

Introduction

Cascading Style Sheets (CSS3)







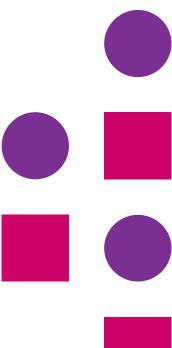






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What is CSS3?

- CSS stands for Cascading Style Sheet
- CSS3 is the latest version of CSS
- CSS describes how HTML elements are to be displayed on screen, paper, or in other media
- We can control the layout of multiple web pages all at once using CSS



CSS2 & CSS3

- CSS3 is divided into many different documents called modules. Every module adds new capability. In CSS2 everything submitted as a single document.
- The CSS3 version supports many more browser than CSS2
- CSS3 has added new feature such as new combinator, new CSS selectors, new pseudo-elements and new style properties





Inline Style Sheet

- Style Information can be included in following ways
 - Inline
 - Internal
 - External



Inline Style Sheet

- Inline i.e within the tag of HTML elements
- Some times referred as local styles

Syntax:

style="declaration"

/* Here declaration is "property:value" pair */

Example:

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Internal Style Sheet

- Internal style sheets are ideal for individual page
- Style information can be embedded directly within the document

```
Syntax:
<head>
<style> selector { declaration } </style>
</head>
```



Internal Style Sheet Example

```
<head>
  <style>
     body { background-color: pink; }
     h1 { font-family: verdana; }
     p { color: red; }
  </style>
</head>
```



External Style Sheet

- External style sheets are used to make changes on multiple pages
- External style sheet is separate document which has style definitions .An external style can be written in any text editor .The file must not contain any html code and must be save with .css extension
- To use an external style sheet add link to it in the head section of html



External Style sheet

(Example - HTML)

```
<head>
```

<link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css">

</head>



External Style sheet

(Example – style.css)

```
body {
  background-color:pink;
  font-family:courier;
  color:green;
  font-size:200%;
  color:magenta;
```

Multiple Style Sheet

 If some properties have been defined for the same selector in different style sheets, the value from the last read style sheet will be used



Multiple Style Sheet Example

```
<head>
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="style1.css">
<style>
p {
  font-size:20px;
</style>
</head>
```

```
style1.css
p {
  font-size:15px;
}
```

 Internal style sheet is defined after the link to the external style sheet, so font size will be 20px

Cascading Order

Selecting one style if more than one style is specified for an HTML element

The following rules, where number one has highest priority

- Inline style
- External & Internal Style sheet
- Browser default

Here Inline style has the highest priority, which means it will override a style defined as internal or External sheet or a browser default value



CSS Comments

- CSS comments allows to enter the notes that will not be interpreted
- A CSS comments STARTS with /* and ENDS with */
- Comments can also span multiple lines



CSS Comments

```
Example: /* Single line comment */
a:hover {
    color: deeppink;
}

/* multi-line
    * css comments
    */
```











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