# Flexbox and Grid, Revisited



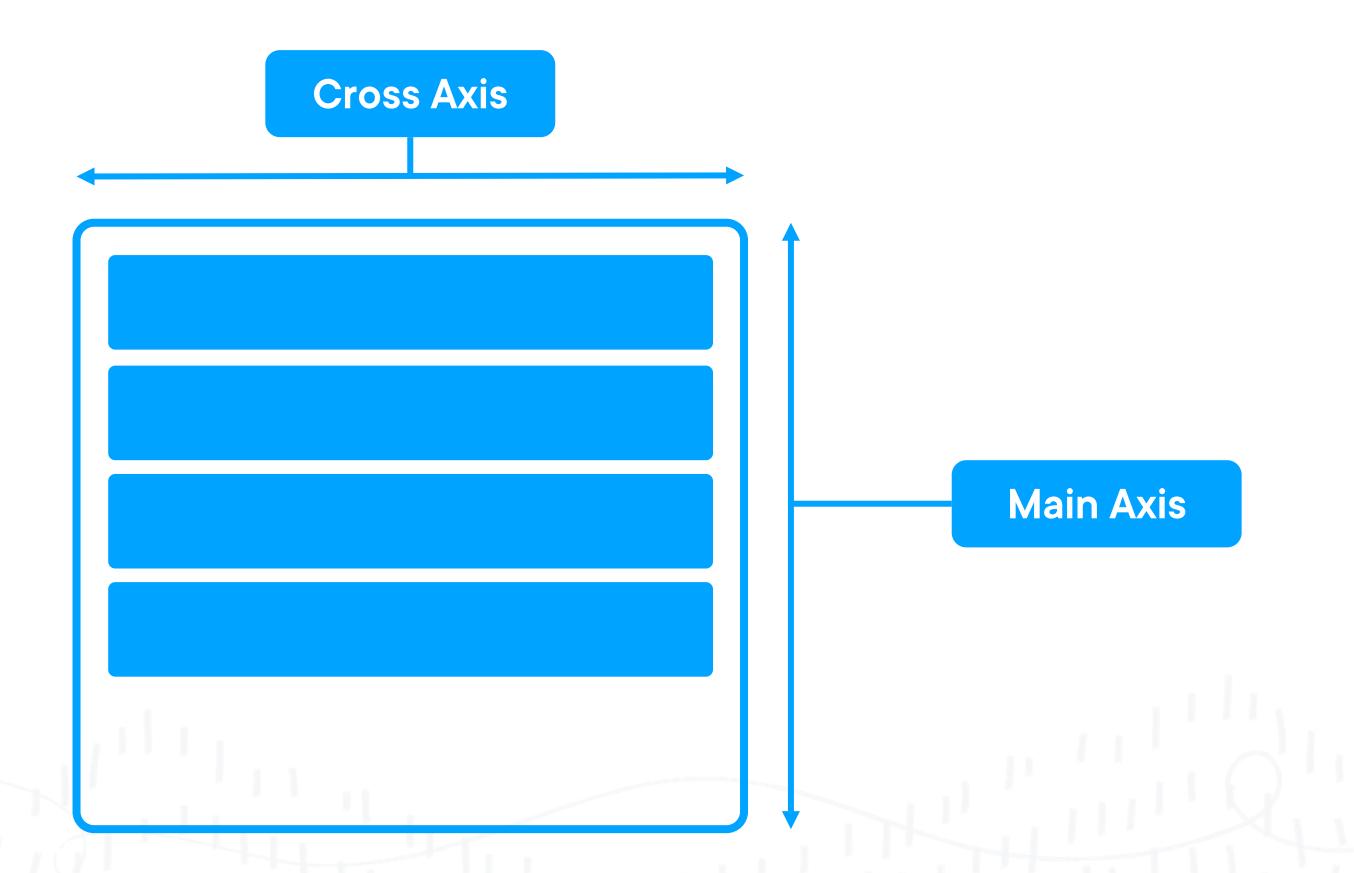
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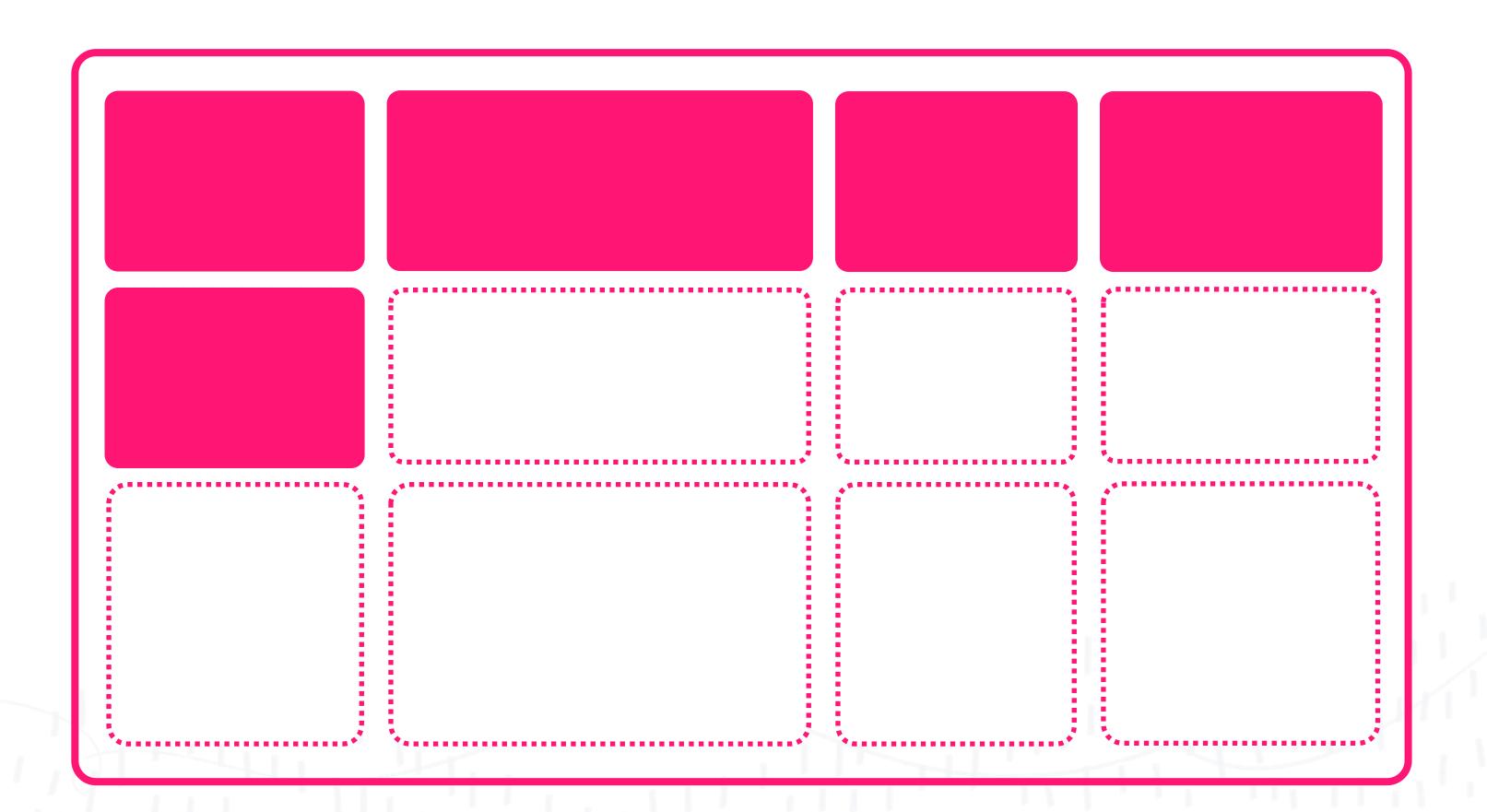


### Flexbox is an Indispensable Tool for Positioning





### Grid is the Most Powerful Tool for Layouts





# This module is meant to make sure your understanding is complete.



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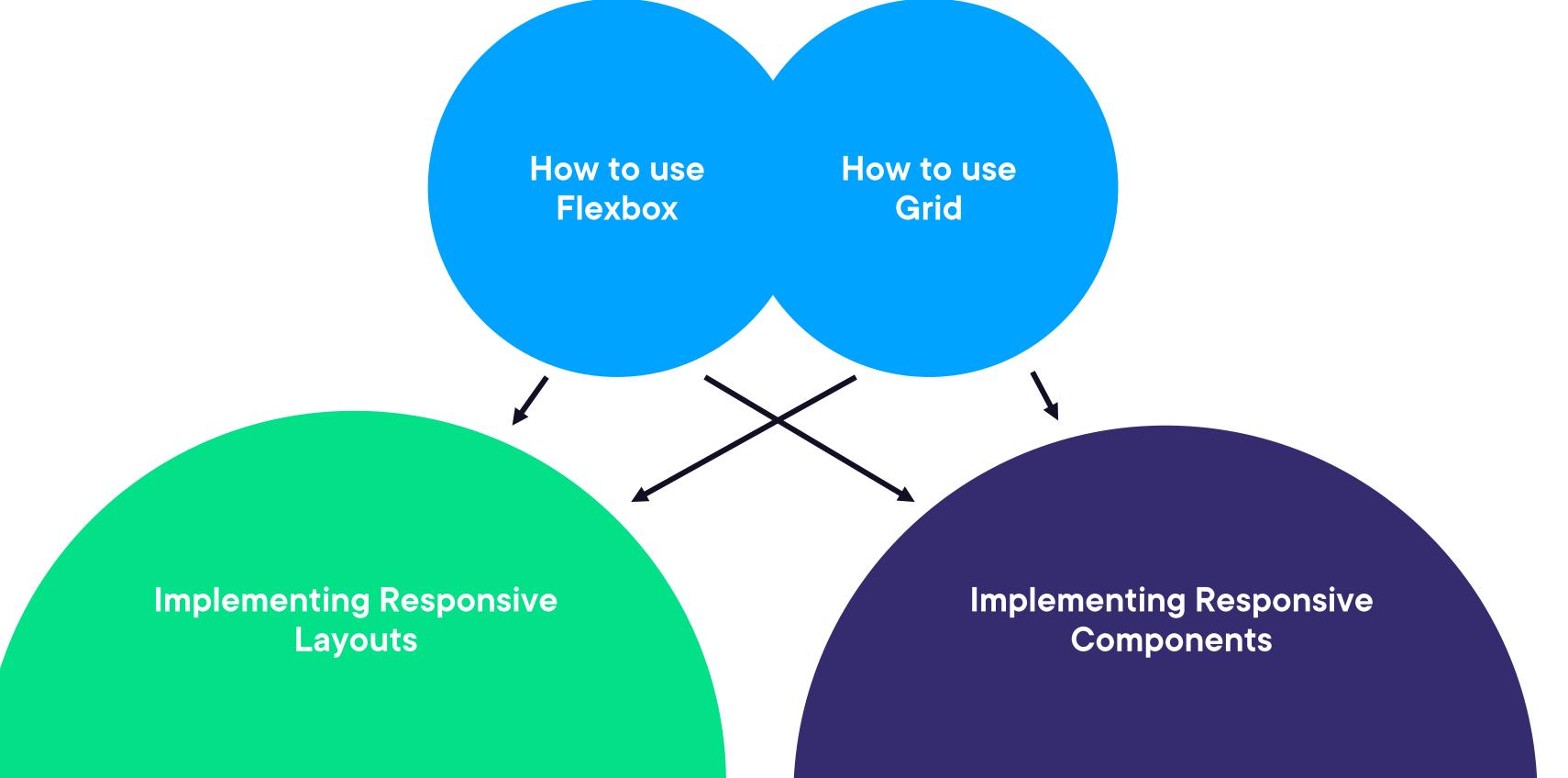
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**Building a Responsive Layout** 

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#### Flexbox and Grid are Tools





### Overview: Flexbox and Grid, Revisited

Flexbox and Grid, Similarities

Flexbox and Grid, Differences

Align and Justify Properties

Implementing a Layout using Flexbox

Implementing a Layout using Grid

Grid: Defining Grids In-Depth

**Grid: Positioning Items In-Depth** 

Problem Solving with Grid and Flexbox



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### Flexbox and Grid: Similarities



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# Flexbox and Grid Similarities

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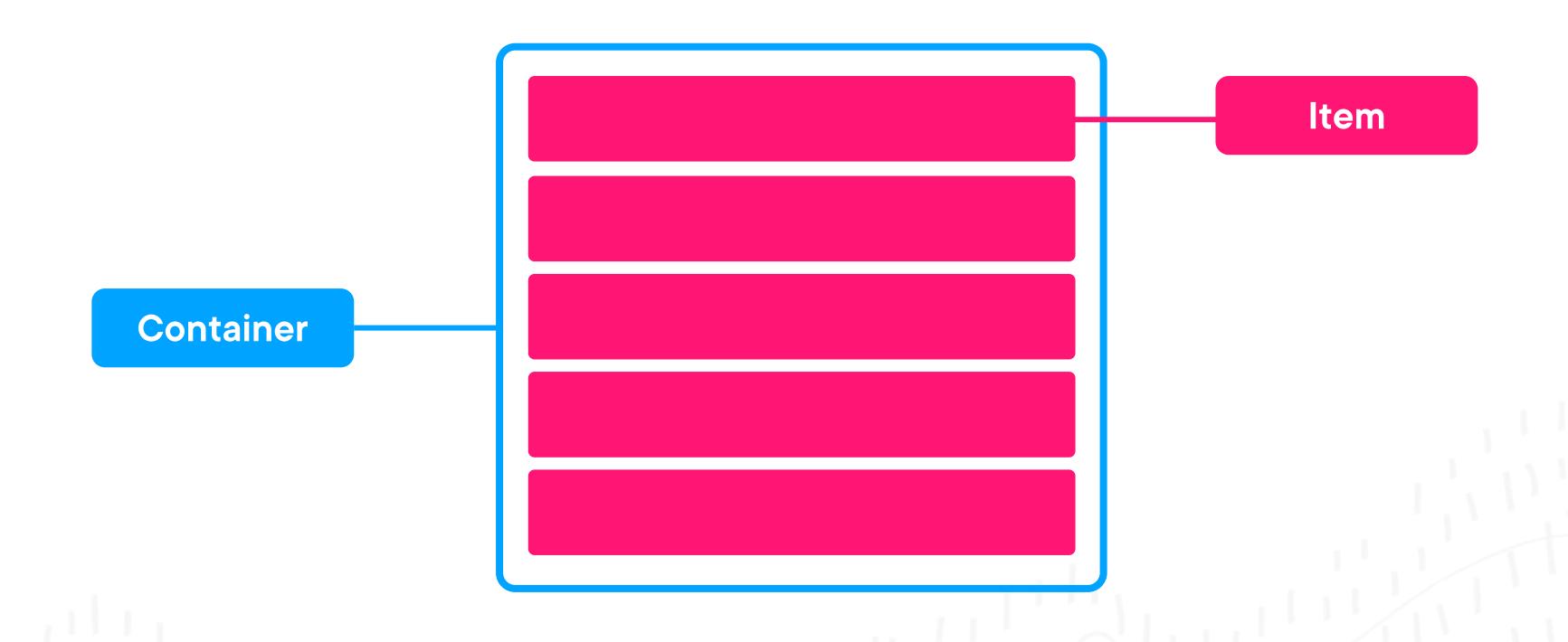
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Define behavior of items with properties on the container

Property gap used to control spacing

Use align-and justify-properties which behave consistently on main- and cross-axis

### **Containers and Items**





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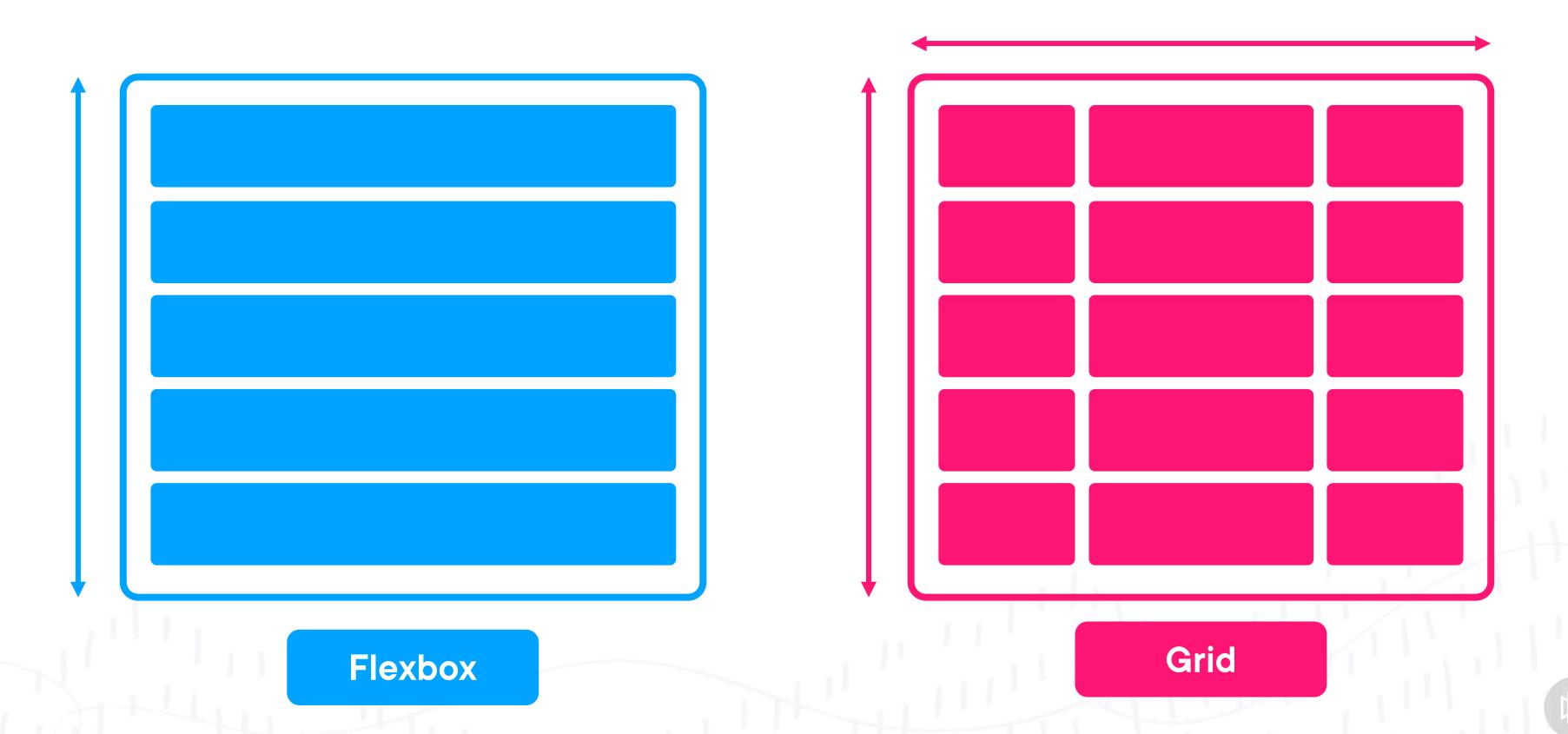
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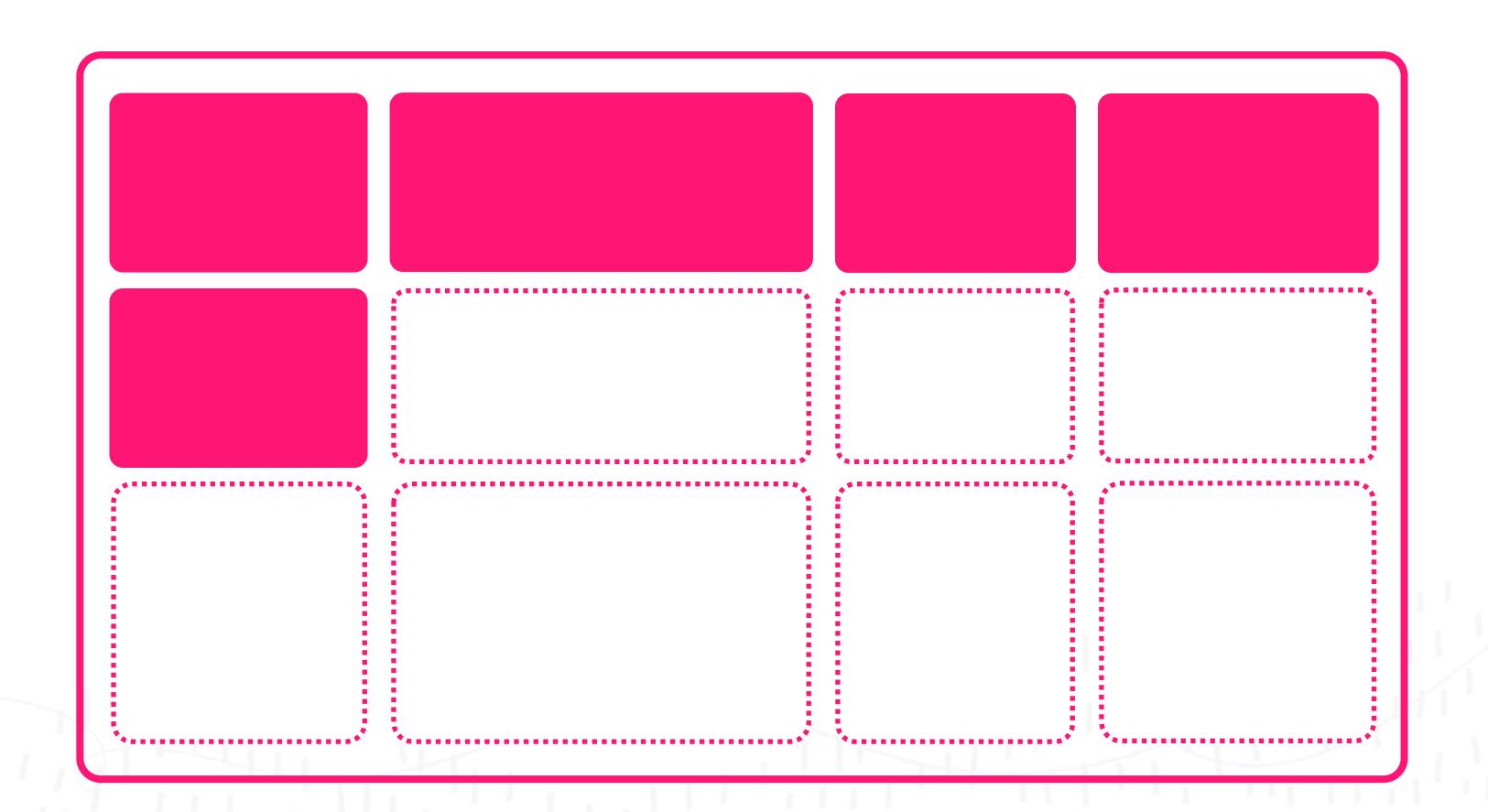
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### Flexbox is 1-Dimensional, Grid is 2-Dimensional

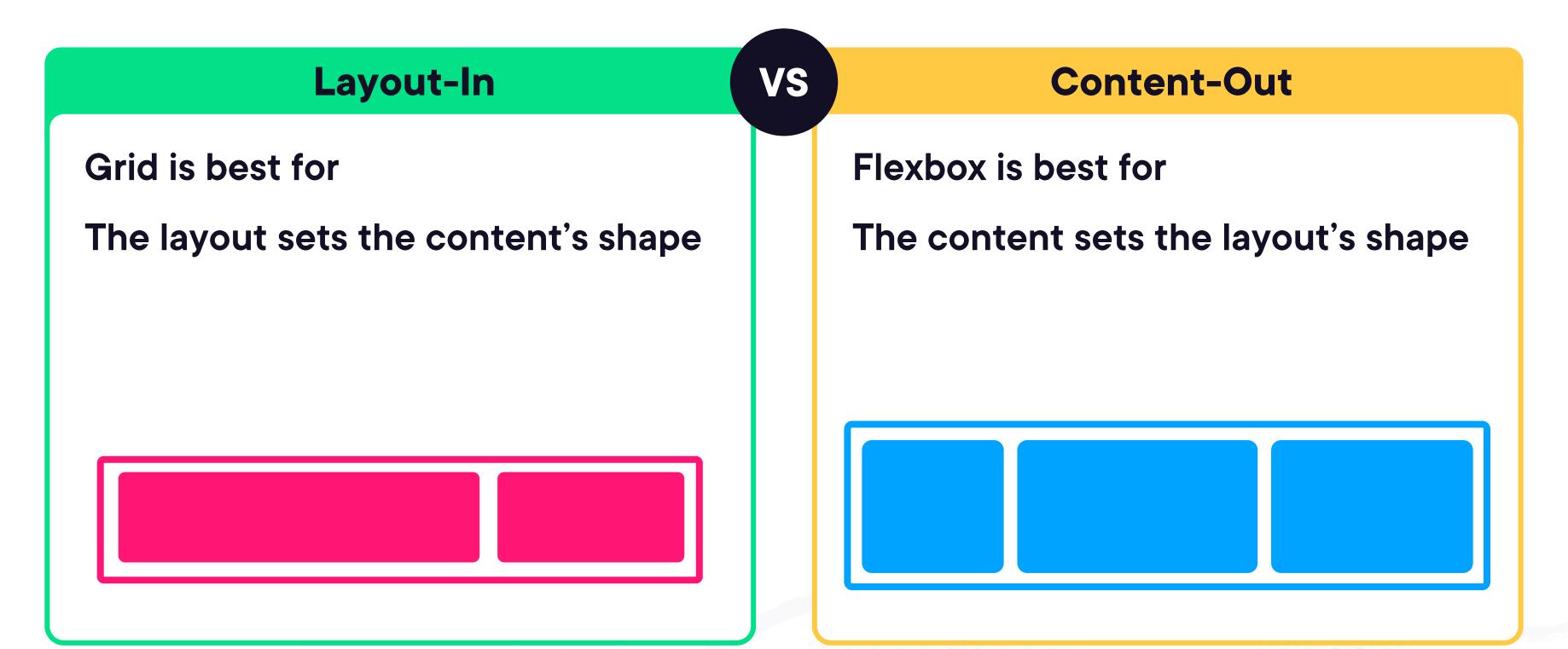


#### Grid Containers Use Grid Areas and Grid Items





### Layout-In vs Content-Out



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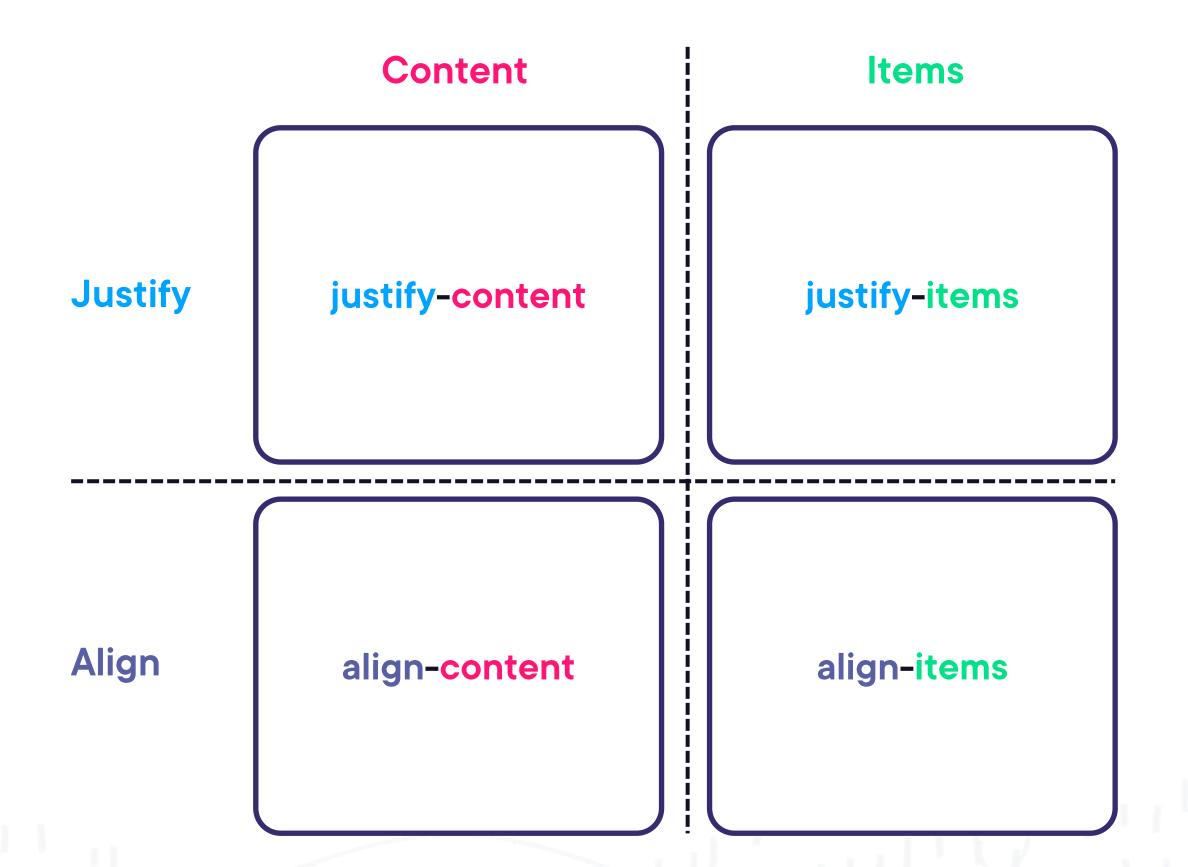
Flexbox is Content-Out, Grid is Layout-In



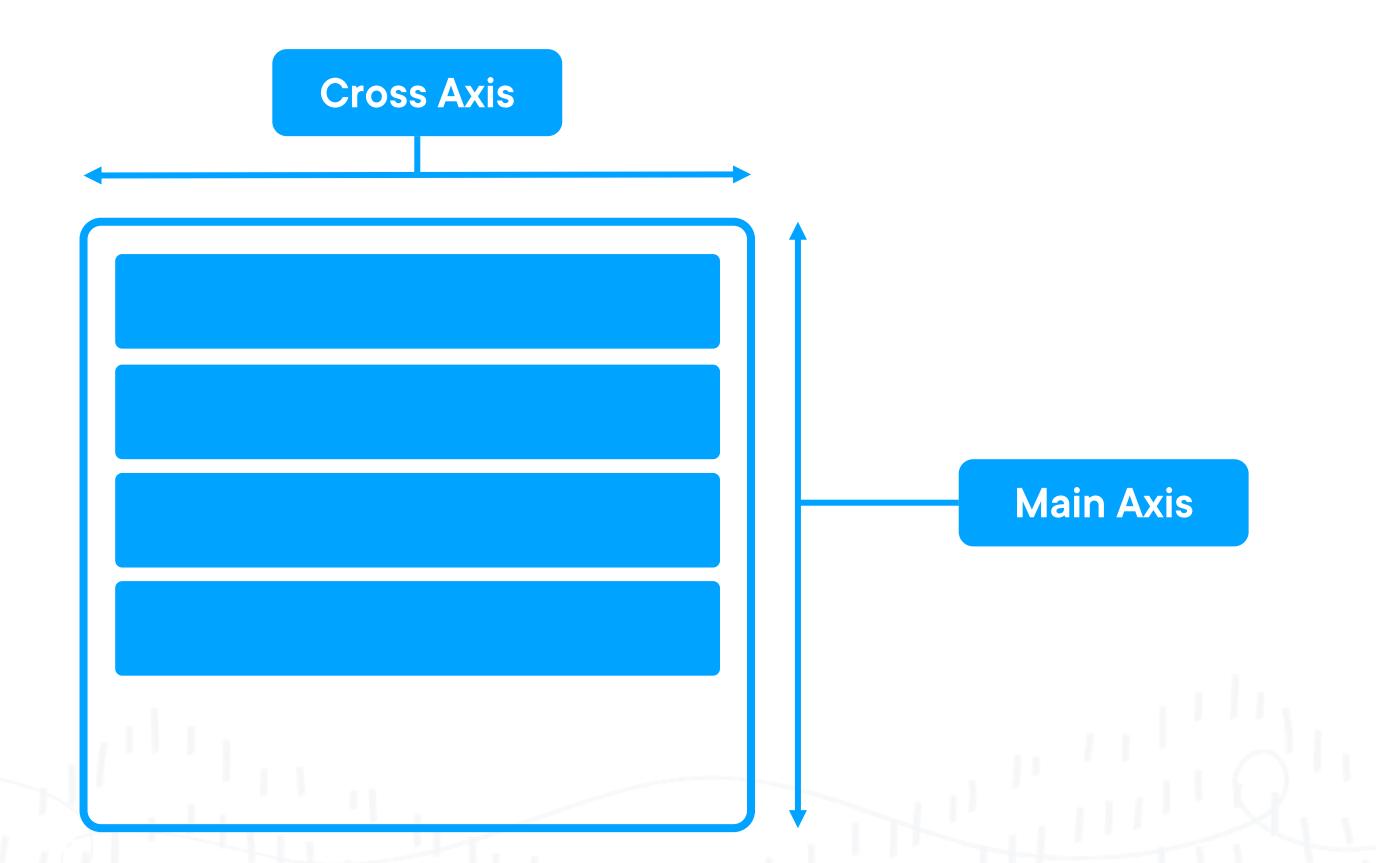
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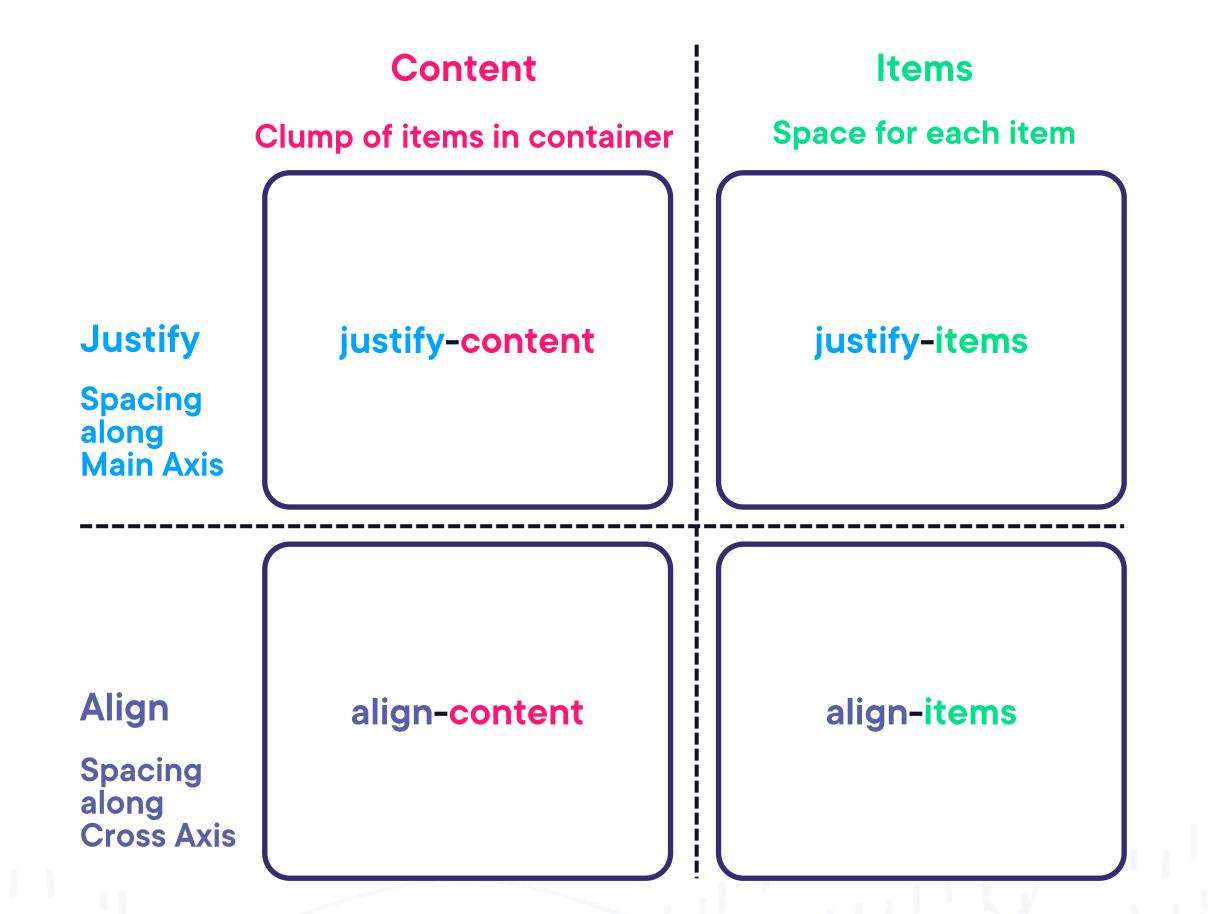
### Main Axis vs Cross Axis



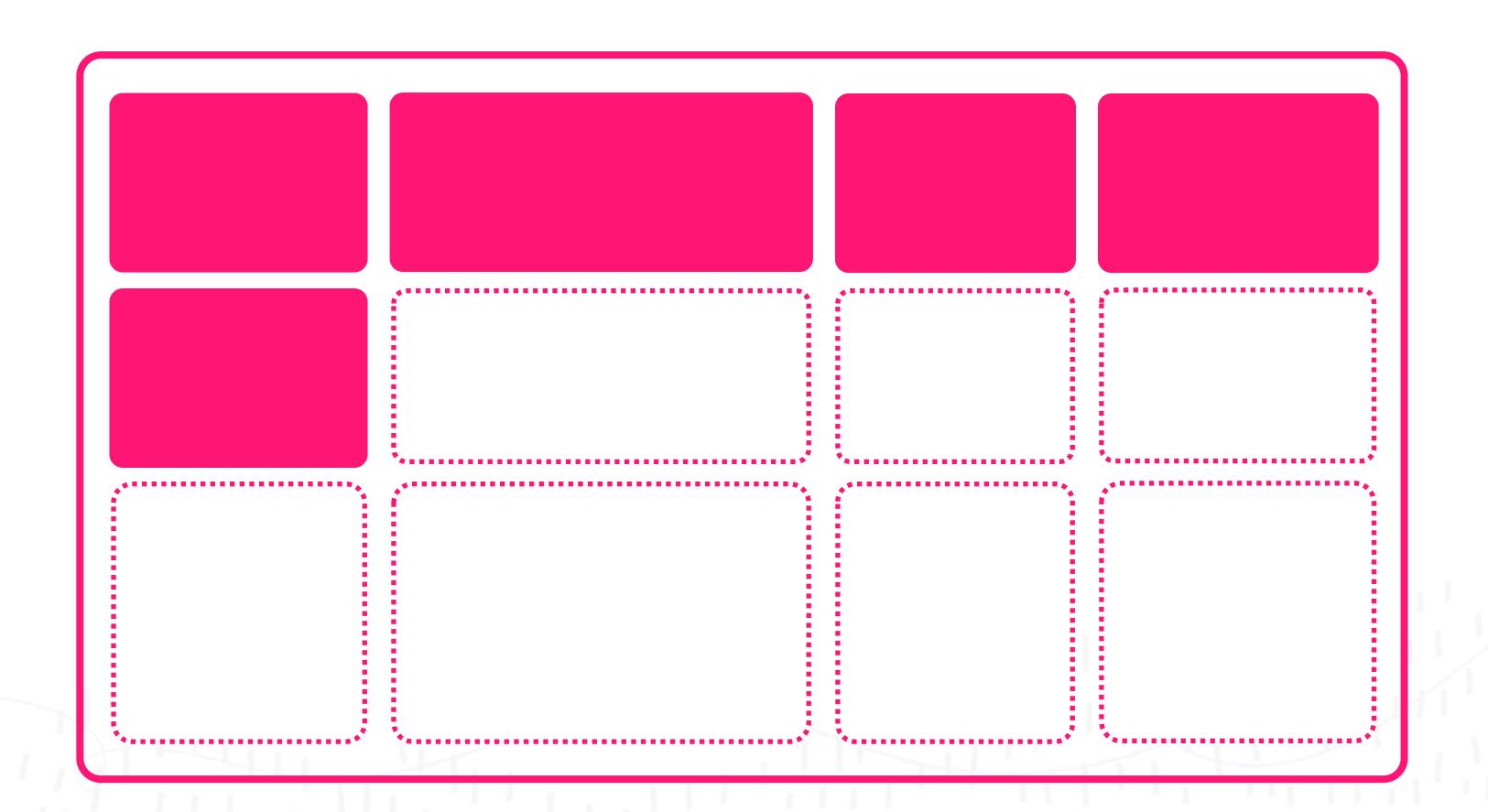


## Michael Jordan Can't Act

# Main Justify Cross Align



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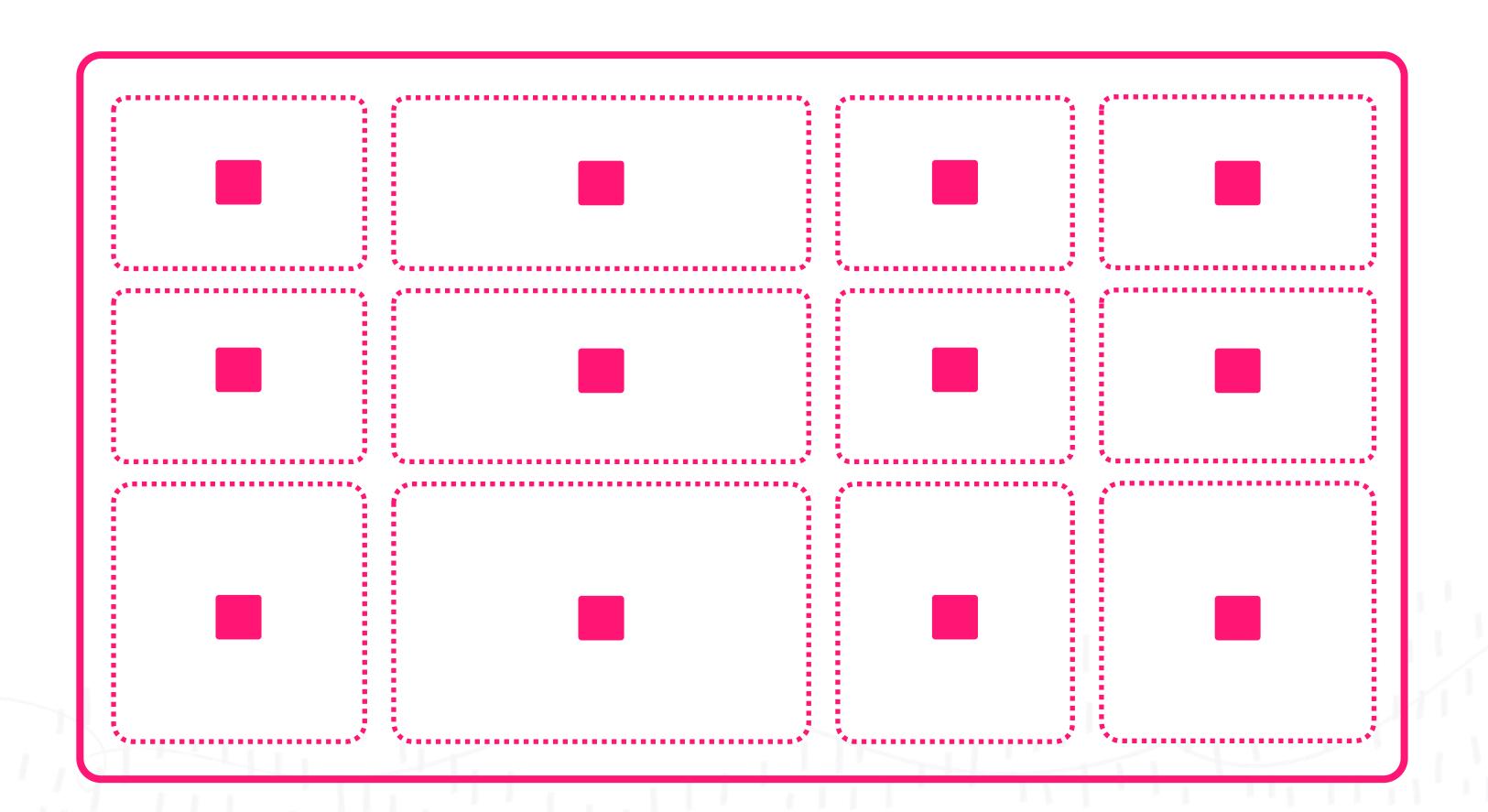


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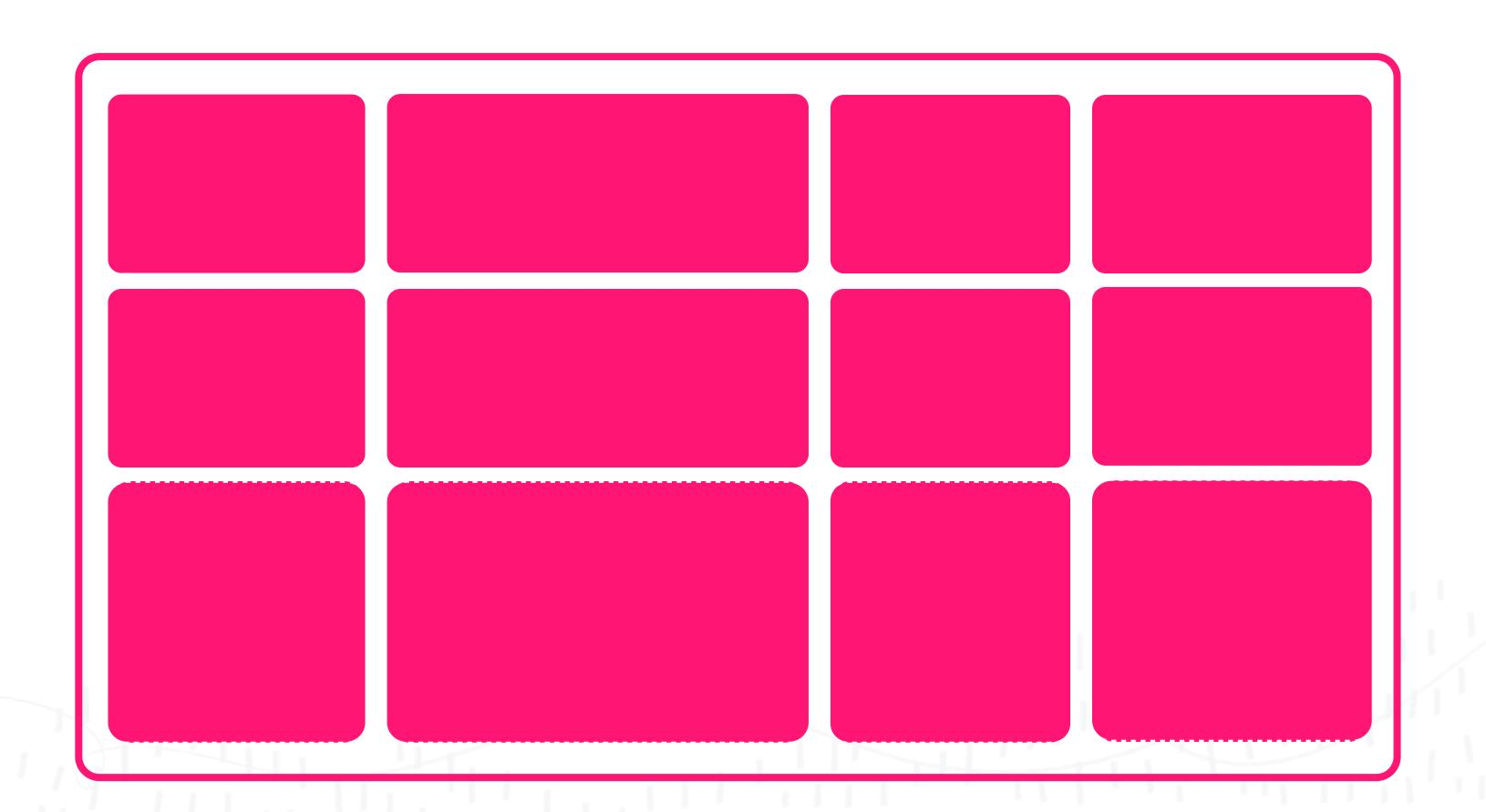


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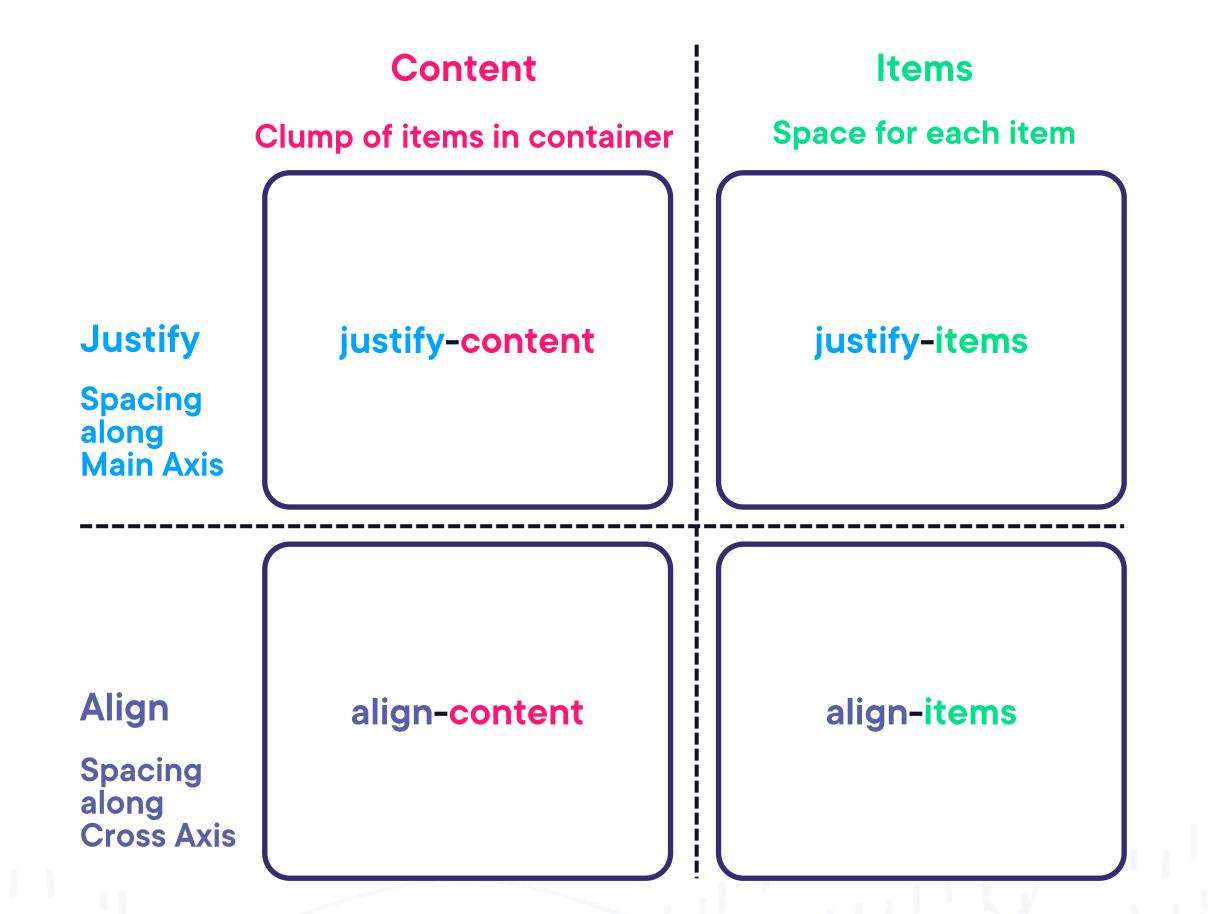




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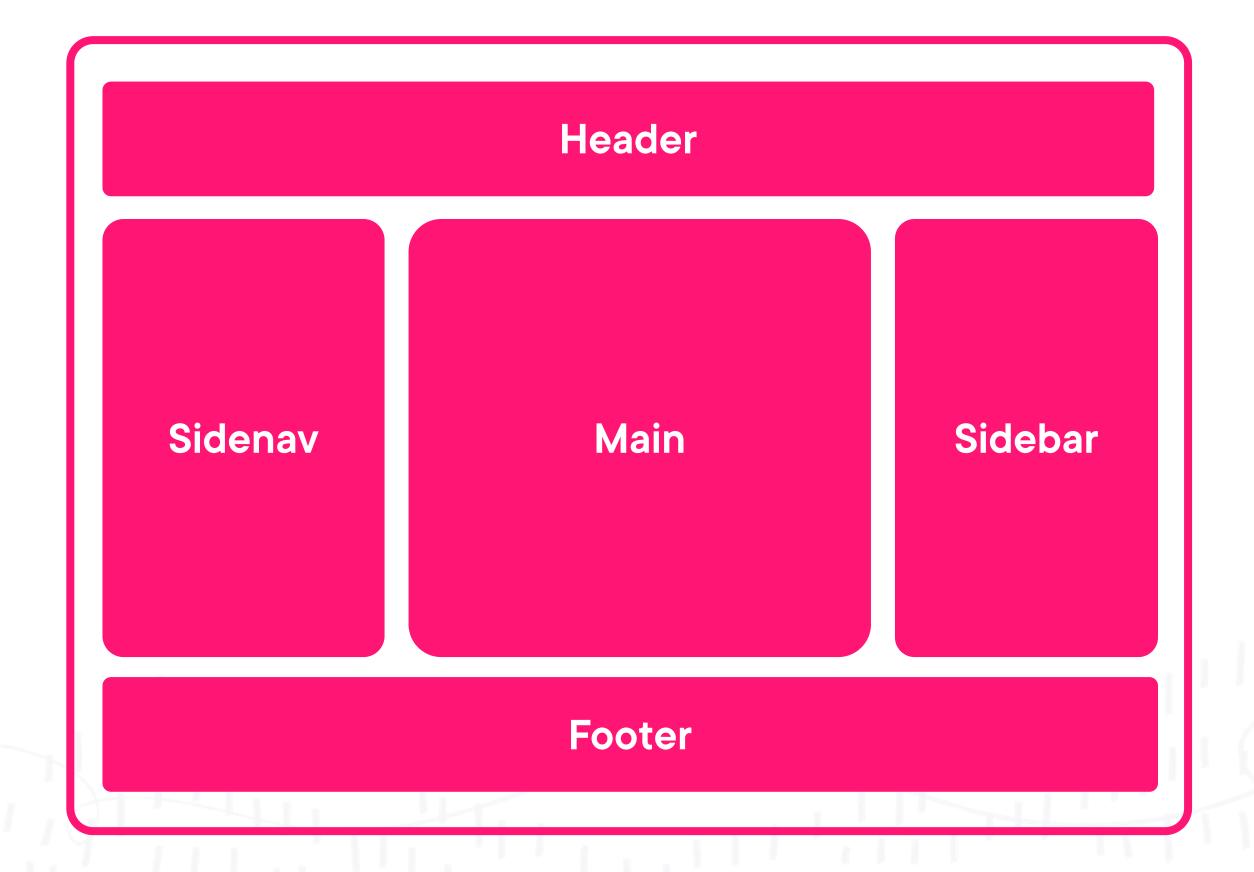
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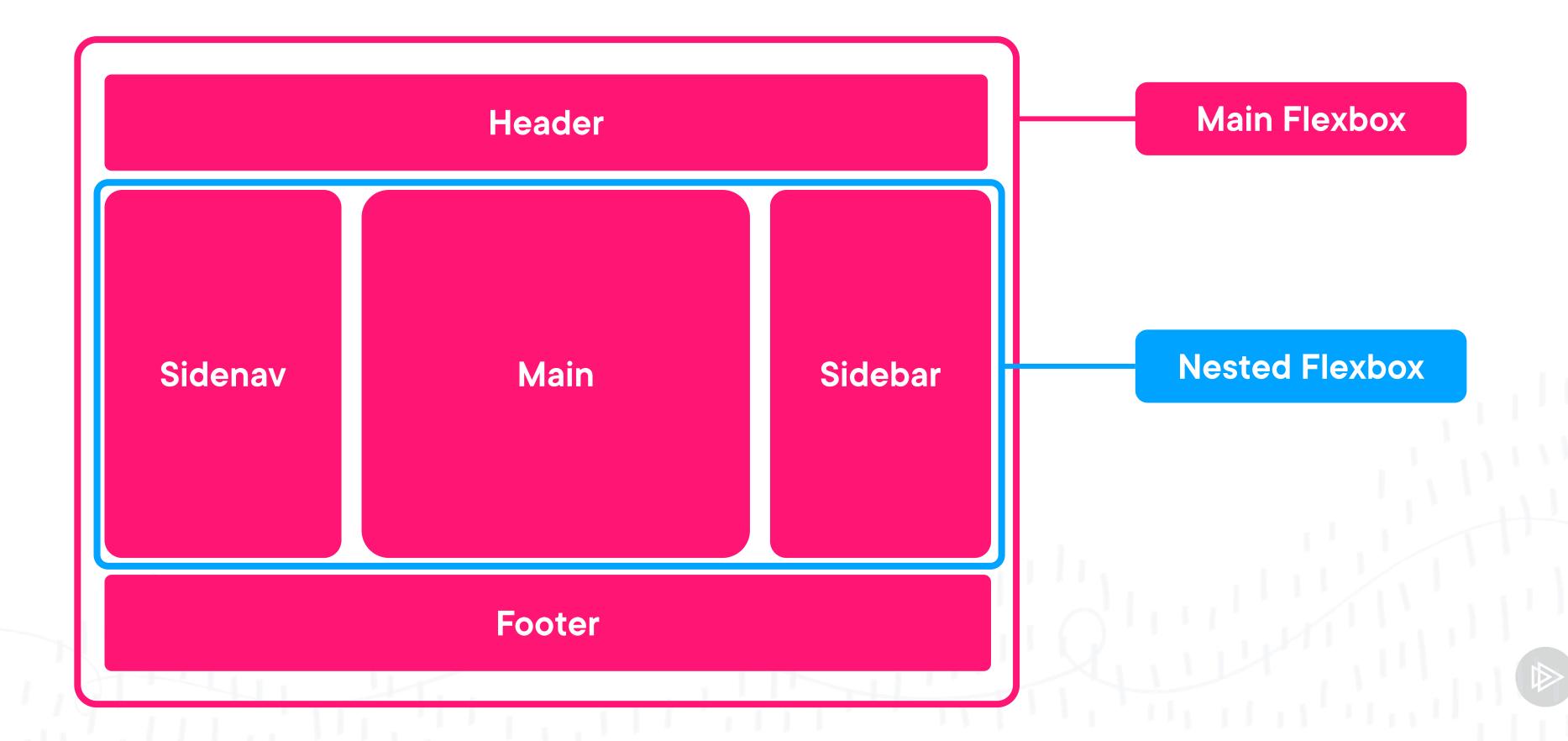


### **The Holy Grail Layout**





### The Holy Grail Layout – With Flexbox



### The flex Property



## Flex Items Don't Grow Along the Main Axis



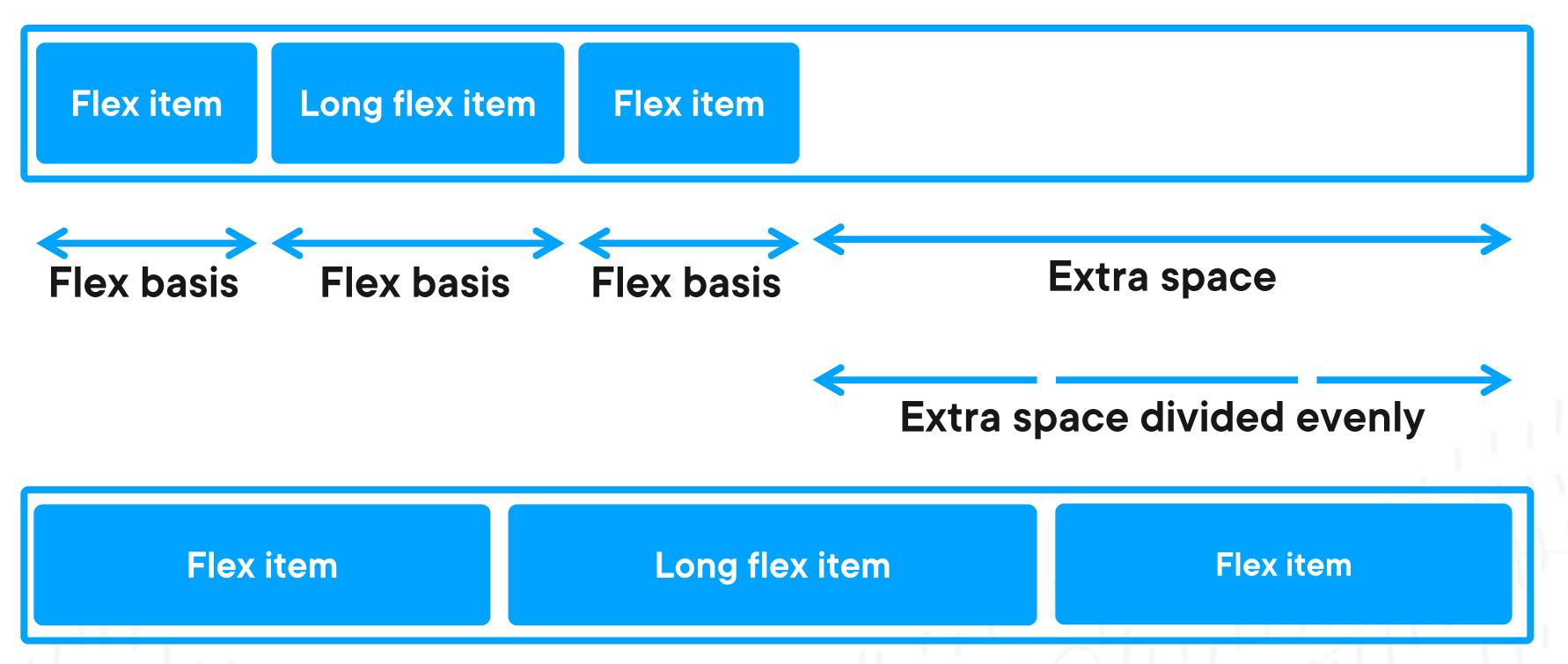


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#### Calculating Flex Grow



Flex basis + Extra space divided evenly



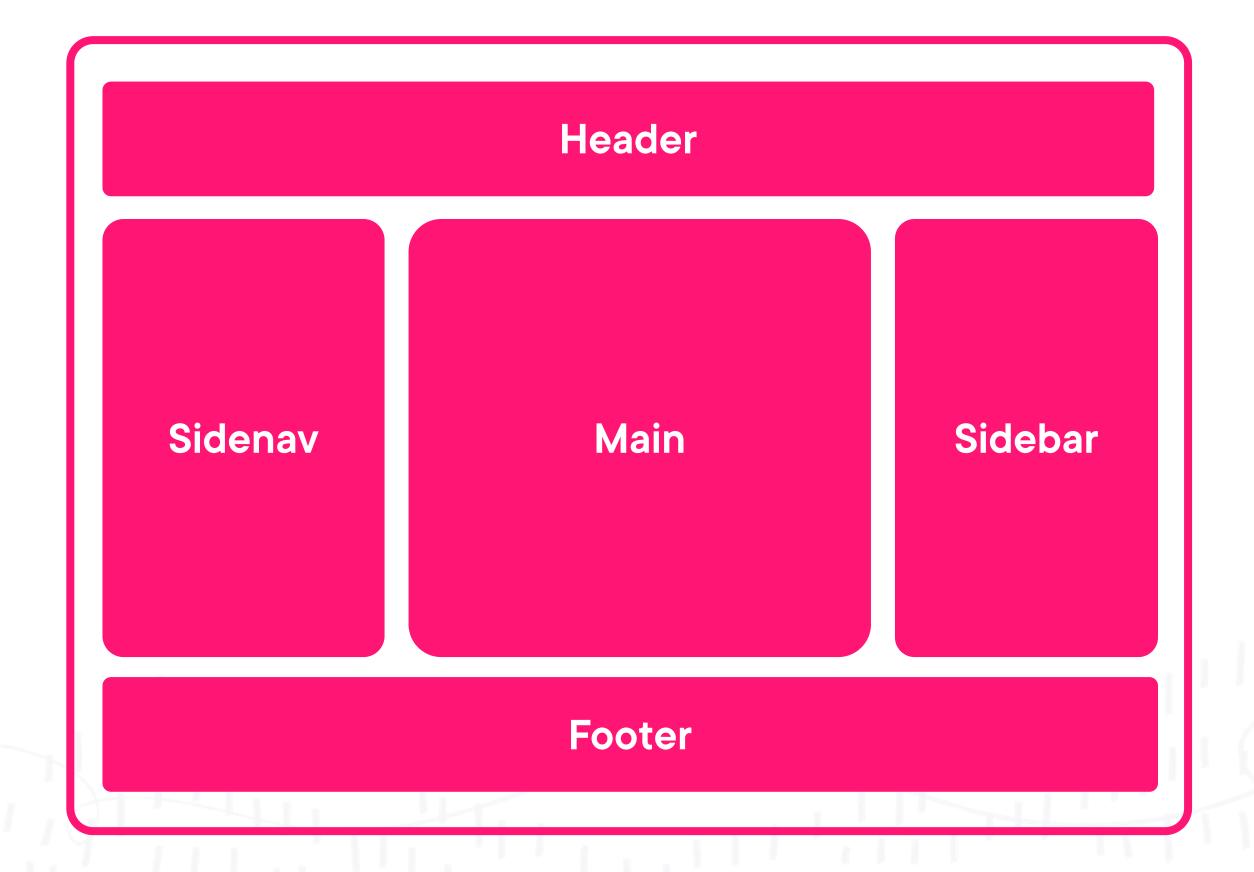
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#### **The Holy Grail Layout**





# Grid: Defining Grids In-Depth



## Working with Grid

Create your grid

Position items onto the grid



#### **Track Sizes**

Type	Examples
Static values	100px, 10em
Percentages	50%, 25%
Fractional units	1fr, 4fr
Content-relative values	min-content, max-content
Auto	auto
Minmax	<pre>minmax(min_track_size, max_track_size)</pre>



# Grid: Positioning Items In-Depth



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### Three Ways of Positioning Items

Grid lines

Named grid lines

Named grid areas



# Problem Solving with Grid and Flexbox



## Summary: When to Use Grid and Flexbox



# When should I use Flexbox? When should I use Grid?



#### **Grid vs Flexbox**

Grid VS Flexbox

Can define columns and rows (2D)

Layout-In system

Laying out a page as a whole

**Great for responsive layouts** 

Will use more often

Many problems are solved with 1D layouts

Can nest Flexbox containers for complex layouts

**Content-Out system** 





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