CSS Box Model

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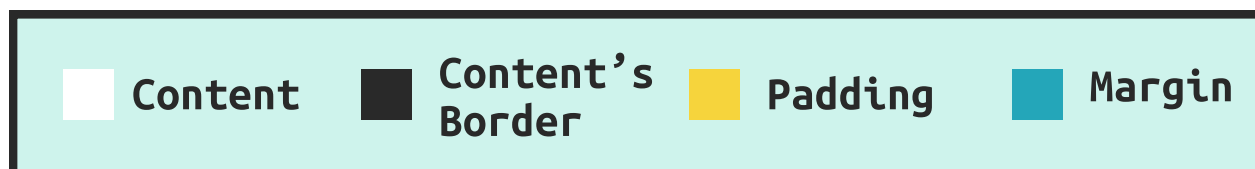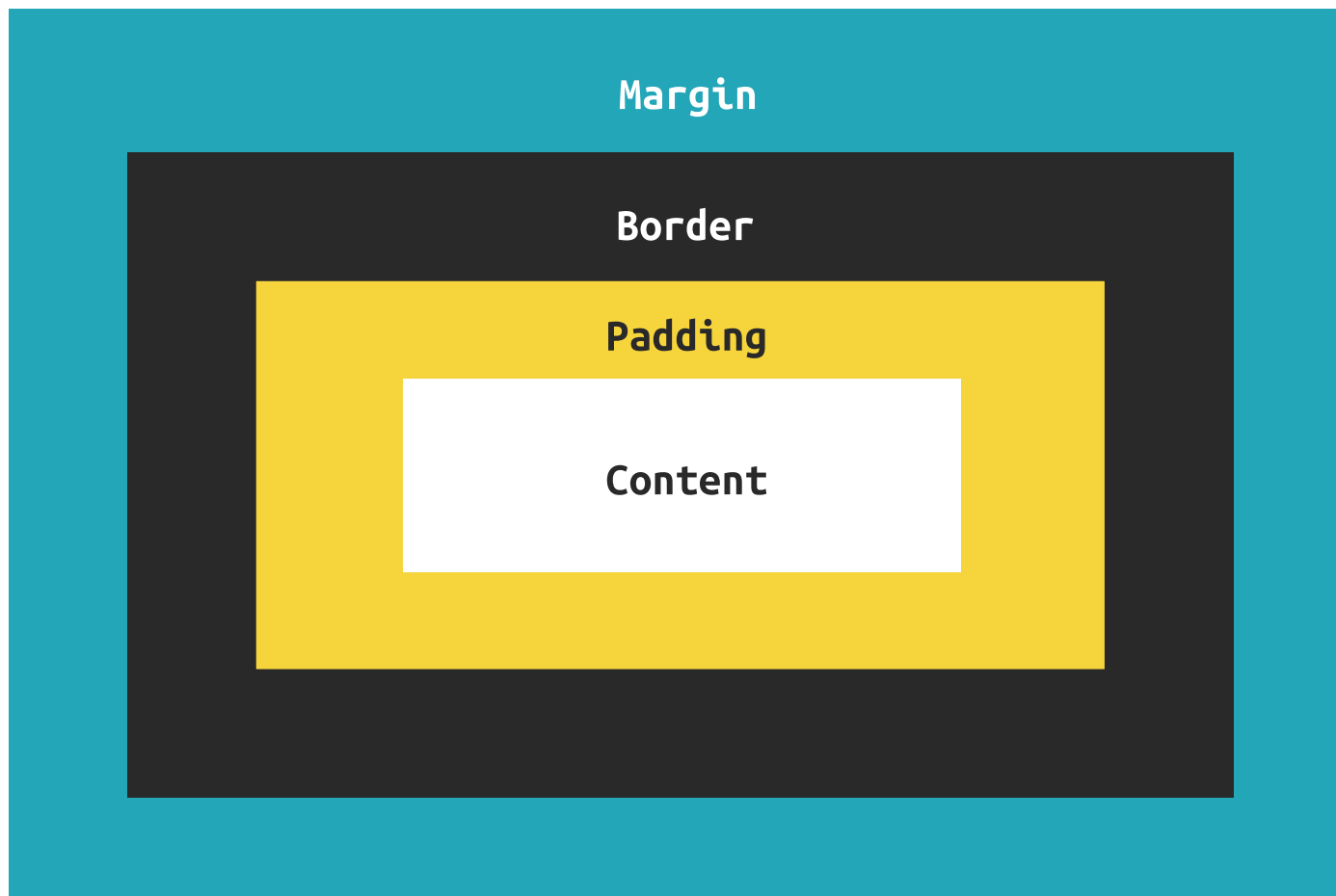
Margin

Border

Padding

Content

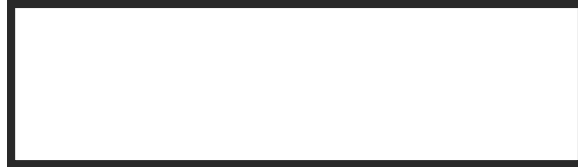| Content | Content's Border | Padding | Margin |

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Padding is within the content/border.
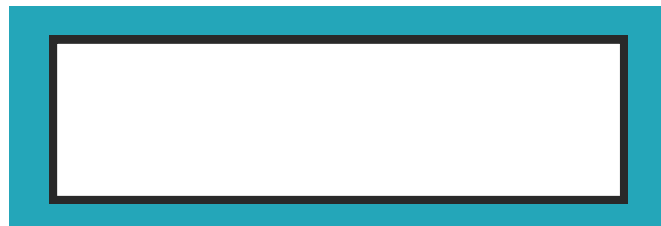Margin is outside the content/border.

No Padding
No Margin

With Padding
No Margin

No Padding
With Margin

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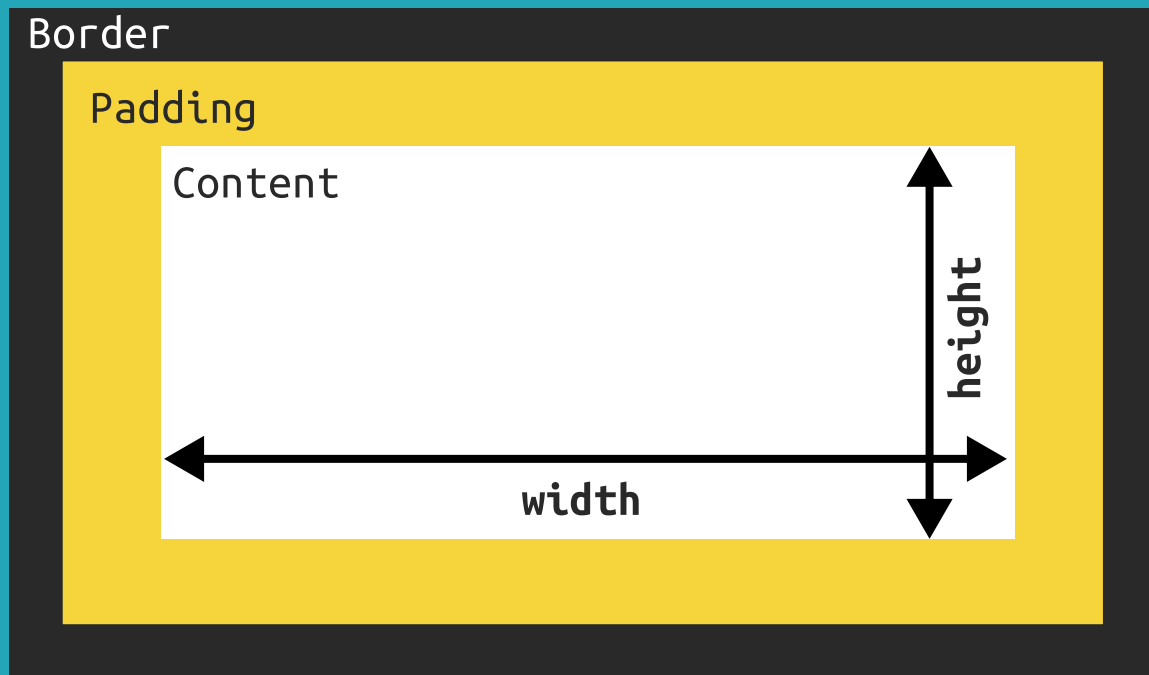And Margin

Content   Content's Border   Padding   Margin

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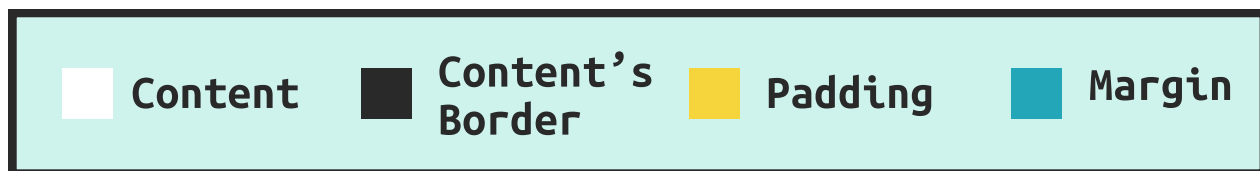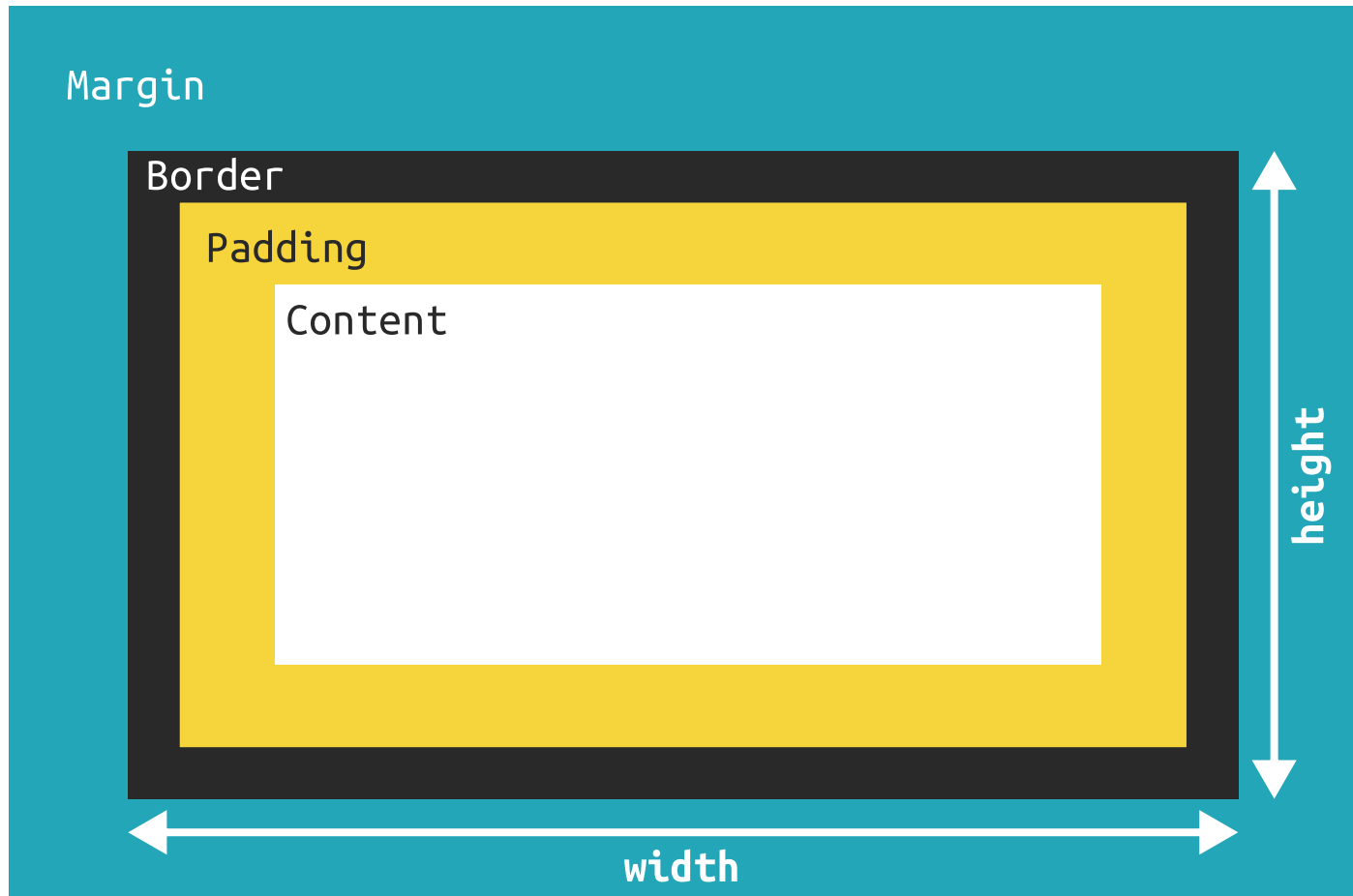By default, an element's height and width are within, and do not include, the padding

Margin

Border

Padding

Content

height

width

| | Content | | Content's Border | | Padding | | Margin |

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But you can force the height and width to include padding and border with
box-sizing: border-box;

Margin

Border

Padding

Content

height

width

	Content		Content's Border		Padding		Margin

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