

A 3<sup>rd</sup> party component library to build high quality digital UIs

## Material Design.

- Material (Design) is a design system created by Google to help teams build high-quality digital experiences for Android, iOS, and web.
- A visual language that synthesizes classic principles of good design with the innovation and possibility of technology and science.
- Inspired by:
  - the physical world and its textures, including how they reflect light and cast shadows.
  - the study of paper and ink.
- Material is a metaphor.
  - Material surfaces reimagine the mediums of paper and ink.

### Material Components.

- Material Components are interactive building blocks for creating a digital user interface.
- They cover a range of interface needs, including:
  - 1. Display: Placing and organizing content using components like cards, lists, and grids.
  - 2. Navigation: Allowing users to move through an application using components like navigation drawers and tabs.
  - 3. Actions: Allowing users to perform tasks using components such as the floating action button.
  - 4. Input: Enter information or make selections using components like text fields and selection controls.
  - Communication: Alerting users to key information and messages using snackbars, banners and dialogues.

### Theming.

Material Design does not mean copy Google design.

- Material Theming customize Material Design to match the look and feel of your brand, with built-in support and guidance for customizing colors, typography styles, and corner shape.
  - 1. Color Material's <u>color system</u> is an organized approach to applying color to a UI.
    - Have a a Global color styles with semantic names and defined usage in components – primary, secondary.
  - Typography Material's <u>type system provides 13</u> typography styles for everything from headlines to body text and captions.

#### Material UI.

- A React component library based on the Material Design system.
- Components include <Card />, <Box />, <Grid />, <Menu />,
   <Button />, <Icon />, <Snackbar />, <Typography /> ......
- Build your own design system, or start with a default.
- The CSS-in-JS programming model.

### CSS-in-JS

```
Plain CSS
                                       CSS-in-JS
.my-header {
                                    .import { makeStyles } from
 background-color: lightblue;
                                        "@material-ui/core/styles";
 padding: 10px;
                                    const useStyles = makeStyles(({
                                        myHeader: {
                          Must be
                                         backgroundColor: "lightblue",
                        CamelCase
import 'app.css'
                                         padding: "10px"
                                       } );
<header
                                    const classes = useStyles()
   className="my-header">
                                     <header
                                     className={classes.myHeader}>
</header>
                                      .....</header>
```

# Many alternatives

- Libraries:
  - Tailwind.
  - Chakra.
  - React-Bootstrap.
  - **–** ......
- Design systems:
  - ANT.

- CSS models:
  - CSS modules.
  - BEM.