color).
- b. Special for links are that they can be styled differently depending on what state they are in. The four links states are:
  - i. `a:link` - a normal, unvisited link
  - ii. `a:visited` - a link the user has visited
  - iii. `a:hover` - a link when the user mouses over it
  - iv. `a:active` - a link the moment it is clicked

#### 10. List styles

- a. `ul.a {list-style-type: circle;}`
- b. `Ul.b {list-style-type: square;}`

#### 11. Box model



- a.
- b. Content - The content of the box, where text and images appear
- c. Padding - Clears an area around the content. The padding is transparent
- d. Border - A border that goes around the padding and content
- e. Margin - Clears an area outside the border. The margin is transparent

#### 12. Advantages:

- a. CSS saves time
- b. Pages load faster
- c. Easy maintenance
- d. Superior styles to HTML

#### Assignment:

##### 1. Convert below image to HTML

- a. [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Sz64xOiJprO\\_PwFt2O7tAJaASMtxvffj/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Sz64xOiJprO_PwFt2O7tAJaASMtxvffj/view?usp=sharing)
- b. Notes:
  - i. Logo should be `img` tag inside an anchor tag
  - ii. Use `ul li` for menu

- iii. Use two divs for left and right block
- iv. Do single listing and the rest should be copy pasted
- v. Open in GIMP so that you can pick the colors
- vi. Right side block should list anchor tags under ul li.
- vii. Box should center align
- viii. Use Arial for font
- ix. Do not use table

2. Convert to HTML -

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