



Premium HTML Template from Designova

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User Guide



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01. Introduction

Greetings from Designova.

Thank you so much for purchasing this HTML template. This PDF guide will help you to setup a fully functional website based on this HTML template, kindly follow all the instructions properly. This guide assumes basic knowledge of HTML and CSS.

We have tried our level best to make this documentation as comprehensive as possible but understand that at times, you may need to contact us for additional support. You can reach out for this support by opening a ticket at our dedicated forum on our website: <http://designova.net/support.html>

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02. Using an HTML Template

KROME is an HTML template - this means that all domain and hosting should be organised by you. If you do not have a hosting account, we recommend you to try [MediaTemple](#) which is a reputed web hosting service we use for hosting our theme demos, this will work best for you too.

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What do I need to upload to my server?

You'll need to upload all HTML files along with all directories (stylesheets, javascripts, mail, images etc.) in the structure that they appear in your download package. That is, all HTML files should reside in the root directory, and all other files should reside inside their associated folder.

I uploaded the pages, but they look strange and bare

This is usually a result of the CSS folder not being uploaded correctly. Ensure the CSS folder is uploaded in the same directory as your HTML files so they have correct access.

PLEASE NOTE:

This template is an advanced HTML5 template powered by some modern features such as CSS3, LESS and AJAX to render the styles, colors, fonts and some additional visual enhancements. LESS and AJAX will work only from server side, means **you have to upload all files to a real web hosting server in order to view proper colours and fonts** rendering of this template. If you just test them from your local computer you will not be able to see proper colours or fonts, but this is not at all any errors. Please upload the template to a web server and edit it there.

Where should I add my CSS style changes?

Ensure that you only make style changes inside main.css. This will make it much easier to update the template later - you'll only need to preserve your custom.css file.

If I need help, will you provide free support?

Yes, we have a dedicated support system <http://designova.net/support.html> Our support is applicable only for issues and bugs within our product live previews (non-edited version of the template). We do NOT provide free customisation services in the scope of free support. If you request any free customisation via support system, such tickets will not be answered.

What kind of support are you providing?

We offer dedicated support for our products where we can help you fix issues within our code (if any) and assist you on template setup (in some cases if the task is minimal). Please note support is not applicable for third party jQuery plugins and GPL code components (because they are not created or maintained by us). Also support is not applicable to issues or bugs happening on your edited version of the template. We are not offering any debugging service on your edited websites.

If I need to customise this template will you offer it?

To be frank, we are unable to provide free customisation services on our products. If you have great passion and considerable budget please open the request as a premium project, please email to: project@designova.net If our developers are free we will get back to you via email.

How can I know about future updates and bug fixes?

We release updates regularly and we notify our users via Tweets as well as Email Newsletters (we do hate spam). We recommend you to subscribe to our update channels:

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03. Files & Directory Structure

Once you download the ZIP file from themeforest and you extract them to a folder, you will find a directory with a name such as '**site**'. This will be the root directory containing your web template and associated files & resources. The contents of this directory may look like this:

Organising the resources

The template consists of various directories which can contain media and elements used in the website.

Directory	Purpose	Note
bootstrap	Contains framework used to power this template which is Bootstrap 3	Do not rename or move. Modify the contents only if you are updating Bootstrap to new version
fonts	You can keep your custom fonts / external font files (uses Font-Face)	Do not rename or move. Modify the contents only if you need to add external fonts via font-face
images	Contains all the images and graphical elements used in this site	Do not rename or move. Feel free to modify the files as needed.
javascripts	Contains executable scripts (JS) used in this site	Do not rename or move. Modify the contents only if you are familiar of JS

Directory	Purpose	Note
mail	Contains PHP libraries used for contact form email sending feature	Do not rename or move.
stylesheets	Contains CSS files used to define visual appearance of this site	Do not rename or move. Modify the contents as you are familiar with CSS rule editing.
twitter	Contains PHP libraries used to activate dynamic Twitter feed.	Do not rename, move or edit the contents without proper understanding.
less	Contains LESS files to make easy customisation and color management	Do not rename or move this folder.

04. Basic Steps for Building Your Website

In order to make your website functional with this template you have to edit the web pages, add your own content and media, upload all these files to a web server

Step 1: Editing template web pages

The template consists of HTML5 files that can form a collection of web pages linked in between which is called as a Site. The site is initially loaded from a main web page (index.html) and linked to other pages or sections.

In order to edit a web page you have to use any standard code editor where you should be familiar of editing general HTML5 markup. We recommend SublimeText <http://www.sublimetext.com/> as the best code editor as it is the first choice among our developers.

Once you opened the editor, you can view and edit HTML5 files, for example the root HTML5 file:

`[ROOT]/INDEX01.HTML`

You can now add / remove contents by modifying the markup inside this HTML5 document (this is completely explained from chapter 4 onwards).

Please note, you have to keep the home page of your site renamed as INDEX.HTML even if it may be named differently in the template directory structure.

Step 2: Editing template style (look and feel)

The template consists of CSS files along with the associated resources such images linked within. You can use the same code editor for editing the CSS rules. Don't worry, if you are not planning to change the look and feel of this template you don't have to edit any CSS. But in other case, you must be familiar of advanced CSS rules in order to modify this template's look and feel. Similarly, you have to know JS in order to control the interactions defined in this template (JS knowledge is not needed for basic users to edit the site content).

Step 3: Finalising the website

Once everything is edited and content is added you may combine multiple CSS files as well as multiple JS files to separate files. This will increase overall loading response of the website. You can get more info about this online.

Step 4: Publishing the website online.

The final step is to upload all files to web server (we mean all files as explained in previous chapter). The server is actually a web-hosting provider, which can store your files, and anyone can access the site across the globe.

If you don't have a web server space, it is time to get one. That means you need a working web hosting account to be purchased from any of the hosting providers. If you don't have it yet, **we recommend the professional web hosting from [MediaTemple](#)** as it is the best option from our experience - **we use it for hosting our templates live preview (perfectly what you see in our live theme demo)**. We can guarantee the equivalent performance if you are using the same kind of server.

An ideal configuration of web server needed for this website will be:

1. Should be able to run PHP. (Most web hosting has it)
2. Should permit PHP email sending functions.
3. Should support AJAX. (All web hosting has it if they are able to run PHP)

05. Bootstrap 3 Framework

This web template is completely built with Bootstrap 3 responsive (Mobile First) framework, which is the best front-end development framework available at present. It is very easy to edit the layout as well as for making any advanced customisation. Kindly note, you have to familiarise Bootstrap's native arrangements (it is easy) and short codes before you proceed to advanced editing of markup. The default Bootstrap files are kept inside:

[ROOT]/BOOTSTRAP/

This directory contains CSS, JS, FONTS etc.

Bootstrap's grid system



Bootstrap includes a responsive, mobile first fluid grid system that appropriately scales up to 12 columns as the device or viewport size increases. It includes Grid Options with predefined classes for easy layout options.

Grid options

See how aspects of the Bootstrap grid system work across multiple devices with a handy table.

	Extra small devices Phones (<768px)	Small devices Tablets (≥768px)	Medium devices Desktops (≥992px)	Large devices Desktops (≥1200px)
Grid behavior	Horizontal at all times	Collapsed to start, horizontal above breakpoints		
Max container width	None (auto)	750px	970px	1170px
Class prefix	<code>.col-xs-</code>	<code>.col-sm-</code>	<code>.col-md-</code>	<code>.col-lg-</code>
# of columns	12			
Max column width	Auto	60px	78px	95px
Gutter width	30px (15px on each side of a column)			
Nestable	Yes			
Offsets	N/A	Yes		
Column ordering	N/A	Yes		

Using a single set of `.col-md-*` grid classes, you can create a basic grid system that starts out stacked on mobile devices and tablet devices (the extra small to small range) before becoming horizontal on desktop (medium) devices.

.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1	.col-md-1
.col-md-8								.col-md-4				
.col-md-4				.col-md-4				.col-md-4				
.col-md-6						.col-md-6						

```
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
  <div class="col-md-1">.col-md-1</div>
</div>
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-8">.col-md-8</div>
  <div class="col-md-4">.col-md-4</div>
</div>
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-4">.col-md-4</div>
  <div class="col-md-4">.col-md-4</div>
  <div class="col-md-4">.col-md-4</div>
</div>
```

Setting up the Bootstrap 3 grid via HTML

Bootstrap 3 for Offsetting columns

Offsetting columns

Move columns to the right using `.col-md-offset-*` classes. These classes increase the left margin of a column by `*` columns. For example, `.col-md-offset-4` moves `.col-md-4` over four columns.

`.col-md-4`

`.col-md-4 .col-md-offset-4`

`.col-md-3 .col-md-offset-3`

`.col-md-3 .col-md-offset-3`

`.col-md-6 .col-md-offset-3`

```
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-4">.col-md-4</div>
  <div class="col-md-4 col-md-offset-4">.col-md-4 .col-md-offset-4</div>
</div>
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-3 col-md-offset-3">.col-md-3 .col-md-offset-3</div>
  <div class="col-md-3 col-md-offset-3">.col-md-3 .col-md-offset-3</div>
</div>
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-6 col-md-offset-3">.col-md-6 .col-md-offset-3</div>
</div>
```

More Info About Bootstrap:

We are having page limitation to explain everything about Bootstrap here. So for more information we refer to original documentation for Bootstrap, found here:

<http://getbootstrap.com/>

Upgrading Bootstrap on Future:

As Web is always changing day by day, we would like to keep our themes expandable and adaptable to innovations. We have kept all assets and files related to Bootstrap framework on a separate folder called ASSETS found on the following location:

[ROOT FOLDER]/BOOTSTRAP

Please replace the following files contained in this 'ASSETS' folder with your new files coming from Bootstrap's newly downloaded ZIP pack or the pack generated by customisation options at Bootstrap website:

<http://getbootstrap.com/customize/>

06. Editing Colors & Fonts (via LESS)

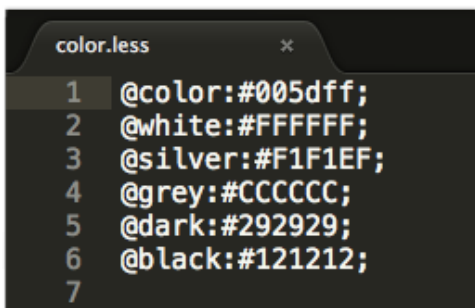
We use LESS technology to implement and modify the colors used in this template, LESS gives possibility to add Unlimited Colors to this template along with in-depth colour scheme setup option.

PLEASE NOTE:

In order to ensure stability on production purpose LESS is disabled in this template by default. But in order to work with LESS, it requires you to enable it and then upload your edited site to a web server (or) you have to upload the site to a local host (for example, MAMP or WAMP) setup in your system order to work properly. Instead if you check it by just opening static HTML files in local browser you may not be able to see colors and background colors. This is not a bug of template. It is your testing method which is wrong, not the template.

This template features LESS for changing colors and fonts schemes with a single line of css. For example, please see the following file:

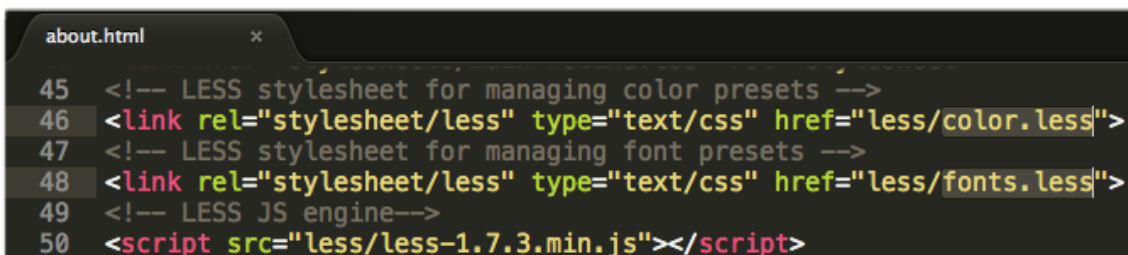
[\[ROOT\]/LESS/COLOR.LESS](#)



```
color.less
1 @color:#005dff;
2 @white:#FFFFFF;
3 @silver:#F1F1EF;
4 @grey:#CCCCCC;
5 @dark:#292929;
6 @black:#121212;
7
```

In this file you can see the following 4 Color controllers along with 3 Grey- scale controllers (shown here). These values will hold color schemes for entire layout. If you like to create a new color scheme simply change to your preferred color value or font name (we mean HEX values for colors and font family names in

standard CSS rules) to any Controller variable. After editing it you have to save the file.



```
about.html
45 <!-- LESS stylesheet for managing color presets -->
46 <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/color.less">
47 <!-- LESS stylesheet for managing font presets -->
48 <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/fonts.less">
49 <!-- LESS JS engine-->
50 <script src="less/less-1.7.3.min.js"></script>
```

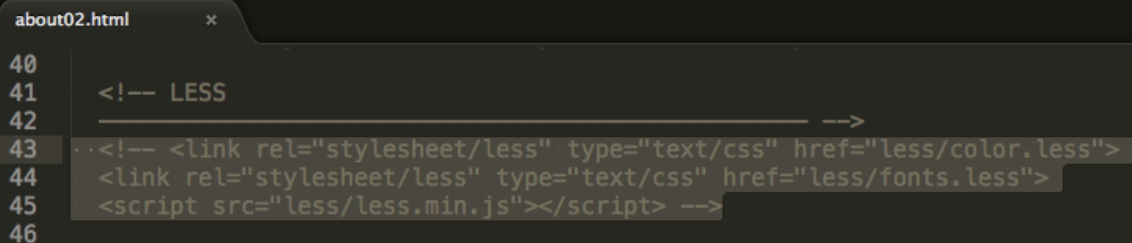
Please make sure that you have active LESS files and JS engine by loading it via markup for initialisation on HEAD tag of HTML5 page, example as shown below:

For more info about LESS technology, please see original documentation: <http://lesscss.org/>

Step 1: Enabling LESS:

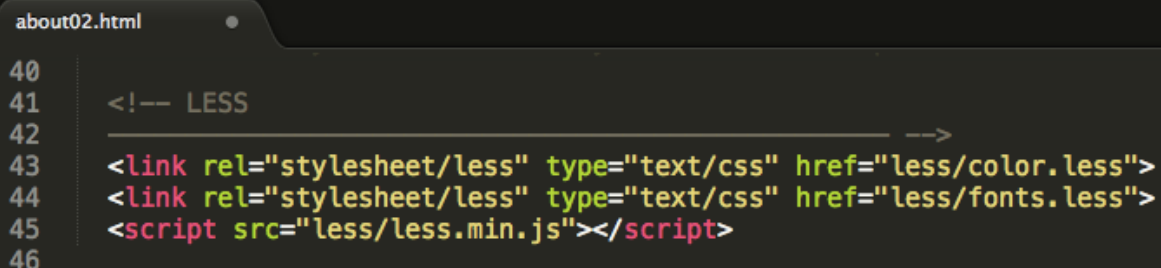
LESS is disabled in this template by default. But in order to work with LESS, it requires you to enable it. Please do the following:

Activate the following code segment by removing the symbols `<!--` and `-->` found within the beginning and end regions of highlighted code below:

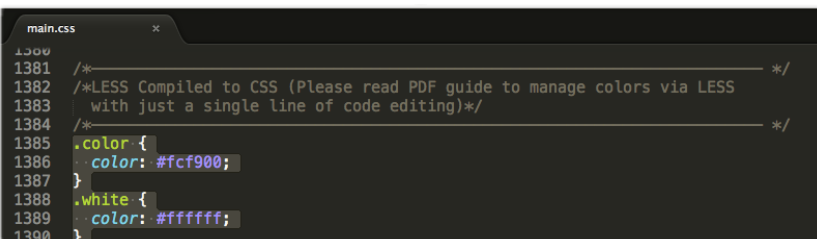


```
40
41 <!-- LESS
42
43 <!-- <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/color.less">
44 <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/fonts.less">
45 <script src="less/less.min.js"></script> -->
46
```

Now you will get the following code:



```
40
41 <!-- LESS
42
43 <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/color.less">
44 <link rel="stylesheet/less" type="text/css" href="less/fonts.less">
45 <script src="less/less.min.js"></script>
46
```

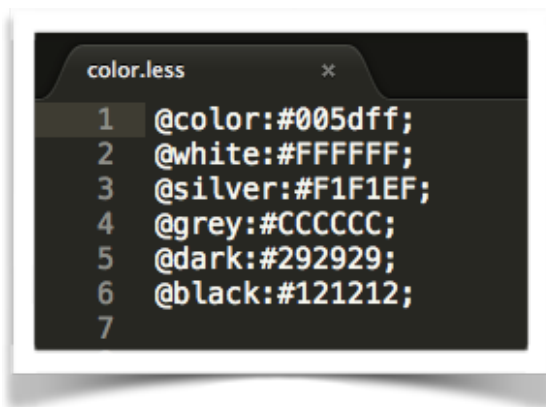


```
1380
1381 /*
1382 /*LESS Compiled to CSS (Please read PDF guide to manage colors via LESS
1383 with just a single line of code editing)*/
1384 */
1385 .color {
1386   color: #fcf900;
1387 }
1388 .white {
1389   color: #ffffff;
1390 }
```

Now you should clear / remove any existing CSS rules (shown below highlighted code) that is generated by LESS (we used these CSS for preview purpose, you

can remove them once LESS is activated), found in MAIN.CSS, for example:

Step 2: Setting colors with LESS stylesheets:



Open the following file:

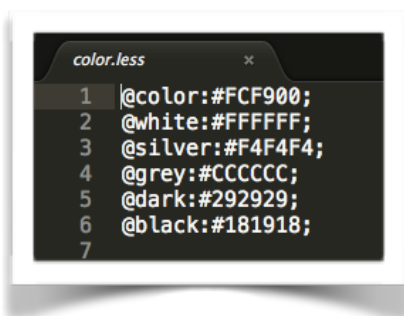
[\[ROOT\]/LESS/COLOR.LESS](#)

And set your color value inside Color Controller variable, for example:

Step 3: Setting font styles with LESS stylesheets:

Open the following file:

[\[ROOT\]/LESS/FONTS.LESS](#)



And set your font preference inside Fonts Controller variable, for example:

Step 4: Compiling LESS to CSS:

Most modern browsers and servers can handle LESS rendering perfectly. But there may be some exceptions. So we recommend you to use LESS on development environment only. This means, you can use LESS to edit colors or fonts in this website and once all editing is finished you have to compile LESS rules to CSS rules and add it to website stylesheet. The procedure is explained as below:

Step 3.1:

Once your LESS file is all set with your preferred modifications or additions, you should save the file on your system. Now Go to any online LESS compiler tools such as <http://winless.org/online-less-compiler>

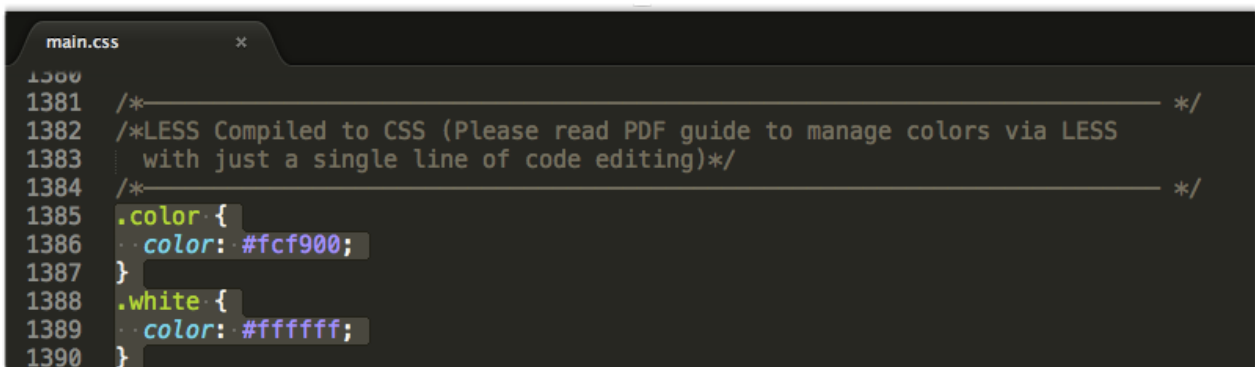
Step 3.2:

You can copy all rules from your LESS files (such as COLOR.LESS and FONT.LESS) and paste these LESS rules in the compiler window. Then generate the CSS equivalent rules using the compiler.

Step 5: Copying Generated CSS

Copy the generated CSS rules and paste it inside the following CSS file: [ROOT]/STYLESHEETS/MAIN.CSS

Please note: you MUST paste them at the end of file, that is after all rules present



```
main.css
1381 /*----- */
1382 /*LESS Compiled to CSS (Please read PDF guide to manage colors via LESS
1383 with just a single line of code editing)*/
1384 /*----- */
1385 .color {
1386   color: #fcf900;
1387 }
1388 .white {
1389   color: #ffffff;
1390 }
```

inside this file, for example the default code should look like below:

You can replace the highlighted code segment with newly generated CSS obtained from LESS compiler.

Instructions for setting Google Web Fonts:

This template is powered by **Google Web Fonts** library to execute fonts rendering. So, in order to setup font families you have to choose it from Google Web Fonts. You can learn more about this from online tutorial:

https://developers.google.com/fonts/docs/getting_started

07. Replacing Placeholder Images

The template comes with heavily blurred versions of actual images used. This is because live preview images are properties of their owners and photographers, we are unable to redistribute them. Simply replace these dummy images with your own image having similar dimensions and file format. Also keep them in the same directory structure if specified in the markup or CSS rules for such images.

PLEASE NOTE:

Images are usually supplied via HTML markup itself, for example tag. So please locate such images in source markup of HTML files. BG Images are usually supplied via CSS file, in this template we have arranged the BG images in the following CSS file: [ROOT]/STYLESHEETS/MAIN-BG.CSS

But in some cases the images will be supplied by JS files, for example in Fullscreen BG Slideshows. So please read the documentation information related to each module to locate the actual images supplied via their code.

Retina Ready (High Resolution) Images:

The template is High Resolution Ready means it features a script known as Retina.JS which makes it easy to serve high-resolution images to devices with retina displays. When your users load a page, retina.js checks each image on the page to see if there is a high-resolution version of that image on your server. If a high-resolution variant exists, the script will swap in that image in-place. The script assumes you use Apple's prescribed high-resolution modifier (@2x) to denote high-resolution image variants on your server. For example, if you have an image on your page that looks like this:

```

```

The script will check your server to see if an alternative image exists at this path:

```
"/images/my_image@2x.png"
```

You have to supply high definition (@2x variation) images which should have Double Width and Double Height of your original image dimensions. Once such @2x images are located, the plugin will render it.

Important, please note:

If the markup has “**data-no-retina**” attribute associated with any IMG tag found in this template, you should remove this “data-no-retina” to enable Retina rendering for that element.

08. Setting Up Navigation

There are 2 kinds of navigation menu used in this template, one is Main Menu for large devices and another is Mobile Menu for small mobile devices.

Main Menu is a custom developed one and the code is displayed as below:

```
137 <nav class="mastnav ">
138
139 <ul class="main-menu ">
140 <li>
141 <a class="main-link font2 sub-menu-trigger activelink" href="#">Works</a>
142 <div class="sub-menu font1">
143 <a href="index.html">spaced 4 col</a>
144 <a href="index02.html">spaced 6 col</a>
145 <a href="index03.html">spaced 3 col</a>
146 <a href="index04.html">spaced 2 col</a>
147 <a href="index05.html">fluid 4 col</a>
148 <a href="index06.html">fluid 6 col</a>
149 <a href="index07.html">fluid 3 col</a>
150 <a href="index08.html">fluid 2 col</a>
151 </div>
152 </li>
153 <li>
154 <a class="main-link font2 sub-menu-trigger" href="#">About</a>
155 <div class="sub-menu font1">
156 <a href="about01.html">Studio</a>
157 <a href="about02.html">Personal</a>
158 <a href="elements.html">Elements</a>
159 </div>
160 </li>
161 <li>
162 <a class="main-link font2 sub-menu-trigger" href="#">Journal</a>
163 <div class="sub-menu font1">
164 <a href="news.html">List</a>
165 <a href="post.html">Post</a>
166 </div>
167 </li>
168 <li>
169 <a class="main-link font2 sub-menu-trigger" href="#">Project</a>
170 <div class="sub-menu font1">
171 <a href="project01.html">Slider</a>
172 <a href="project02.html">Video</a>
173 <a href="project03.html">Parallax</a>
174 </div>
175 </li>
176 <li><a class="main-link font2" href="contact.html">Say Hello</a></li>
177 </ul>
178 </nav>
```

Setting Up the Navigation SUB MENU:

You can simply put the sub menu navigation item within the <DIV CLASS="SUB-MENU"> and it will be displayed automatically as sub navigation item related within a particular main navigation.

IMPORTANT:

If you don't intend to use Sub Menu, please remove the 'sub-menu-trigger' class name from associated main menu otherwise the particular navigation link will be inactive.

Setting Up MOBILE ONLY NAVIGATION:

Mobile menu is powered by a jQuery plugin SlimMenu and the markup is as shown below:

```
66
67 <!-- Mobile Only Navigation
68
69 <nav class="mobile-nav ">
70   <ul class="slimmenu font2">
71     <li>
72       <a class="sub-collapser" href="">portfolio</a>
73       <ul>
74         <li><a href="index.html">spaced 4 col</a></li>
75         <li><a href="index02.html">spaced 6 col</a></li>
76         <li><a href="index03.html">spaced 3 col</a></li>
77         <li><a href="index04.html">spaced 2 col</a></li>
78         <li><a href="index05.html">fluid 4 col</a></li>
79         <li><a href="index06.html">fluid 6 col</a></li>
80         <li><a href="index07.html">fluid 3 col</a></li>
81         <li><a href="index08.html">fluid 2 col</a></li>
82       </ul>
83     </li>
84     <li>
85       <a class="sub-collapser" href="">about</a>
86       <ul>
87         <li><a href="about01.html">studio</a></li>
88         <li><a href="about02.html">personal</a></li>
89         <li><a href="elements.html">elements</a></li>
90       </ul>
91     </li>
92     <li>
93       <a class="sub-collapser" href="">journal</a>
94       <ul>
95         <li><a href="news.html">list</a></li>
96         <li><a href="post.html">post</a></li>
97       </ul>
98     </li>
99     <li>
100      <a class="sub-collapser" href="">project</a>
101      <ul>
102        <li><a href="project01.html">slider project</a></li>
103        <li><a href="project02.html">video project</a></li>
104        <li><a href="project03.html">parallax project</a></li>
105      </ul>
106    </li>
107    <li><a href="contact.html">say hello</a></li>
108  </ul>
109 </nav>
110 <!-- mobile only navigation : ends -->
111
```

```

174 <!--works filter panel :starts -->
175 <section id="works-filter-panel" class="works-filter-panel white-bg">
176   <div class="works-filter-wrap">
177     <ul class="works-filter clearfix font2">
178       <li><a id="all" href="#" data-filter="*" class="active"><span>All</span></a>
179       </li><li><a href="#" data-filter=".branding"><span>Branding</span></a></li>
180       <li><a href="#" data-filter=".graphics"><span>Graphics</span></a></li>
181       <li><a href="#" data-filter=".logos"><span>Logos</span></a></li>
182       <li><a href="#" data-filter=".ui"><span>UI</span></a></li>
183       <li><a href="#" data-filter=".web"><span>Web</span></a></li>
184     </ul>
185   </div>
186 </section>
<!-- works filter panel :ends -->

```

09. Setting Up Featured Modules

```

198 <!-- start : works-item -->
199 <div class="works-item works-item-one-third zoom ui web">
200   
202   <a class="venobox" data-gall="portfolio-gallery" href="images/works/small/01.
203     jpg">
204     <div class="works-item-inner">
205       <h3><span class="white font2bold">Work Title</span></h3>
206       <p><span class="white font1">Category</span></p>
207     </div>
208   </a>
</div>
<!-- end : works-item -->

```

This template features some interactive components powered by jQuery and CSS3. If you have fair understanding of these technologies (advanced users) you can modify the modules to any levels as you like.

1. Responsive Carousel / Sliders

This template features a responsive Carousel / Slider module powered by Owl Carousel plugin. Complete list of plugin options and settings can be found here: <http://www.owlcarousel.owlgraphic.com/docs/started-installation.html>

The default slider / carousel markup is shown below:

```

<div class="owl-carousel owl-nav-sticky-wide slider-carousel">
  <div class="sample-carousel-block">
    
  </div>
  <div class="sample-carousel-block">
    
  </div>
  <div class="sample-carousel-block">
    
  </div>
  <div class="sample-carousel-block">
    
  </div>
</div>

```

2. WORKS: Isotope Masonry Layout, Filterable Portfolio & Integrated Lightbox

You can display all of your works via this filter portfolio modules that can contain any number of thumbnails. The filters are shown below:

The DATA-FILTER attribute contains Filter Category Name. You have to specify these category names as class in related Portfolio Thumbnail Blocks such as shown in the highlighted area:

You can specify multiple categories in any thumbnail, the filtering will happen according to that. In order to learn more about the Filtering and additional options please see original plugin documentation: <http://isotope.metafizzy.co/>

```

<a class="venobox" data-gall="portfolio-gallery" href="images/works/01.jpg">

```

LIGHTBOX IMAGES:

The lightbox in the featured thumb carousel is a simple plugin, Venobox. You can easily supply a big image to any of the thumbnails and the plugin will open this as a Lightbox (full size image) on click. In order to supply images please edit the above highlighted code.

```

<a class="venobox" data-type="vimeo" href="http://vimeo.com/75976293">

```


The attribute **data-gall="portfolio-gallery"** should be attached on each instance if you need to show all images in this lightbox as a slider, say a gallery kind of appearance.

LIGHTBOX VIDEO:

You can also display Youtube or Vimeo streaming Video in this lightbox region. This plugin is same Venobox as we mentioned in previous sections. In order to set the video please see the markup and modify the highlighted area:

More options can be found on original plugin site: <http://lab.veno.it/venobox/>

PLEASE NOTE: YOU HAVE TO TEST YOUR WEBSITE FROM A LOCAL HOST SERVER OR REAL WEB SERVER TO DISPLAY STREAMING VIDEO PROPERLY WITHIN LIGHTBOX VIEW.

3. CONTACT: Contact Form and Email Sending

You can use this contact form send emails, the Email Sending feature is already implemented using PHP along with client side Form Validations using jQuery.

The template is featuring a fully working contact form with PHP mail sending ready. We have kept everything ready, you have to only provide your own email id instead of the predefined demo email id. This can be done by simply modifying the email id, as shown in the SENDCONTACT.PHP file, located in root directory.

[\[ROOT\]/SENDCONTACT.PHP](#)

Setting Up Email Credentials

Open this file via a code editor / text editor and now go to the code segment: Line 4 to 6. Please see the screenshot:

```
3 // Define some constants
4 define( "RECIPIENT_NAME", "John Doe" ); //UPDATE THIS TO YOUR NAME
5 define( "RECIPIENT_EMAIL", "john@example.com" ); //UPDATE THIS TO YOUR EMAIL ID
6 define( "EMAIL_SUBJECT", "Website Visitor Message" ); //UPDATE THIS TO YOUR SUBJECT
```

The value **"john@example.com"** should be replaced with your own email so that the emails will be sending to this email id. The value inside 'subject' should be changed to something meaningful since this will be displayed as the subject of the email message send via the contact form. That's all for basic setup.

All PHP mail sending library files and server scripts are stored in MAIL folder in the root. For advanced users who need in-depth customizations, the PHP script can be modified appropriately. The PHP file is:

[ROOT]/SENDCONTACT.PHP

4. Full Screen Background Video

PLEASE NOTE: YOU HAVE TO TEST YOUR WEBSITE FROM A LOCAL HOST SERVER OR REAL WEB SERVER TO DISPLAY STREAMING VIDEO PROPERLY WITHIN LIGHTBOX VIEW.

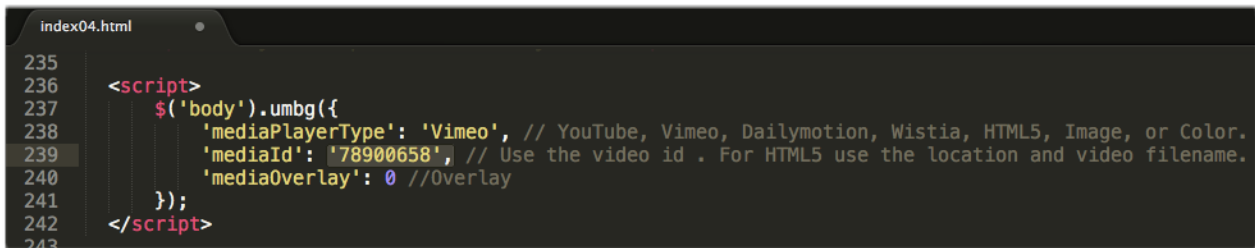
This template also features full screen BG video in the intro / home area. You can set both Youtube or Vimeo video URL.

ADDING VIDEO:

Open the file:

[ROOT]/JAVASCRIPTS/CUSTOM/BGVIDEO-INIT.JS

and find the following line of code, there you can simply supply the Video ID (vimeo ID or Youtube URL) of video, it will be played easily:

A screenshot of a code editor window titled 'index04.html'. The code is JavaScript, specifically a jQuery plugin call. It is as follows:

```
235
236
237     $('body').umbg({
238         'mediaPlayerType': 'Vimeo', // YouTube, Vimeo, Dailymotion, Wistia, HTML5, Image, or Color.
239         'mediaId': '78900658', // Use the video id . For HTML5 use the location and video filename.
240         'mediaOverlay': 0 //Overlay
241     });
242
243     </script>
```

IMPORTANT NOTE: Streaming videos will be played only from live web server (not from Local Host). So please upload your site to a web server and test it from online. The video will work.

Setting Up Google Maps:

For setting up Google Map, please follow the original guide from Google: <https://developers.google.com/maps/documentation/javascript/tutorial>

Custom Styling for Google Maps:

We used a free plugin SnazzyMaps JS for styling the Google Map in this template. You can get more styles / color presets from the original plugin website: <https://>

snazzymaps.com/ For additional help please follow original plugin documentation provided on their website. More info: <https://snazzymaps.com/about>

10. Setting Up Parallax Images (optional)

This template features some parallax layers across various sections in multiple web pages. The parallax functionality is implemented via JS but you don't have to worry about any of the complex code editing.

In order to set parallax action on any region (for example, DIV) you have to simply do the following 2 steps:

Step 1: Set a BG image for the region

```
150  
151 <section class="about-01 about-01-bg pad-top pad-bottom parallax" data-stellar-background-ratio="0.5">  
152
```

In this step, you simply set a background image for the layer via CSS. For example, here the class "process" is actually used for setting a BG Image via CSS. In order to set this image just open the following CSS file:

[\[ROOT\]/STYLESHEETS/MAIN-BG.CSS](#)

and see the highlighted area which relates to the above mentioned class name.

```
main-bg.css  
29 .about-01-bg{  
30     background-image: url('../images/bg/09.jpg');  
31 }  
32 .about-02-bg{  
33     background-image: url('../images/bg/02.jpg');  
34 }  
35 .about-03-bg{  
36     background-image: url('../images/bg/06.jpg');  
37 }
```

Step 2: Activate Parallax action for the region

Activating parallax action to the region is very simple, just add a single class name **"parallax"** (or) **"parallax-layer"** to the region, and the parallax action will be activated

```
150  
151 <section class="about-01 about-01-bg pad-top pad-bottom parallax" data-stellar-background-ratio="0.5">  
152
```

for that particular region. For example:

If you want an element's background image to reposition on scroll, simply add the following attribute:

```
<div data-stellar-background-ratio="0.5">
```

As with parallax elements, the ratio is relative to the natural scroll speed. For ratios lower than 1, to avoid jittery scroll performance, set the element's CSS 'background-attachment' to fixed.

If you want elements to scroll at a different speed, add the following attribute to any element with a CSS position of absolute, relative or fixed:

```
<div data-stellar-ratio="2">
```

The ratio is relative to the natural scroll speed, so a ratio of 0.5 would cause the element to scroll at half-speed, a ratio of 1 would have no effect, and a ratio of 2 would cause the element to scroll at twice the speed. If a ratio lower than 1 is causing the element to appear jittery, try setting its CSS position to fixed.

We use Stellar Parallax JS plugin for rendering parallax action in this template. Original plugin website:<https://github.com/markdagleish/stellar.js>

If you want to further modify / customise the parallax engine and additional options of parallax function you have to manually modify the Parallax Initialization JS file:

[\[ROOT\]/JAVASCRIPTS/CUSTOM/MAIN.JS](#)

```

119
120 //PARALLAX
121 //Initialize Each Parallax Layer
122 function parallaxInit() {
123     $.stellar({
124         positionProperty: 'transform',
125     });
126 }
127
128 if (!device.tablet() && !device.mobile()) {
129     //Activating Parallax effect if non-mobile device is detected
130     $(window).bind('load', function() {
131         parallaxInit();
132     });
133 }
134
135 } else {
136     //Deactivate Parallax effect if mobile device is detected (bg image is displayed)
137     $('.parallax, .parallax-layer').addClass('no-parallax');
138 }
139
140
141 }
142

```

11. Theme Support

This user manual covers everything you need to setup the website. But if you find any bugs, issues and limitations on this theme please contact our support team via our **official support system for HTML Templates via:**

<http://designova.net/support.html>

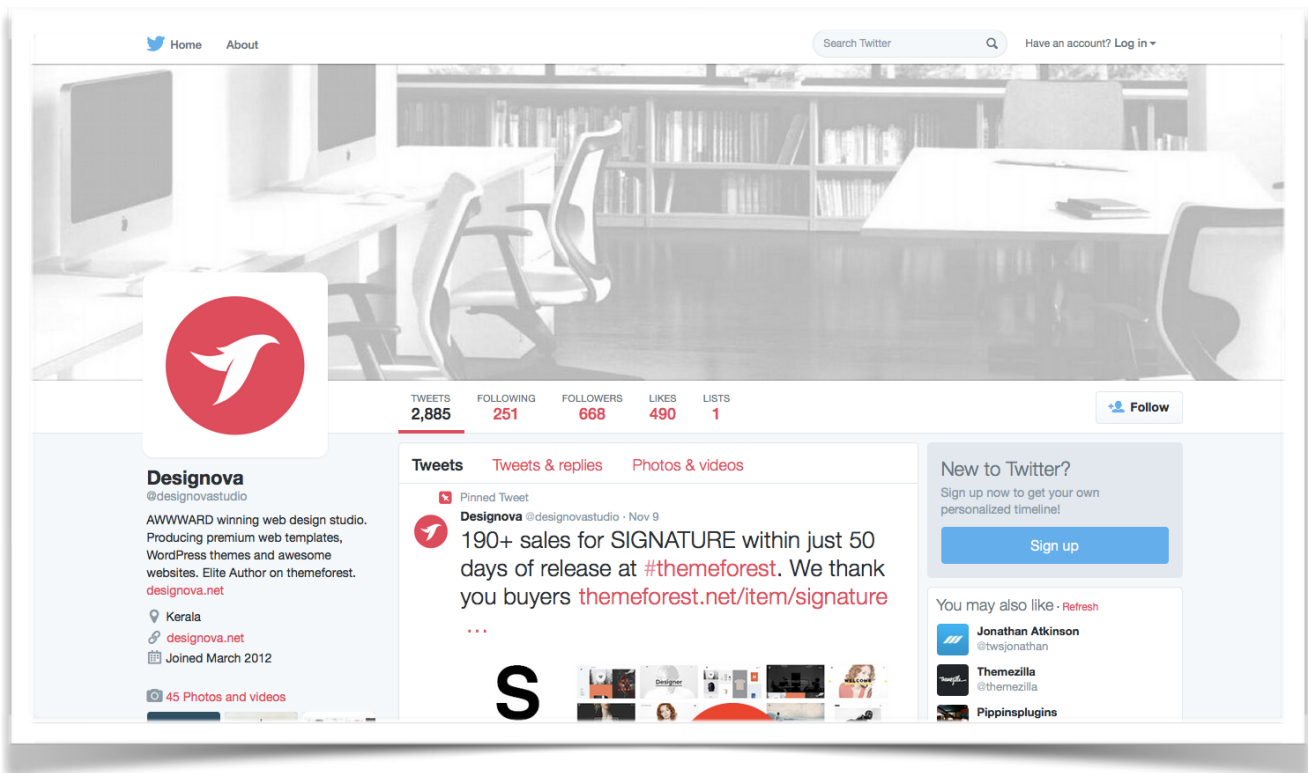
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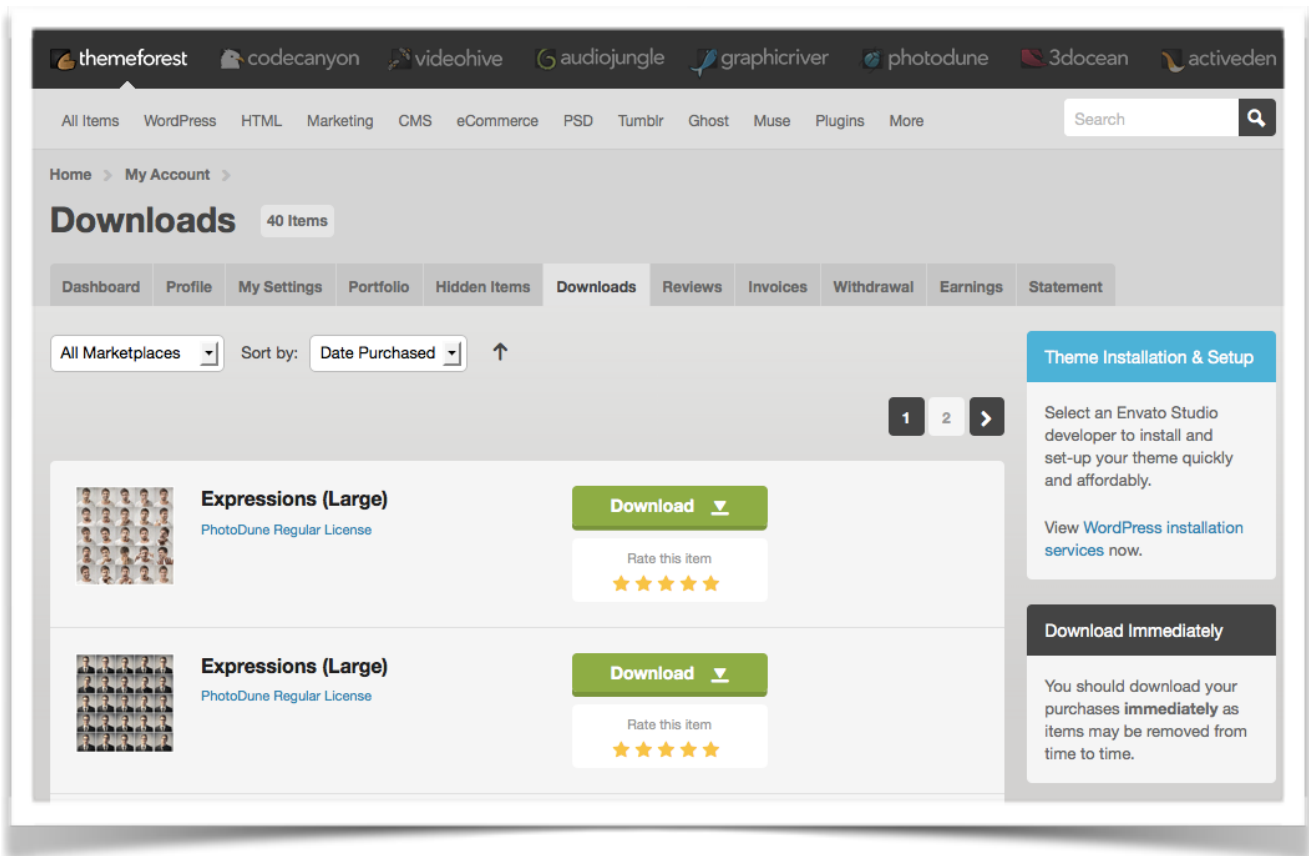
<https://twitter.com/designovastudio>

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