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Sass cheatsheet



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Introduction

This is a quick reference to Sass stylesheets.

Sass documentation

(sass-lang.com)

Variables

```
$red: #833;

body {
   color: $red;
}
```

Nesting

Comments

```
/* Block comments */
// Line comments
```

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Mixins

```
@mixin heading-font {
  font-family: sans-serif;
  font-weight: bold;
}
h1 {
  @include heading-font;
}
with parameters
@mixin font-size($n) {
  font-size: $n * 1.2em;
}
body {
  @include font-size(2);
}
with default values
@mixin pad($n: 10px) {
  padding: $n;
}
body {
 @include pad(15px);
with a default variable
// Set a default value
$default-padding: 10px;
@mixin pad($n: $default-padding) {
  padding: $n;
}
body {
 @include pad(15px);
```

Extend

```
.button {
...
}
.push-button {
@extend .button;
}
```

Composing

```
@import './other_sass_file';
@use './other_sass_file';

The @import rule is discouraged because will get eventually removed from the language.
Instead, we should use the @use rule.
The .scss or .sass extension is optional.
```

Color functions

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rgba

```
rgb(100, 120, 140)
rgba(100, 120, 140, .5)
rgba($color, .5)
```

Mixing

```
mix($a, $b, 10%) // 10% a, 90% b
```

Modifying HSLA

```
darken($color, 5%)
lighten($color, 5%)

saturate($color, 5%)
desaturate($color, 5%)
grayscale($color)

adjust-hue($color, 15deg)
complement($color)  // like adjust-hue(_, 180deg)
invert($color)

fade-in($color, .5)  // aka opacify()
fade-out($color, .5)  // aka transparentize() - halves the opacity
rgba($color, .5)  // sets alpha to .5
```

Getting individual values

Adjustments

```
// Changes by fixed amounts
adjust-color($color, $blue: 5)
adjust-color($color, $lightness: -30%) // like darken(_, 30%)
adjust-color($color, $alpha: -0.4) // like fade-out(_, .4)
adjust-color($color, $hue: 30deg) // like adjust-hue(_, 15deg)

// Changes via percentage
scale-color($color, $hightness: 50%)

// Changes one property completely
change-color($color, $hue: 180deg)
change-color($color, $blue: 250)

Supported: $red $green $blue $hue $saturation $lightness $alpha
```

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Other functions

Strings

```
unquote('hello')
quote(hello)

to-upper-case(hello)
to-lower-case(hello)

str-length(hello world)
str-slice(hello, 2, 5)  // "ello" - it's 1-based, not 0-based
str-insert("abcd", "X", 1) // "Xabcd"
```

Units

```
unit(3em) // 'em'
unitless(100px) // false
```

Numbers

```
floor(3.5)
ceil(3.5)
round(3.5)
abs(3.5)

min(1, 2, 3)
max(1, 2, 3)

percentage(.5) // 50%
random(3) // 0..3
```

Misc

```
variable-exists(red)  // checks for $red
mixin-exists(red-text)  // checks for @mixin red-text
function-exists(redify)

global-variable-exists(red)

selector-append('.menu', 'li', 'a')  // .menu li a
selector-nest('.menu', '&:hover li')  // .menu:hover li
selector-extend(...)
selector-parse(...)
selector-replace(...)
selector-unify(...)
```

Feature checks

Feature check

```
feature-exists(global-variable-shadowing)
```

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Features

```
global-variable-shadowing
extend-selector-pseudoclass
units-level-3
at-error
```

Loops

For loops

```
@for $i from 1 through 4 {
   .item-#{$i} { left: 20px * $i; }
}
```

Each loops (simple)

```
$menu-items: home about services contact;

@each $item in $menu-items {
   .photo-#{$item} {
    background: url('images/#{$item}.jpg');
   }
}
```

Each loops (nested)

```
$backgrounds: (home, 'home.jpg'), (about, 'about.jpg');

@each $id, $image in $backgrounds {
   .photo-#{$id} {
    background: url($image);
   }
}
```

While loops

```
$i: 6;
@while $i > 0 {
   .item-#{$i} { width: 2em * $i; }
$i: $i - 2;
}
```

Other features

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Conditionals

```
@if $position == 'left' {
   position: absolute;
   left: 0;
}
@else if $position == 'right' {
   position: absolute;
   right: 0;
}
@else {
   position: static;
}
```

Interpolation

```
.#{$klass} { ... } // Class
call($function-name) // Functions

@media #{$tablet}
font: #{$size}/#{$line-height}
url("#{$background}.jpg")
```

Lists

```
$list: (a b c);
nth($list, 1) // starts with 1
length($list)
@each $item in $list { ... }
```

Maps

```
$map: (key1: value1, key2: value2, key3: value3);
map-get($map, key1)
```

See also

http://sass-lang.com/documentation/Sass/Script/Functions.html

http://sass-lang.com/documentation/file.SASS_REFERENCE.html#sassscript

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