

## **1. CSS BASICS**

- What is CSS :- CSS (Cascading Style Sheets) is used to style and design web pages.
  - CSS Syntax :- CSS syntax consists of a selector, a property, and a value.
  - How CSS works :- CSS works by applying style rules to HTML elements in the browser.
  - CSS Comments :- CSS comments are used to explain code and are written inside /\* \*/.
  - CSS Version History :- CSS evolved from CSS1 to CSS2, CSS2.1, and CSS3.
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## **2. TYPES OF CSS**

- Inline CSS :- Inline CSS is written directly inside an HTML element using the style attribute.
  - Internal CSS :- Internal CSS is written inside the <style> tag in the <head> section of an HTML file.
  - External CSS :- External CSS is written in a separate .css file and linked to HTML.
  - CSS Priority & Cascade :- CSS priority follows the order: Inline > Internal > External, and the last rule overrides others.
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## **3. CSS SELECTORS**

- Universal Selector (\*) :- Selects all elements on the webpage.
- Element Selector :- Selects HTML elements by their tag name.
- Class Selector (.) :- Selects elements that have a specific class attribute.
- ID Selector (#) :- Selects a unique element with a specific ID.
- Group Selector :- Selects multiple elements at the same time using commas.
- Descendant Selector :- Selects elements that are inside another specified element.
- Child Selector (>) :- Selects elements that are direct children of a specified element.
- Adjacent Sibling Selector (+) :- Selects the element immediately after a specified element.
- General Sibling Selector (~) :- Selects all sibling elements after a specified element.
- Attribute Selectors :- Select elements based on their attributes or attribute values.
- Pseudo-classes (:hover, :focus, etc.) :- Apply styles based on element states like hover or focus.
- Pseudo-elements (::before, ::after) :- Style specific parts of an element like before or after content.

## **4. CSS TYPOGRAPHY**

- font-family :- Specifies the font style for text.
  - font-size :- Defines the size of the text.
  - font-style :- Sets text style like normal, italic, or oblique.
  - font-weight :- Controls the thickness or boldness of text.
  - line-height :- Sets the space between lines of text.
  - letter-spacing :- Controls the space between letters.
  - word-spacing :- Controls the space between words.
  - text-align :- Aligns text left, right, center, or justify.
  - text-decoration :- Adds decoration like underline or line-through.
  - text-transform :- Changes text to uppercase, lowercase, or capitalize.
  - white-space :- Controls how whitespace and line breaks are handled.
  - web safe fonts :- Fonts that are supported across all browsers and devices.
  - Google Fonts :- Free web fonts provided by Google that can be used online.
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## **5. CSS COLORS & BACKGROUNDS**

- Color formats (name, hex, rgb, rgba, hsl) :- Different ways to define colors in CSS.
  - background-color :- Sets the background color of an element.
  - background-image :- Adds an image as the background.
  - background-repeat :- Controls whether the background image repeats.
  - background-position :- Sets the position of the background image.
  - background-size :- Controls the size of the background image.
  - background-attachment :- Defines whether the background scrolls with the page or not.
  - gradients (linear, radial) :- Creates smooth color transitions without images.
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## **6. CSS BOX MODEL**

- content :- The actual text or image inside an element.
- padding :- Space between the content and the border.
- Border :- A line that surrounds the padding and content.
- Margin :- Space outside the border between elements.
- box-sizing :- Defines how width and height of elements are calculated.
- Outline :- A line drawn outside the border without affecting layout.

## **7. CSS UNITS**

- Absolute Units (px, cm, mm, in) :- Fixed units that do not change based on screen size.
  - Relative Units (%), em, rem) :- Units that depend on parent or root element size.
  - Viewport Units (vw, vh, vmin, vmax) :- Units based on the size of the browser window.
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## **8. CSS DISPLAY & VISIBILITY**

- display: block :- Element takes full width and starts on a new line.
  - display: inline :- Element takes only required width and stays in line.
  - display: inline-block :- Inline element that allows width and height.
  - display: none :- Completely removes the element from the layout.
  - visibility: hidden :- Hides the element but keeps its space.
  - Opacity :- Controls the transparency level of an element.
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## **9. CSS POSITIONING**

- Static :- Default position, elements follow normal document flow.
  - Relative :- Positioned relative to its normal position.
  - Absolute :- Positioned relative to the nearest positioned ancestor.
  - Fixed :- Positioned relative to the browser window.
  - Sticky :- Switches between relative and fixed based on scroll.
  - z-index :- Controls the vertical stacking order of elements.
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## **10. CSS FLOAT & CLEAR**

- float :- Moves an element to the left or right of its container.
  - Clear :- Prevents elements from floating next to floated elements.
  - Clearfix :- Technique to fix parent height issues caused by float.
  - layout issues with float :- Float can break layouts if not cleared properly.
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## **11. CSS OVERFLOW**

- overflow :- Controls content overflow inside an element.
- overflow-x :- Controls horizontal overflow.
- overflow-y :- Controls vertical overflow.
- Hidden :- Hides overflowing content.

- Scroll :- Always shows scrollbars.
  - Auto :- Shows scrollbars only when needed.
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## 12. CSS WIDTH & HEIGHT

- Width :- Sets the width of an element.
  - min-width :- Sets the minimum width of an element.
  - max-width :- Sets the maximum width of an element.
  - Height :- Sets the height of an element.
  - min-height :- Sets the minimum height of an element.
  - max-height :- Sets the maximum height of an element.
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## 13. CSS FLEXBOX

- display: flex :- Enables flexbox layout.
  - flex-direction :- Defines the direction of flex items.
  - flex-wrap :- Controls whether items wrap to next line.
  - flex-flow :- Shorthand for flex-direction and flex-wrap.
  - justify-content :- Aligns items horizontally.
  - align-items :- Aligns items vertically.
  - align-content :- Aligns multiple rows of items.
  - Gap :- Sets space between flex items.
  - Order :- Controls the order of flex items.
  - flex-grow :- Defines how much an item grows.
  - flex-shrink :- Defines how much an item shrinks.
  - flex-basis :- Sets the initial size of an item.
  - align-self :- Aligns a single flex item independently.
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## 14. CSS GRID

- display: grid :- Enables grid layout.
- grid-template-columns :- Defines column structure.
- grid-template-rows :- Defines row structure.
- grid-gap :- Sets space between grid items.
- grid-area :- Defines a grid item's position.

- `grid-column` :- Controls column placement.
  - `grid-row` :- Controls row placement.
  - `justify-items` :- Aligns items horizontally in grid cells.
  - `align-items` :- Aligns items vertically in grid cells.
  - `place-items` :- Shorthand for `justify-items` and `align-items`.
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## 15. CSS MEDIA QUERIES

- Responsive design :- Design that adapts to different screen sizes.
  - `min-width` :- Applies styles for screens wider than given width.
  - `max-width` :- Applies styles for screens smaller than given width.
  - Orientation :- Targets portrait or landscape mode.
  - Breakpoints :- Screen widths where layout changes.
  - mobile-first approach :- Designing for mobile first, then larger screens.
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## 16. CSS VARIABLES

- `:root` :- Defines global CSS variables.
  - `var()` :- Used to apply CSS variables.
  - scope of variables :- Defines where variables can be accessed.
  - dynamic theming :- Allows changing theme using variables.
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## 17. CSS SHADOWS

- `box-shadow` :- Adds shadow to elements.
  - `text-shadow` :- Adds shadow to text.
  - multiple shadows :- Allows applying more than one shadow.
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## 18. CSS TRANSITIONS

- `transition-property` :- Specifies which property to animate.
- `transition-duration` :- Sets animation duration.
- `transition-timing-function` :- Controls animation speed curve.
- `transition-delay` :- Delays the start of transition.
- hover effects :- Smooth effects triggered on hover.

## **19. CSS TRANSFORMS (2D & 3D)**

- `translate()` :- Moves an element.
  - `scale()` :- Resizes an element.
  - `rotate()` :- Rotates an element.
  - `skew()` :- Tilts an element.
  - `Perspective` :- Adds 3D depth effect.
  - `transform-origin` :- Defines the rotation origin point.
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## **20. CSS ANIMATIONS**

- `@keyframes` :- Defines animation steps.
- `animation-name` :- Specifies the animation name.
- `animation-duration` :- Sets animation time.
- `animation-delay` :- Delays animation start.
- `animation-iteration-count` :- Defines number of repetitions.
- `animation-direction` :- Controls animation direction.
- `animation-fill-mode` :- Defines element state after animation.
- `animation-timing-function` :- Controls animation speed curve.