CSS Borders

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The CSS border properties allow you to specify the style, width, and color of an element's border.

I have borders on all sides.

I have a red bottom border.

I have rounded borders.

I have a blue left border.

CSS Border Style

The border-style property specifies what kind of border to display.

The following values are allowed:

- dotted Defines a dotted border
- dashed Defines a dashed border
- solid Defines a solid border
- double Defines a double border
- **groove** Defines a 3D grooved border. The effect depends on the border-color value
- ridge Defines a 3D ridged border. The effect depends on the border-color value
- inset Defines a 3D inset border. The effect depends on the border-color value
- outset Defines a 3D outset border. The effect depends on the border-color value
- none Defines no border
- hidden Defines a hidden border

The border-style property can have from one to four values (for the top border, right border, bottom border, and the left border).

Example

Demonstration of the different border styles:

```
p.dotted {border-style: dotted;}
p.dashed {border-style: dashed;}
p.solid {border-style: solid;}
p.double {border-style: double;}
p.groove {border-style: groove;}
p.ridge {border-style: ridge;}
p.inset {border-style: inset;}
p.outset {border-style: outset;}
p.none {border-style: none;}
p.hidden {border-style: hidden;}
p.mix {border-style: dotted dashed solid double;}
```

Result:

A dotted border.

A dashed border.

A solid border.

A double border.

A groove border. The effect depends on the border-color value.

A ridge border. The effect depends on the border-color value.

An inset border. The effect depends on the border-color value.

An outset border. The effect depends on the border-color value.

No border.

A hidden border.

A mixed border.

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Note: None of the OTHER CSS border properties (which you will learn more about in the next chapters) will have ANY effect unless the border-style property is set!

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