

CSS

Write Better Styles



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Dont Repeat Yourself

Coding like this will make your style blocks more reusable and adaptable.



```
.primary-btn {  
  padding: 0.65rem 1.25rem;  
  border-radius: 0.75rem;  
  font-size: 1rem;  
  background: #8f44fd;  
  color: #f7f7f7;  
}
```

```
.secondary-btn {  
  padding: 0.65rem 1.25rem;  
  border-radius: 0.75rem;  
  font-size: 1rem;  
  background: #009eff;  
  color: #f7f7f7;  
}
```



```
.btn {  
  padding: 0.65rem 1.25rem;  
  border-radius: 0.75rem;  
  font-size: 1rem;  
  color: #f7f7f7;  
}
```

```
.btn.primary {  
  background: #8f44fd;  
}
```

```
.btn.secondary {  
  background: #009eff;  
}
```




Avoid !important

Often used to hack specificity, but you don't need it - just be more specific.



```
.tippy-tooltip {  
  background:  
    #1ac0a2 !important;  
}
```



```
body .tippy-tooltip {  
  background: #1ac0a2;  
}
```




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Use shorthand

This can be misused but useful if you are setting a lot of the same properties.



```
.btn {  
  padding-left: 1rem;  
  padding-right: 1rem;  
  padding-top: 1rem;  
  padding-bottom: 1rem;  
}
```



```
.btn {  
  padding: 1rem;  
}
```




Font fallbacks

If your main font can not be loaded for some reason, it's nice to offer a similar system font.



```
body {  
  font-family:  
    "Euclid Circular A";  
}
```



```
body {  
  font-family:  
    "Euclid Circular A",  
    BlinkMacSystemFont,  
    "Segoe UI",  
    sans-serif,  
}
```



Hex instead of name

Hex codes are more widely supported in all browsers, so it's a safe bet to always use them.

```
p {  
  color: royalblue;  
}
```



```
p {  
  color: #4169e1;  
}
```




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Stacked selectors

Apply generic styles to more than one class by separating with a comma and stacking them up.



```
.button {  
  height: 3rem;  
  width: 10rem;  
}  
  
.textbox {  
  height: 3rem;  
}
```




```
.button,  
.textbox {  
  height: 3rem;  
}  
  
.button {  
  width: 10rem;  
}
```




Reset box-sizing

Most commonly you'll want this setting on every element, so it's better to reset it via * selector.



```
.button {  
  box-sizing: border-box;  
}  
  
.input {  
  box-sizing: border-box;  
}
```



```
* {  
  box-sizing: border-box;  
}
```



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