

MAKING CSS FROM SCSS TO GREAT

THE SCSS SUBGRID



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Singlish lesson: Tok Kong

Hokkien term meaning “superb” or “top of the line”. In Mandarin, it's possible to write it as “督公 (dū gōng)” “Have you used CSS grid to build layout? It's super tok kong!”

Source: [The Coxford Singlish Dictionary](#)



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Singlish lesson: Swee

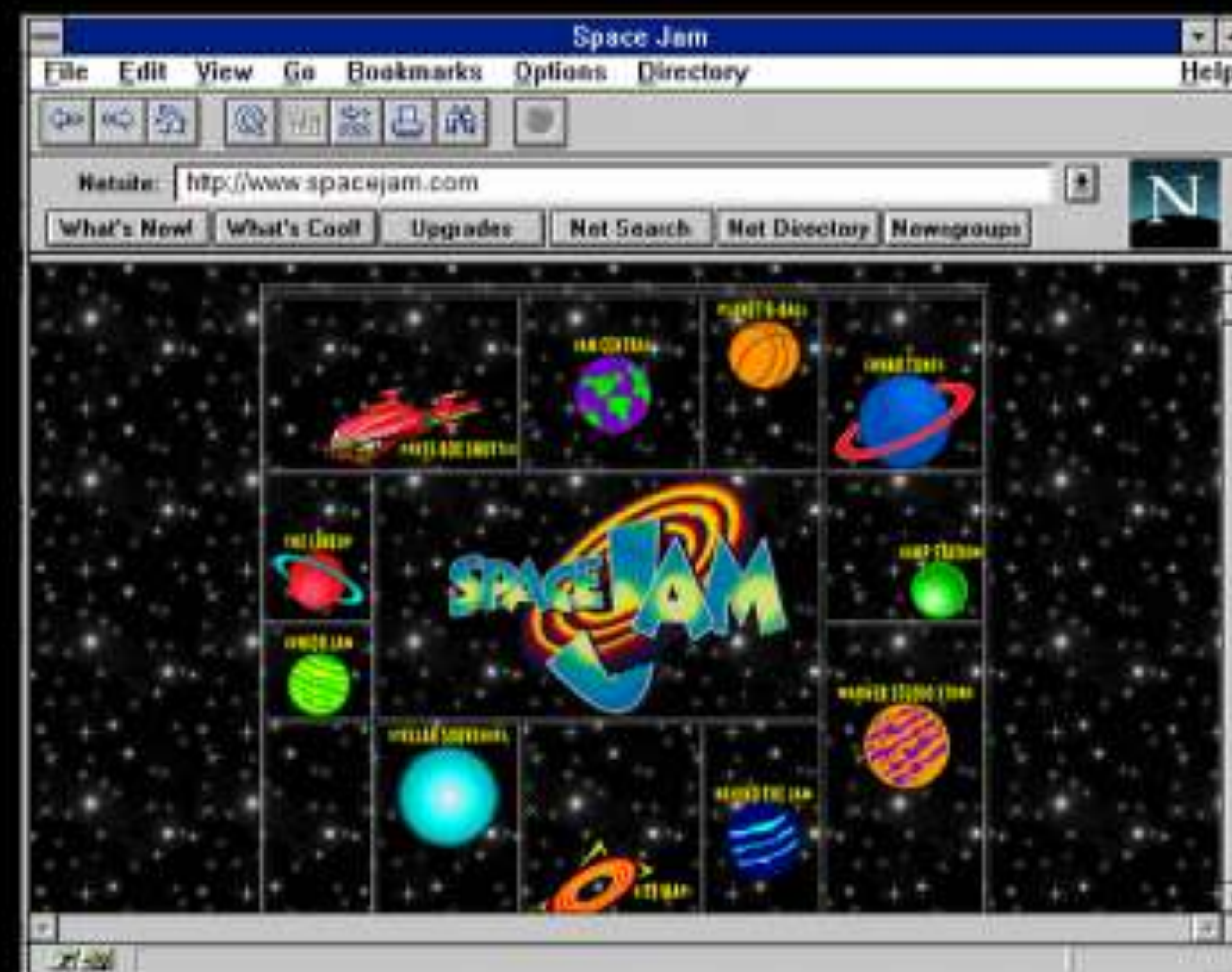
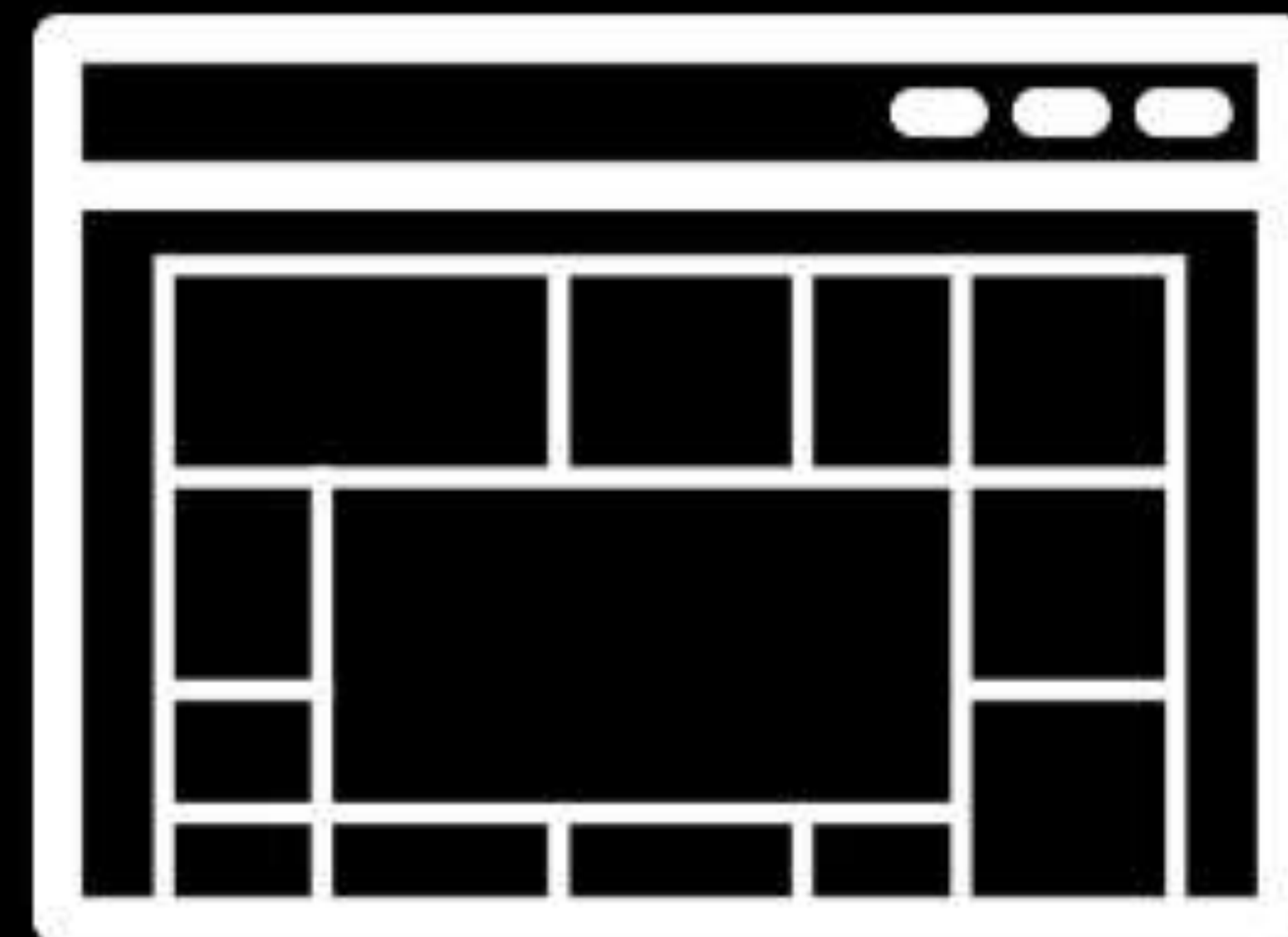
Hokkien for “pretty” or “beautiful”. Also used to describe something as properly or correctly done. “This layout do until very swee leh.”

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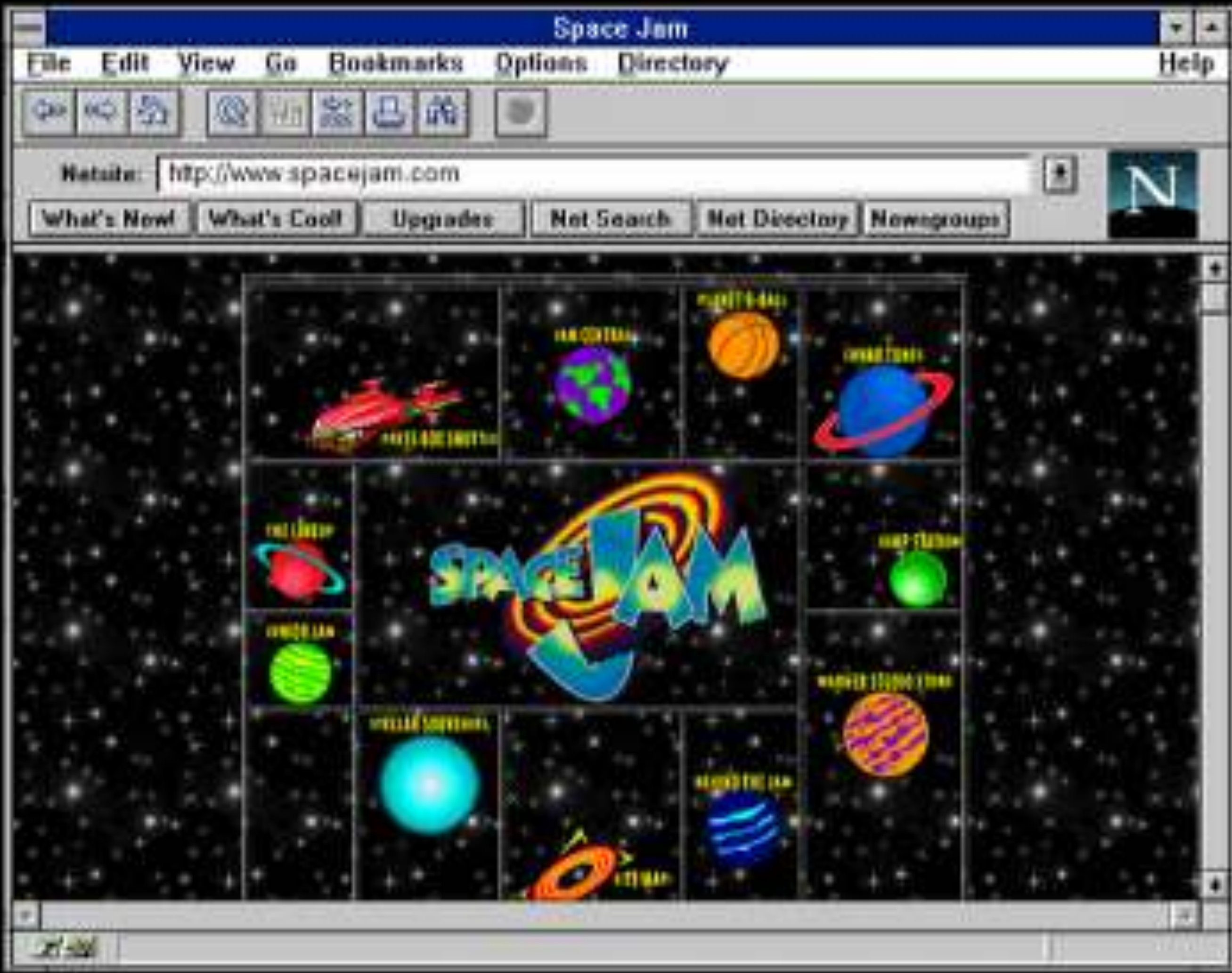
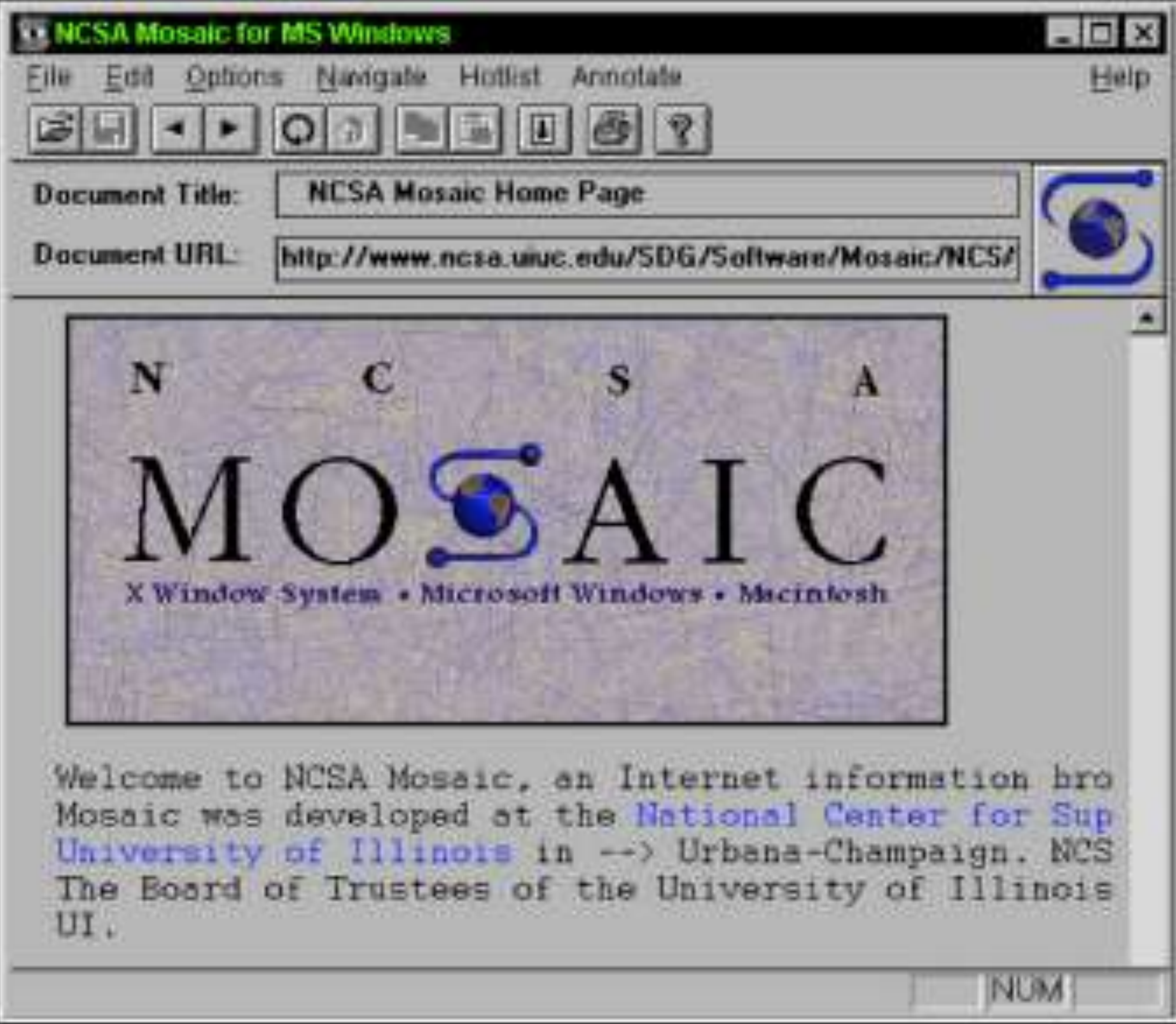
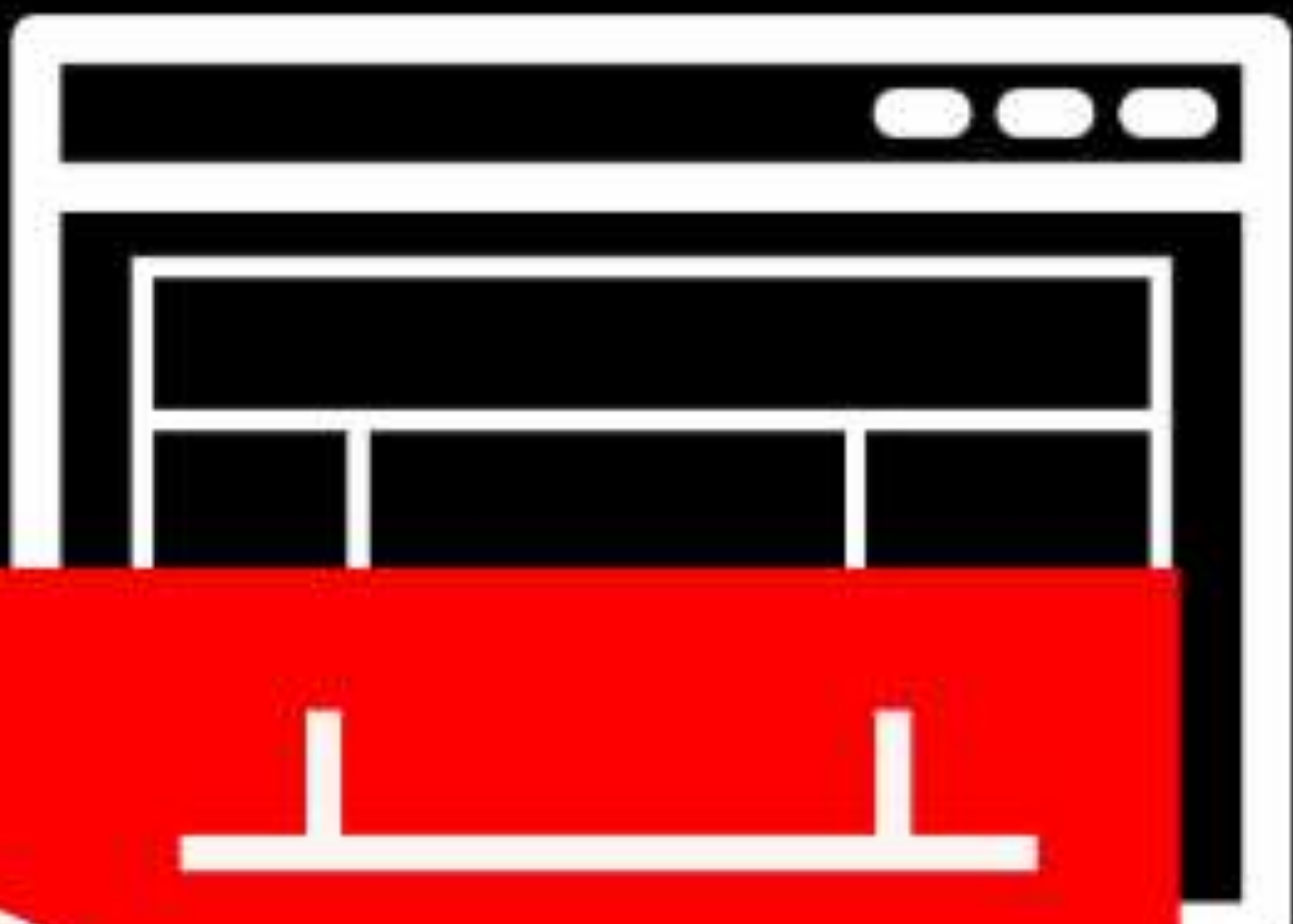
Singlish lesson: Jia lat

Hokkien adjective literally meaning "to eat strength". Means that a task is onerous and consumes one's energy. Can sometimes be used to denote being in trouble.

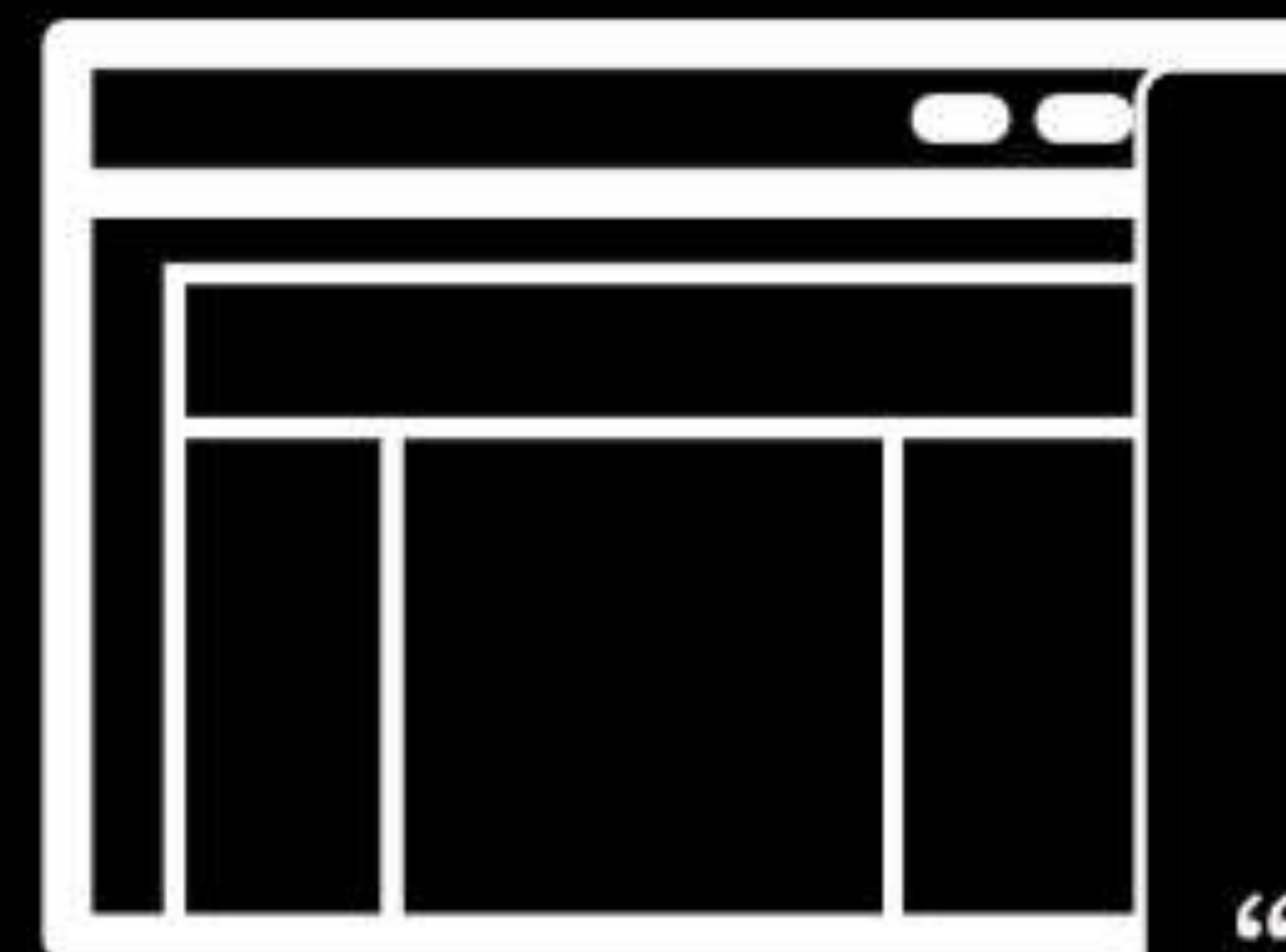
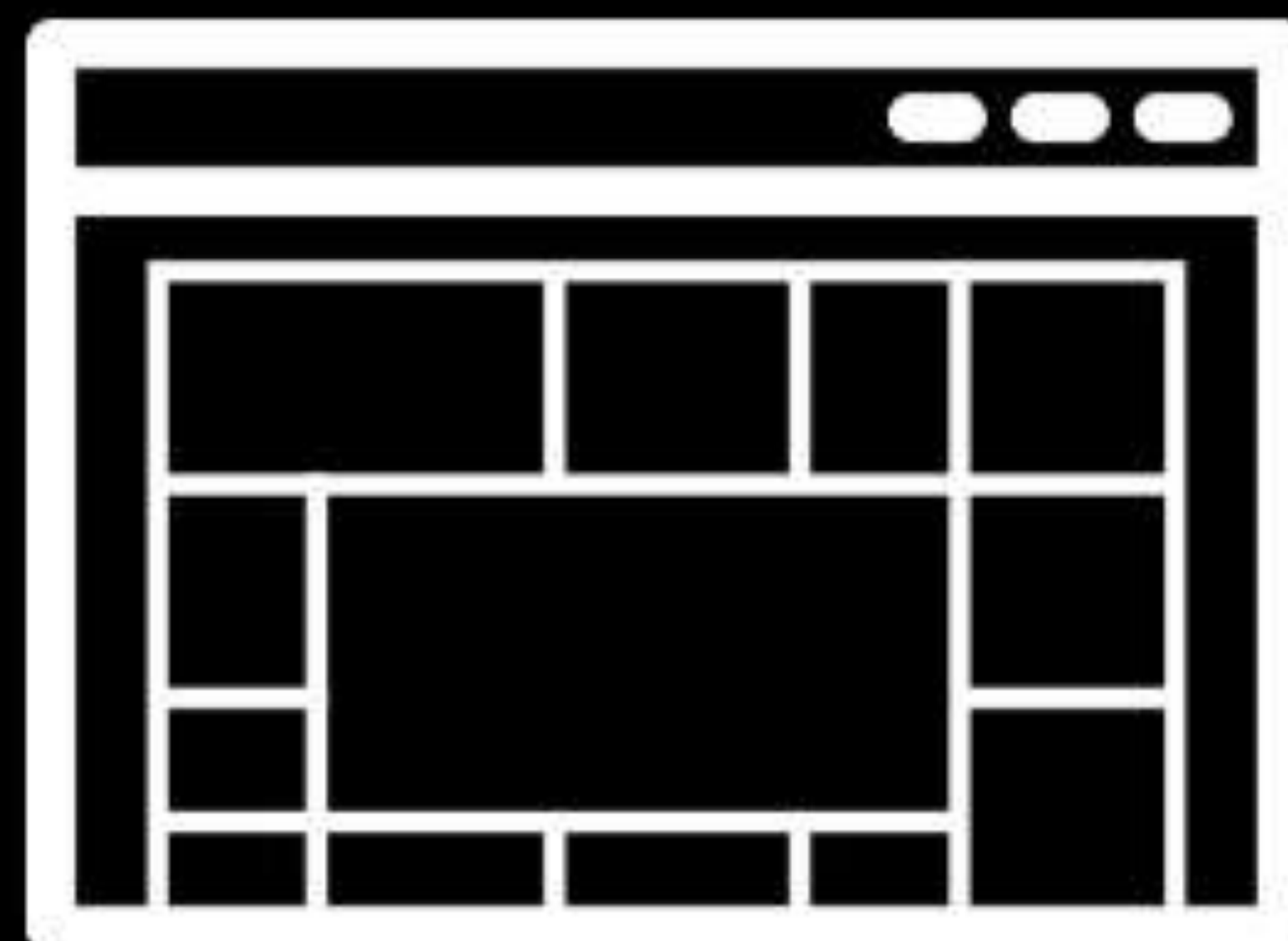
“Have you inspected Twitter lately? The markup nest until very jia lat leh.”

Source: [The Coxford Singlish Dictionary](#)

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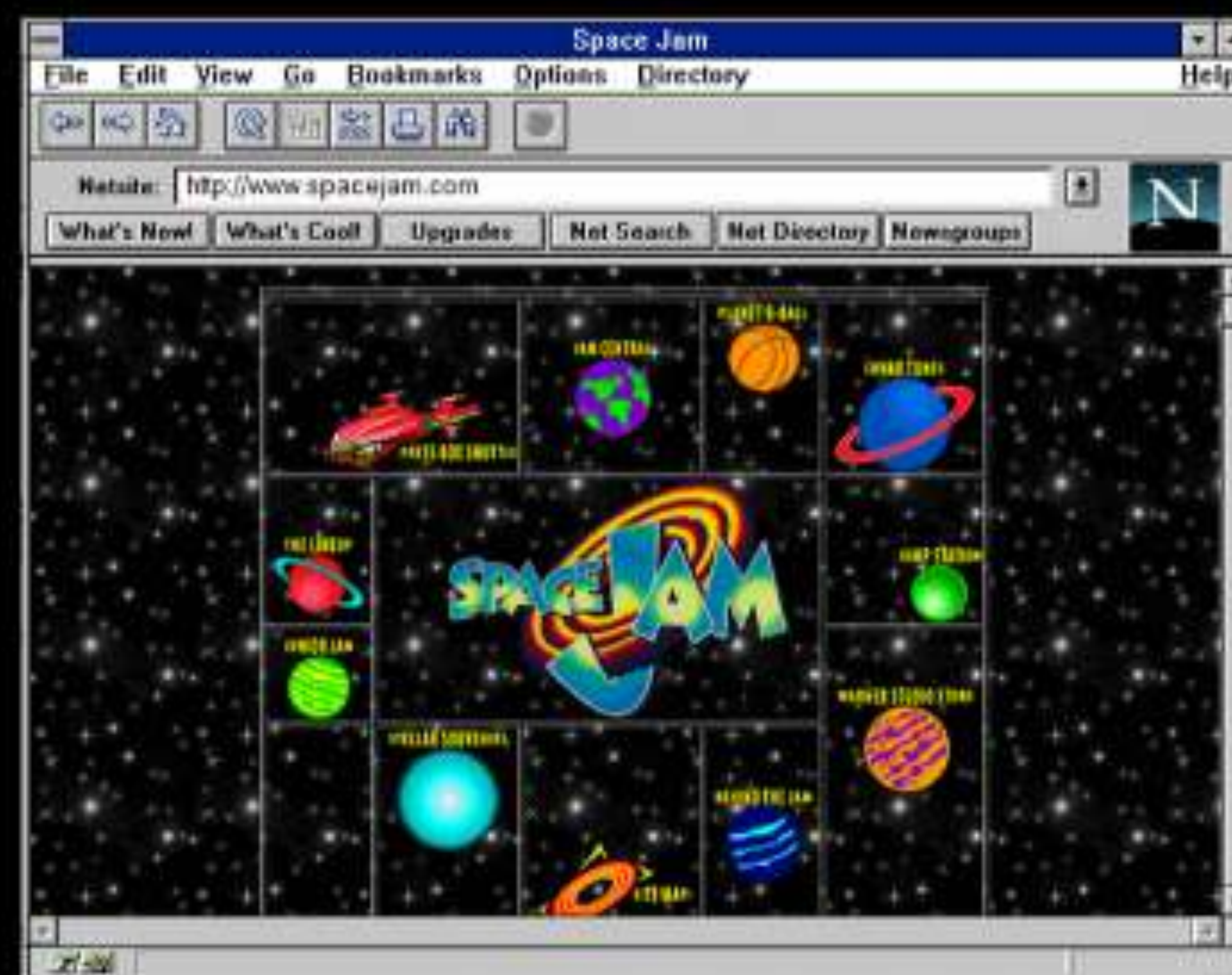


Singlish lesson: Senget

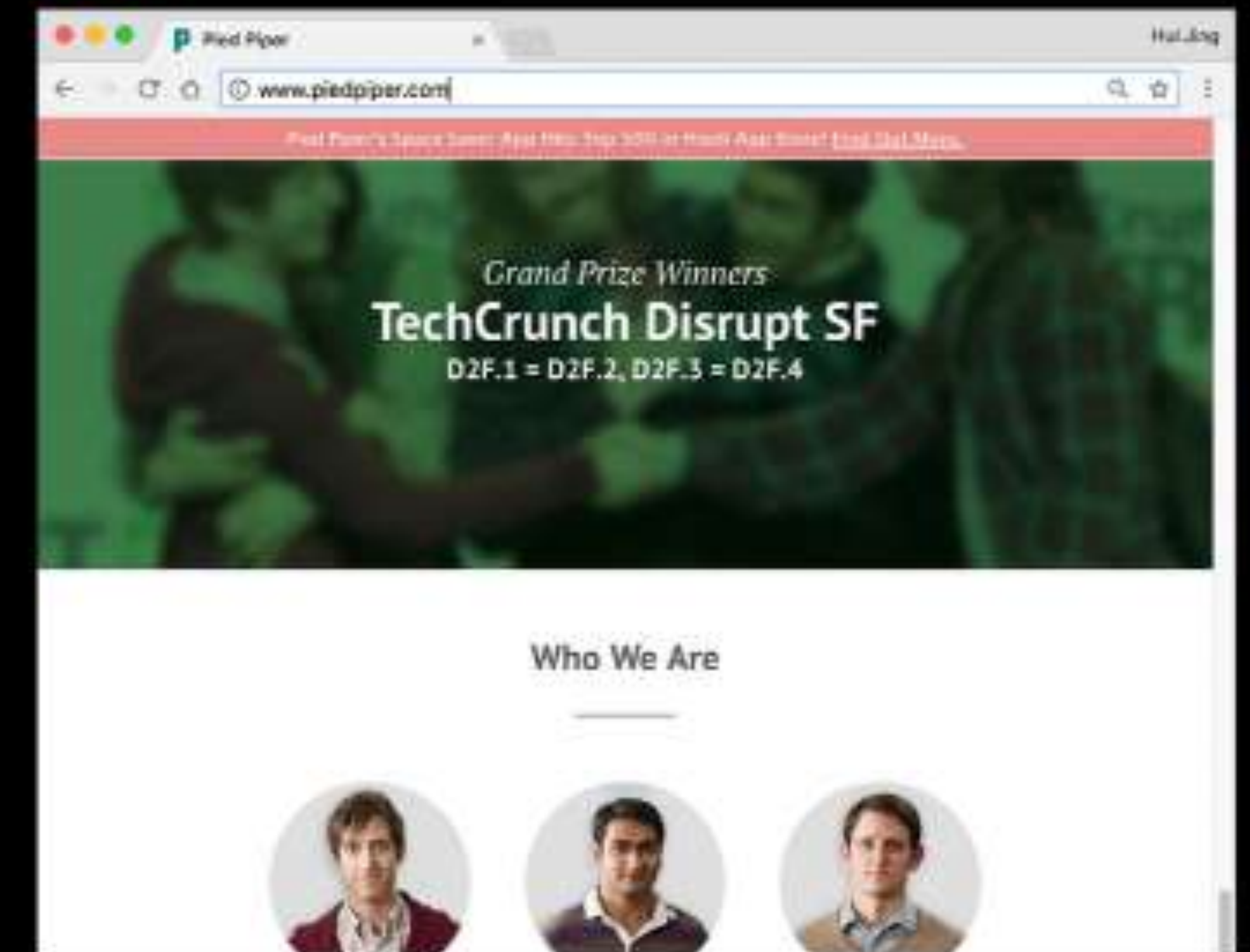
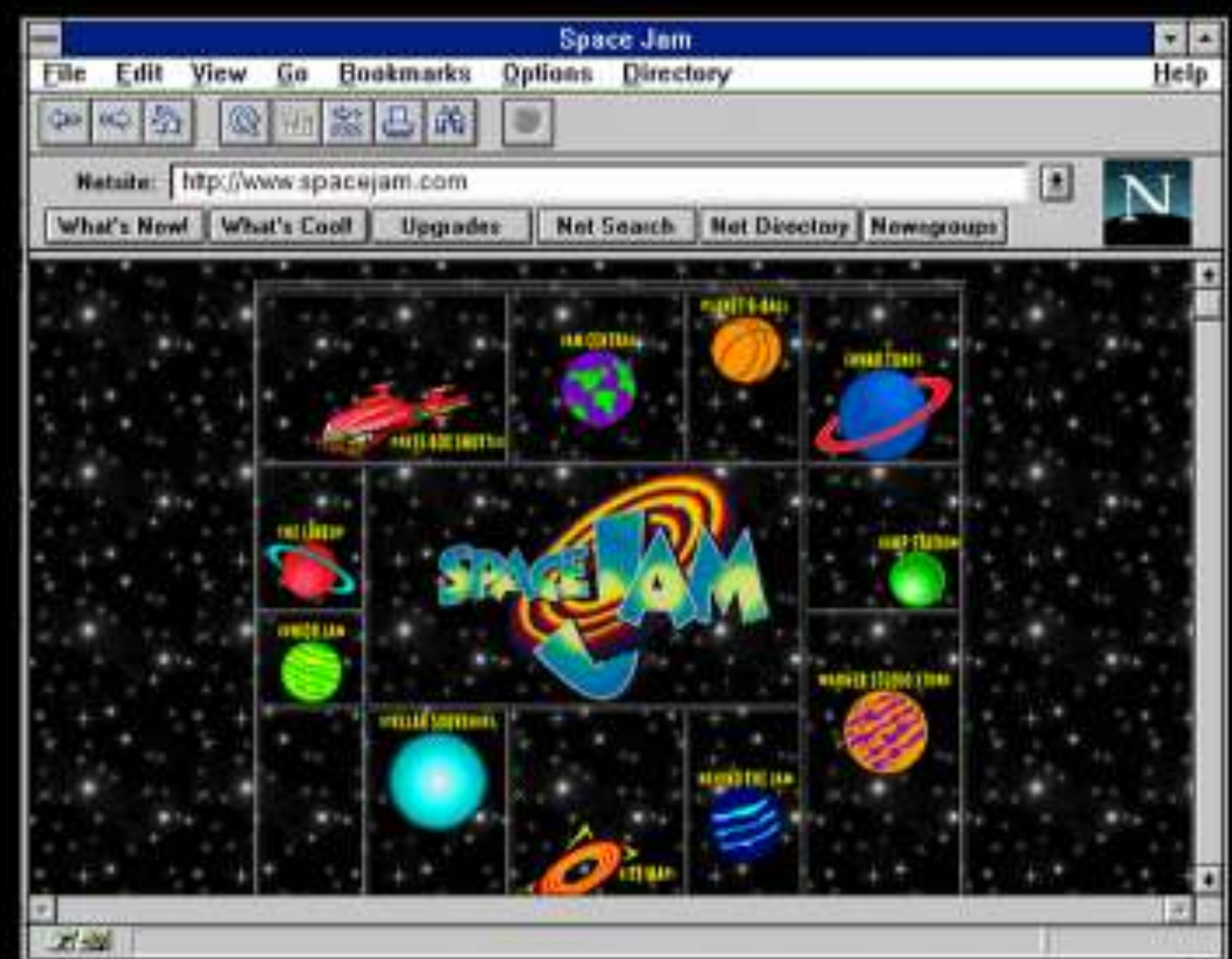
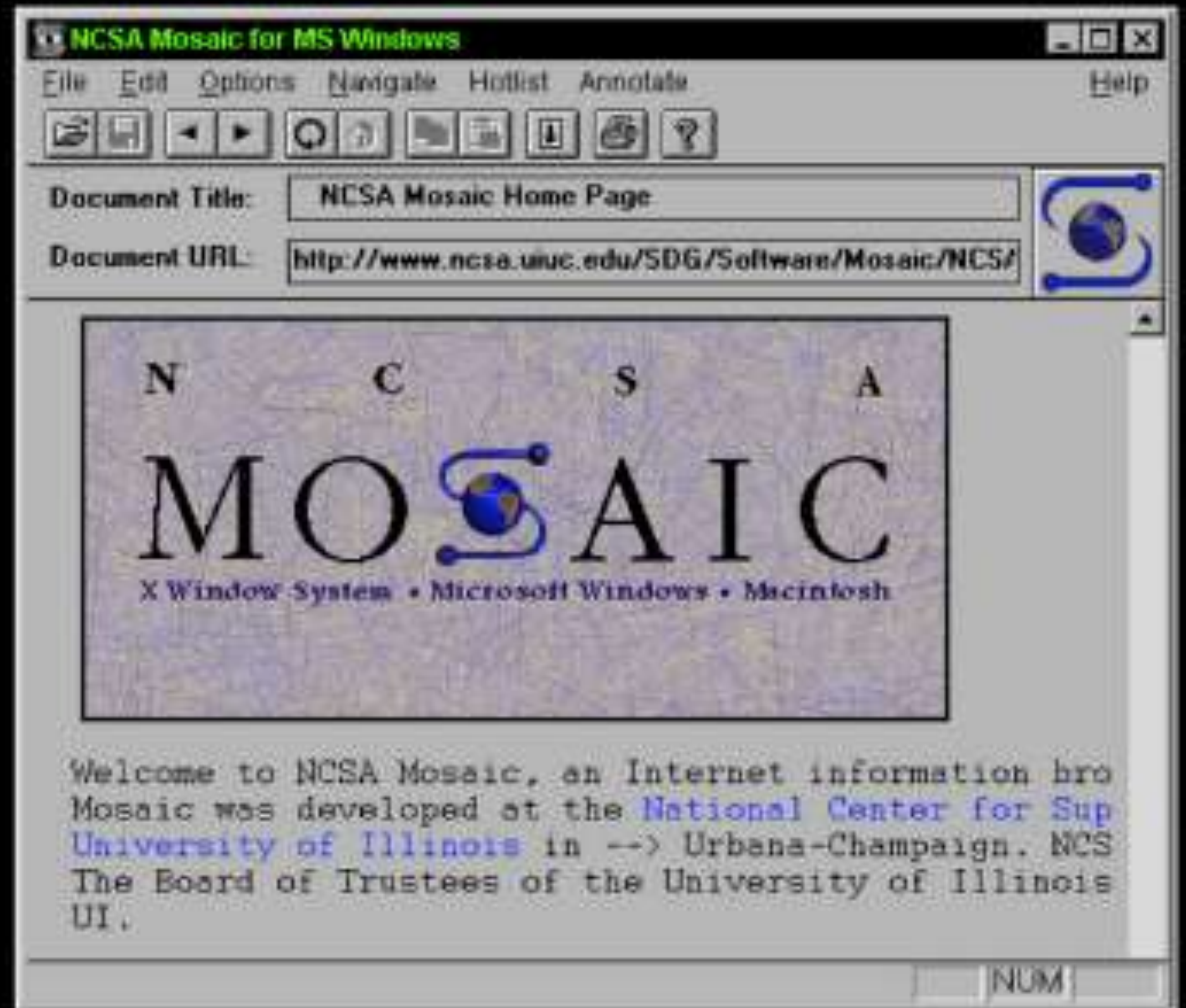
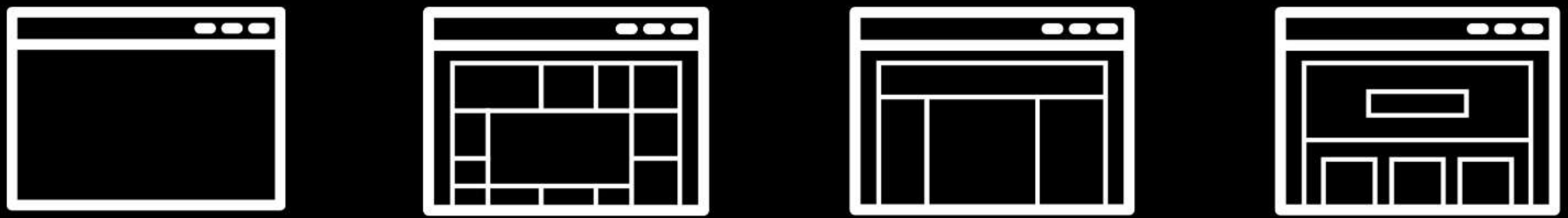
Malay for “slanted” or
“crooked”.

“How come the last item in
the row senget wan?”

Source: [The Coxford Singlish Dictionary](#)



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which one of the two possible websites are you currently designing?

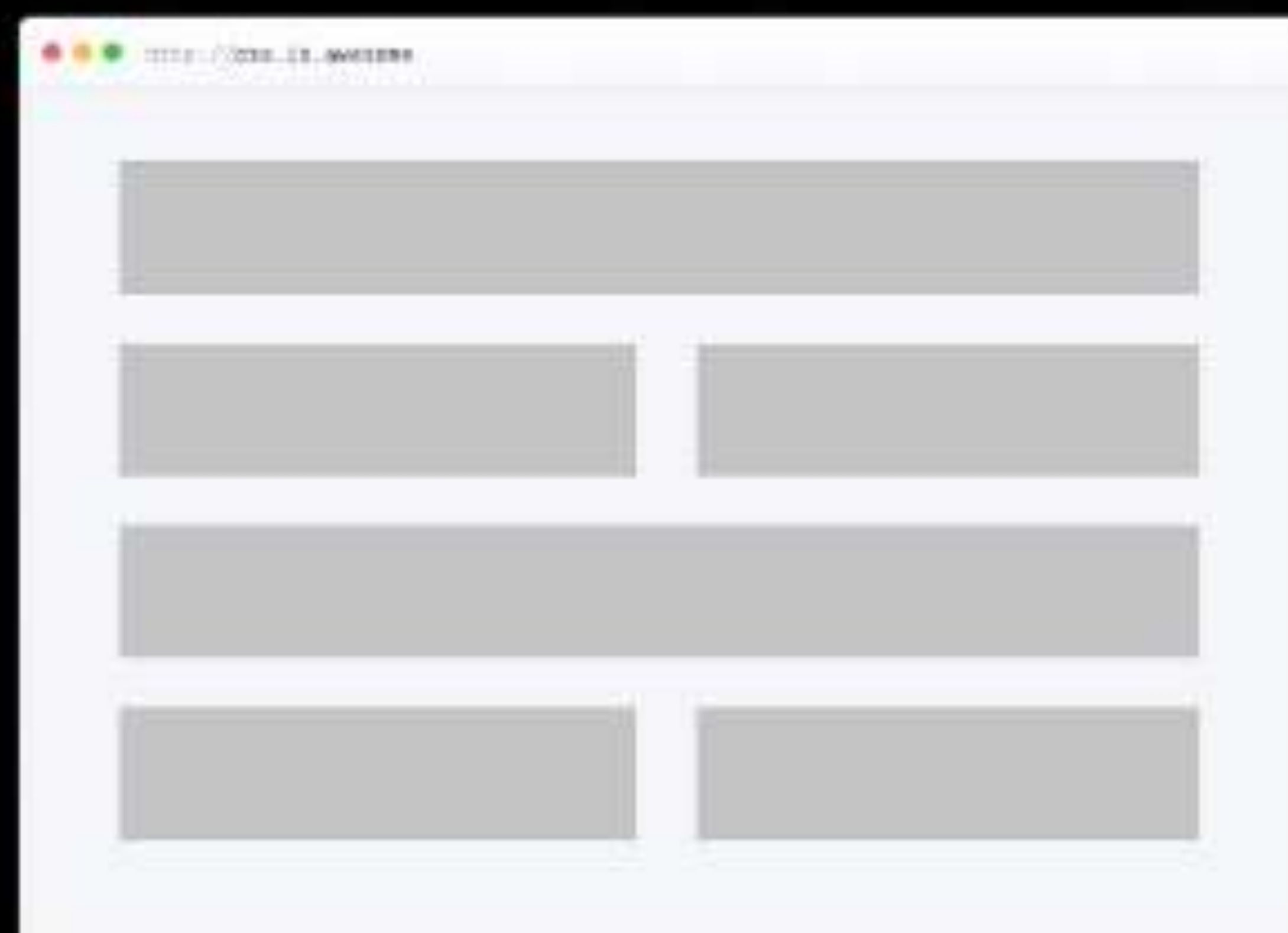


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BLOCK LAYOUT

designed for laying out documents



INLINE LAYOUT

designed for laying out text

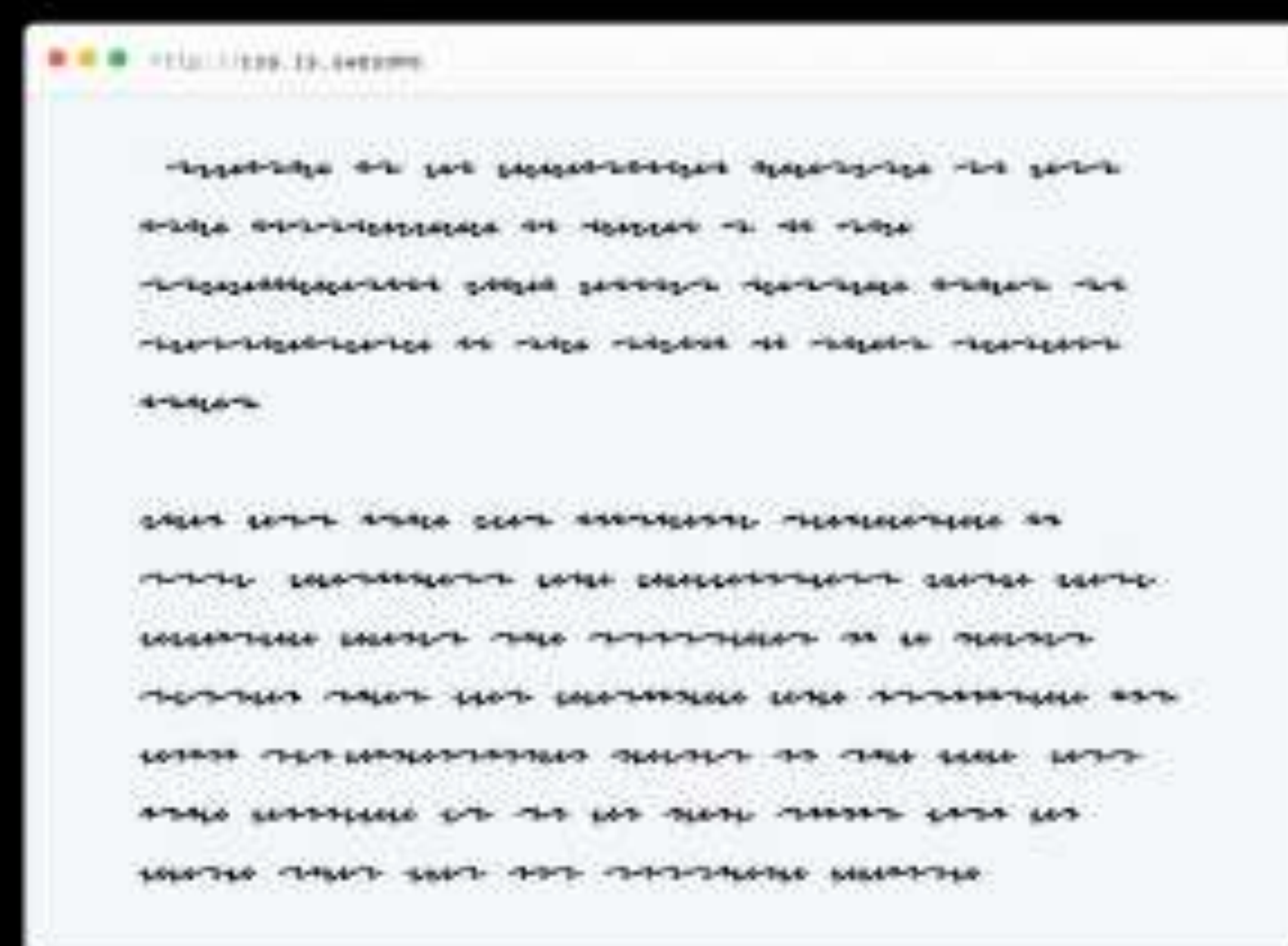


TABLE LAYOUT

designed for laying out 2D data in a tabular format



POSITIONED LAYOUT

designed for very explicit positioning without much regard for other elements in the document



FLEXIBLE BOX LAYOUT

describes a CSS box model optimised for **user interface design** and designed for laying out more **complex applications and webpages**



GRID LAYOUT

Defines a **two-dimensional** grid-based layout system,
optimised for **user interface design**.



WHY IS CSS GRID SPECIAL?

*“Grid works from the container in,
other layout methods start with the item”*

—Rachel Andrew

LAYOUT TECHNIQUE: `inline-block`

Item A	Item B	Item C
Item D	Item E	Item F

```
.inlineblock__item {  
  display: inline-block;  
  width: calc(100% / 3);  
}
```


LAYOUT TECHNIQUE: float

Item A	Item B	Item C
Item D	Item E	Item F

```
.float__item {  
  float: left;  
  width: calc(100% / 3);  
}
```


LAYOUT TECHNIQUE: flex

Item A	Item B	Item C
Item D	Item E	Item F

```
.flexbox {  
  display: flex;  
  flex-wrap: wrap;  
}  
  
.flexbox__item {  
  flex: 0 0 calc(100% / 3);  
}
```


“Grid is the only layout technique that establishes a relationship between rows and columns of grid items.”

“Grid is the
relationships
items.”



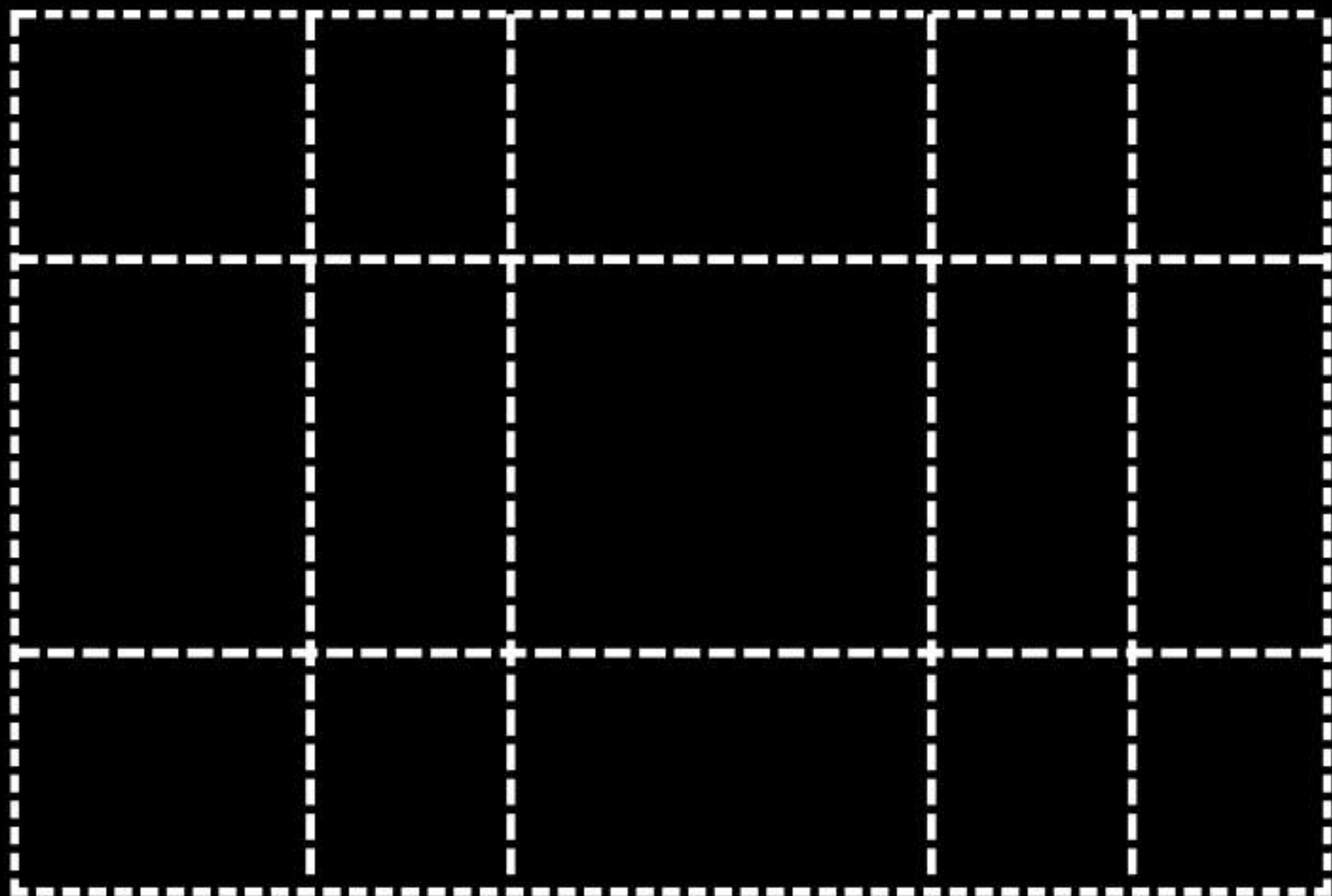
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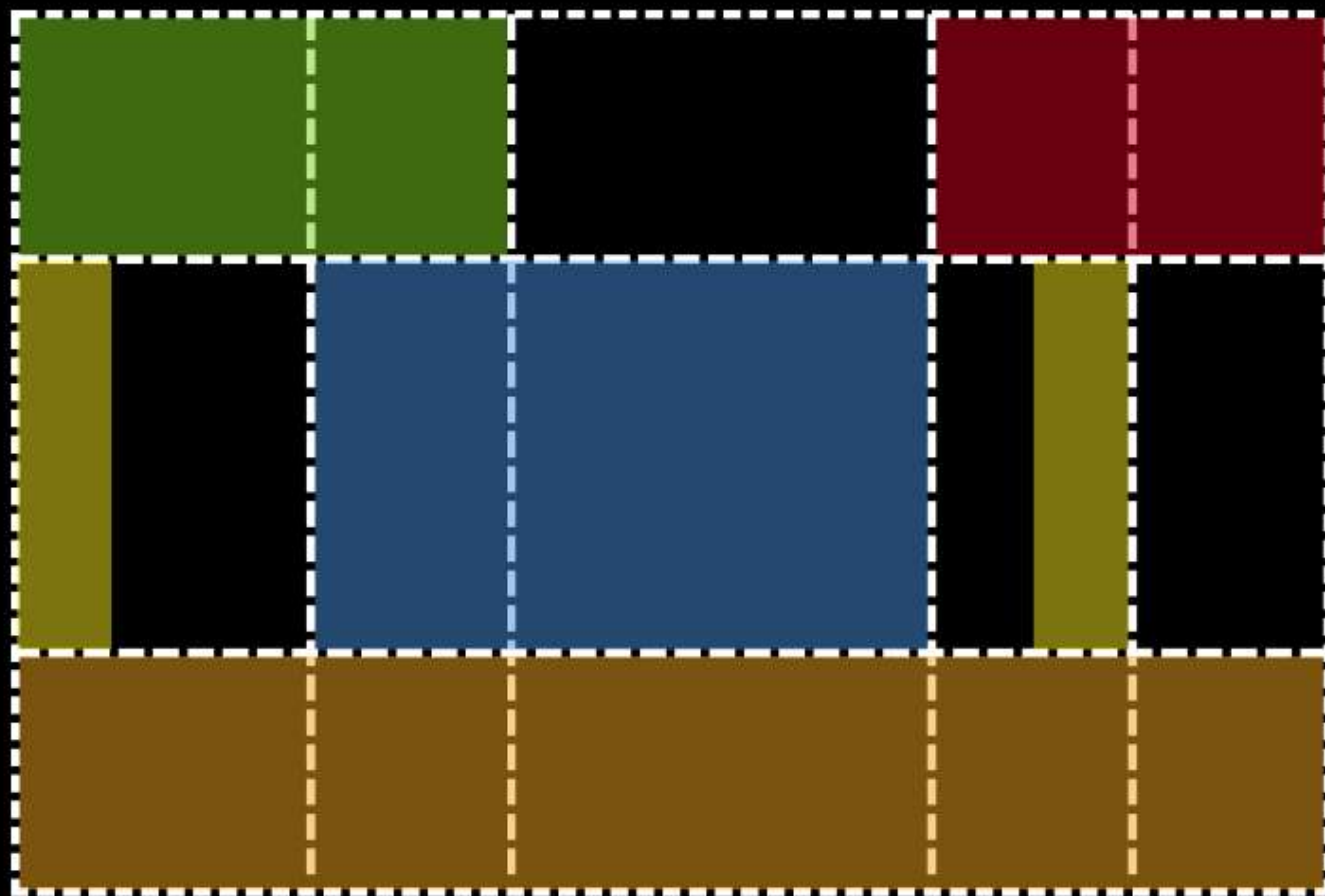


BASICS OF CSS GRID

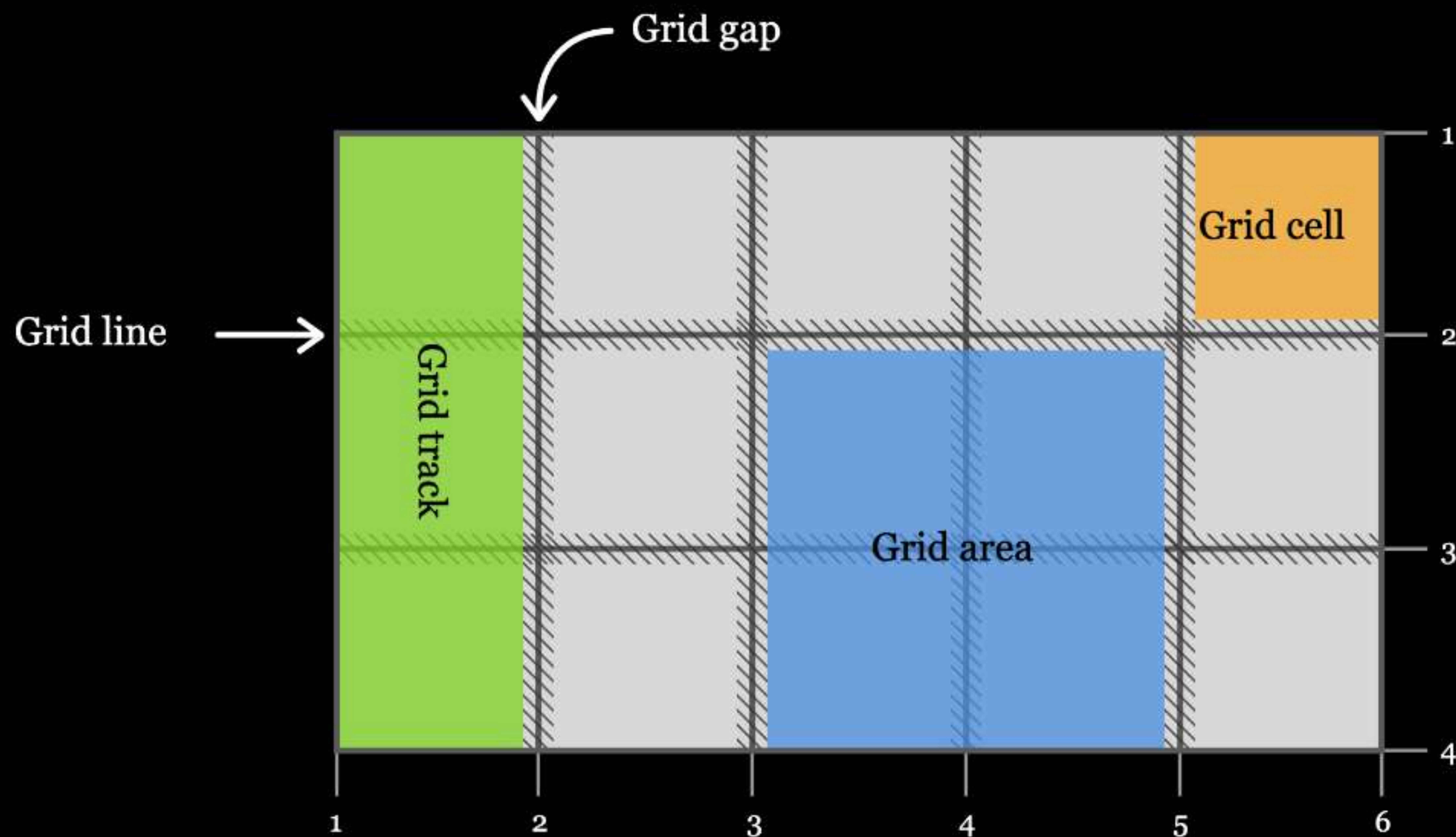
Define your grid.



Place items in the grid.



GRID TERMINOLOGY



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Singlish lesson: Si bei

Originated from Teochew,
means “very” or
“extremely”

Literally translates to “死父
(sǐ fù)” or “dead father”
“The CSS grid roll-out in
2017 was sibeï successful.”

BROWSER SUPPORT FOR GRID (LEVEL 1)

CSS Grid Layout (level 1) [↗](#)

Method of using a grid concept to lay out content, providing a mechanism for authors to divide available space for layout into columns and rows using a set of predictable sizing behaviors. Includes support for all `grid-*` properties and the `fr` unit.

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USING DEVTOOLS TO LEARN GRID

Live demo

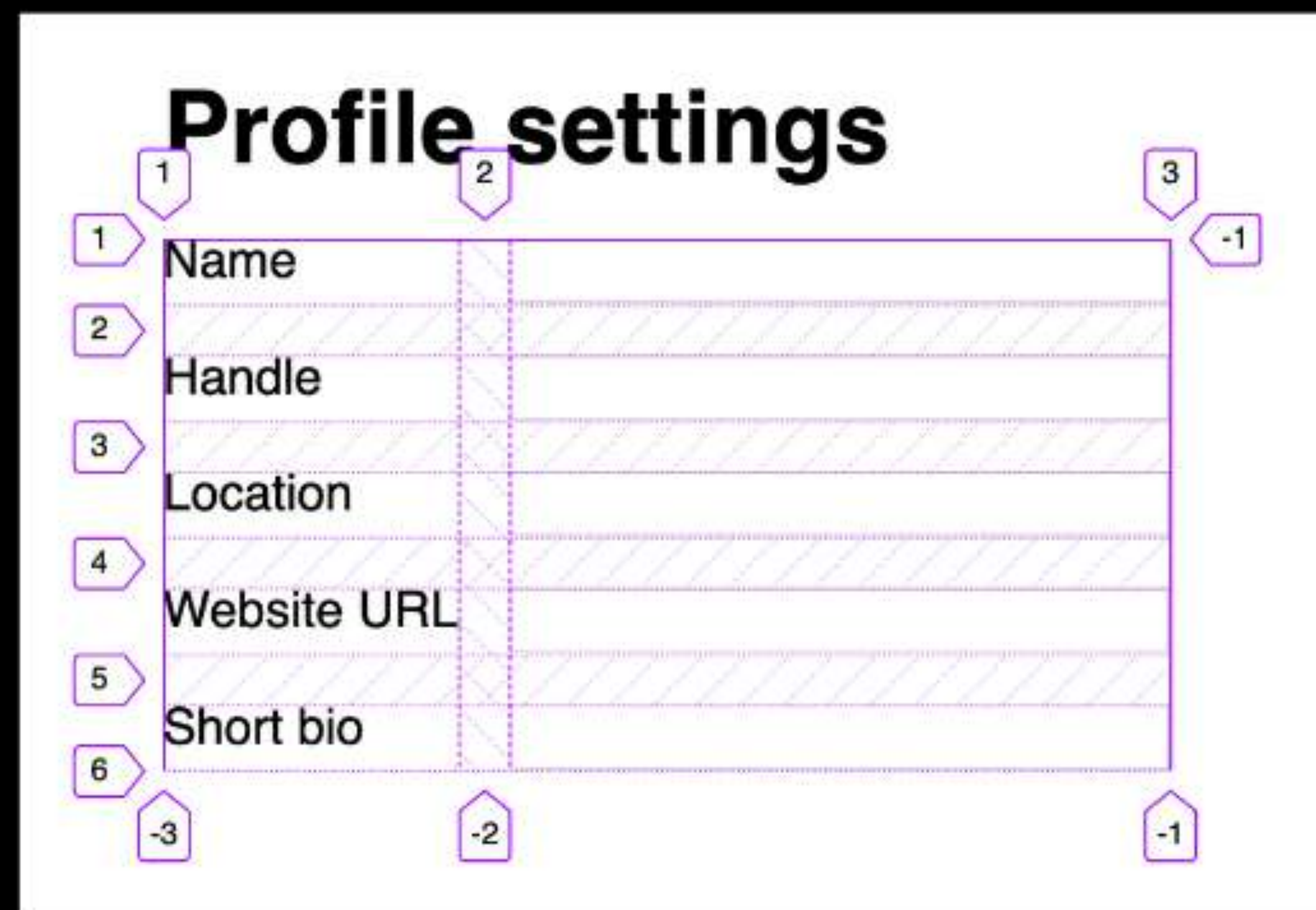
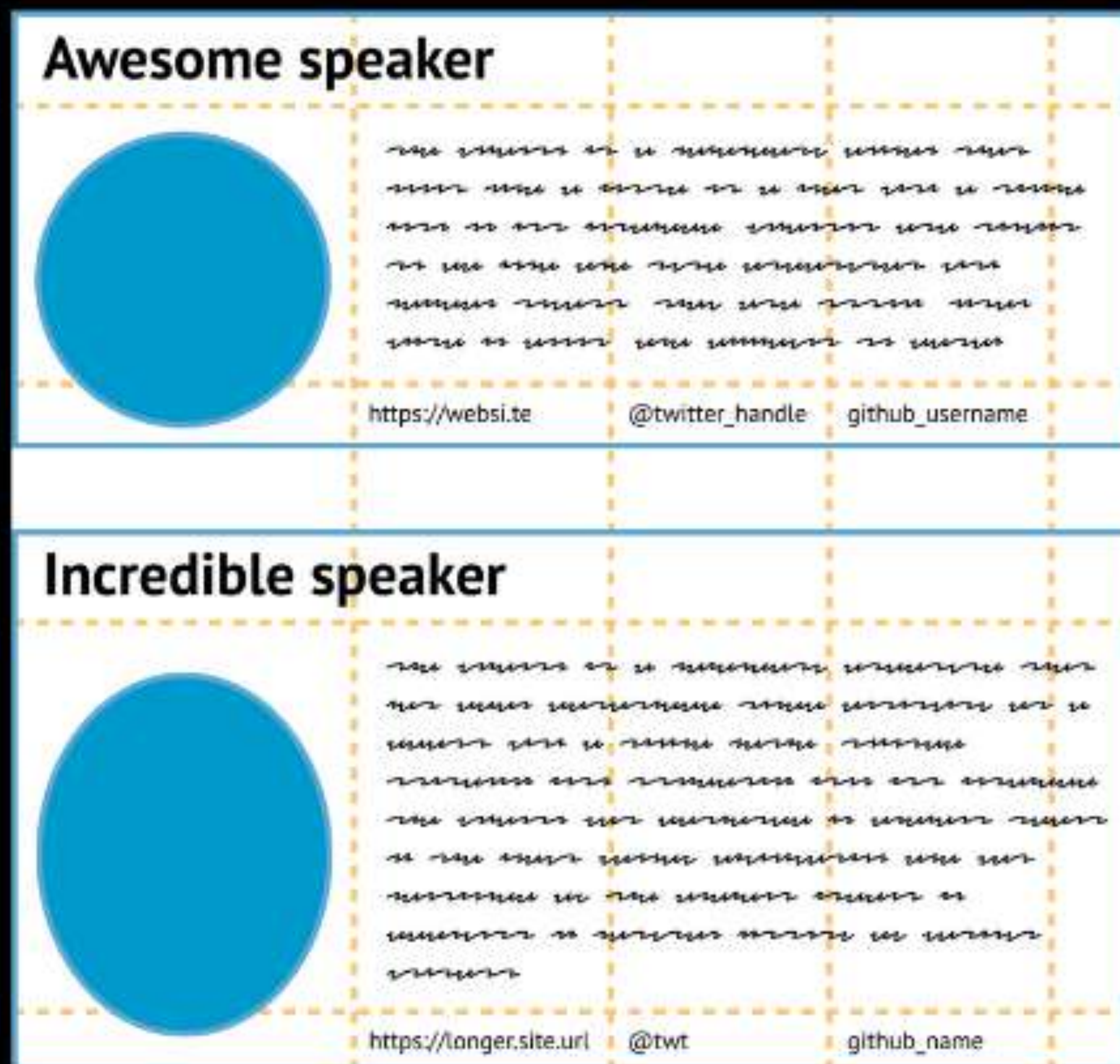


WHAT'S IN GRID LEVEL 2?

Level 2 expands Grid by:

- adding “**subgrid**” **capabilities** for nested grids to participate in the sizing of their parent grids
- **aspect-ratio–controlled gutters**

WHY DO WE NEED SUBGRID?



THE SUBGRID SYNTAX

Same properties, more values

```
grid-template-columns: subgrid <line-name-list>?  
grid-template-rows: subgrid <line-name-list>?
```

The subgrid keyword indicates to the browser the nested grid will use the same sizing as its parent along the relevant axis.

```
.subgrid-container {  
  grid-columns: 2 / 5; /* placement for the subgrid container itself */  
  
  display: grid; /* you must still apply a display: grid to the subgrid */  
  grid-template-columns: subgrid;  
  grid-template-rows: subgrid;  
}
```


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BROWSER SUPPORT FOR SUBGRID

CSS Subgrid

Feature of the CSS Grid Layout Module Level 2 that allows a grid-item with its own grid to align in one or both dimensions with its parent grid.

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- [CSS Grid Level 2: Here Comes Subgrid](#)
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