

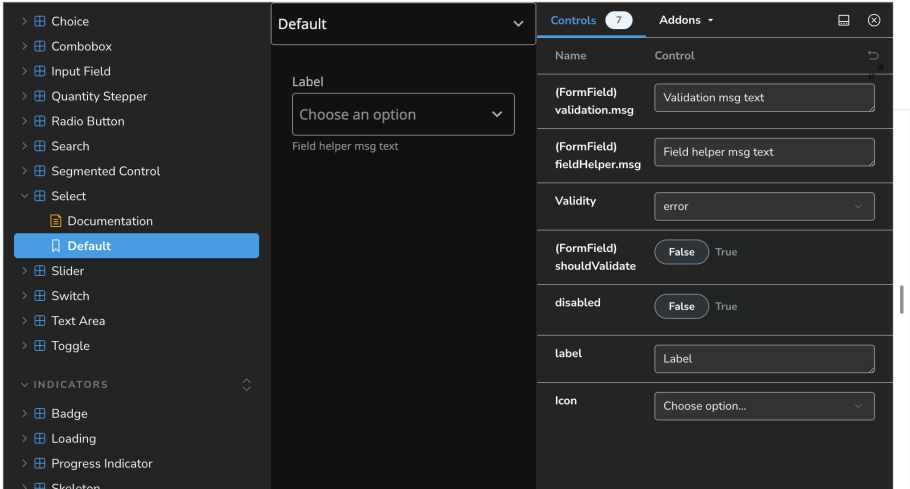
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Select (Native)

Allows the user to select one option from a list of options.



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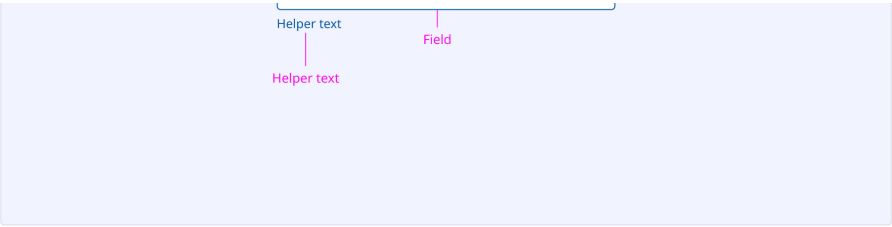
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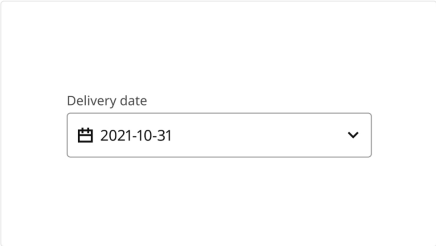
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Anatomy



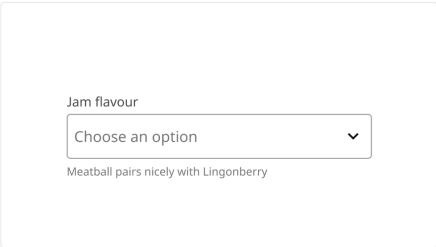


Variants



Leading icon

Leading icons can be toggled on to add a signifier that visually describes the field.



Helper text

Helper text conveys additional guidance about the field. If the field has an error message, that should replace the helper text once displayed.

States

Selects are available in different states to represent the user interaction. The initial state in most cases will be 'Inactive', since that is the state that is empty and allows selection.

<p>Label</p> <p>Choose an option ▼</p> <p>Inactive</p>	<p>Label</p> <p>Value ▼</p> <p>Focused</p>
<p>Label</p> <p>Value ▼</p> <p>Filled</p>	<p>Label</p> <p>Choose an option ▼</p> <p>❗ Helper text</p> <p>Error Empty</p>
<p>Label</p> <p>Value ▼</p> <p>❗ Helper text</p> <p>Error Filled</p>	<p>Label</p> <p>Value ▼</p> <p>❗ Helper text</p> <p>Error Focused</p>
<p>Label</p>	<p>Label</p>

<div><div>Value</div><div>⚠️ Helper text</div></div> <div>Warning</div>	<div><div>Value</div><div>⚠️ Helper text</div></div> <div>Warning Focused</div>
<div><div>Label</div><div><div>Value</div><div>✅ Helper text</div></div></div> <div>Success</div>	<div><div>Label</div><div><div>Value</div><div>✅ Helper text</div></div></div> <div>Success Focused</div>
<div><div>Label</div><div>Value</div></div> <div>Disabled</div>	

Behaviours

Label

Choose an option

Label

Value

Before and after selection

Before having an option selected, the inactive Select component displays a hint text in a lighter text colour, where the value usually goes. After an option is selected, the selected option is displayed in the value area.

✓ SVARTHÖ
GURLI
GILLHOV
JOHANNE
VENCHE
SOLBLEKT
INGALILL
MAJALISA
ALPKLÖVER
GULLKLOCKA
SANELA
BLÅGRAN

Selection menu

When clicking on a select component, a selection menu will be displayed. The appearance of this menu will be determined by the browser and platform used.

Usage

Use when there are at least three available options

Selects save space in a form because a long list of options can be initially collapsed into a single line. But if the list has less than three options, it's probably better to already have it exposed using a [Radio Button](#) group instead.

✓ Bomstad black

Hyllie beige

Hyllie dark gray

Skiftebo blue

Skiftebo dark gray

✓ Selection menu with five options.

✓ Bomstad black

Hyllie beige

• Selection menu with only two options.

Ordering and grouping options

The selection menu should be ordered in a way that makes sense to the user. The best way can change based on the situation, but most of the time, try defaulting to sorting alphabetically or by the most selected options.

In some cases where there is a clear distinction between the types of options, you can use groups to better organise them for the user.

✓ ALPKLÖVER

BLÅGRAN

GILLHOV

GULLKLOCKA

GURLI

INGALILL

JOHANNE

MAJALISA

SANELA

SOLBLEKT

SVARTHÖ

VENCHE

Botanical

✓ ALPKLÖVER

BLÅGRAN

GILLHOV

SOLBLEKT

Geometrical

INGALILL

JOHANNE

MAJALISA

SVARTHÖ

Solid

GULLKLOCKA

GURLI

SANELA

VENCHE

Motion

Preferred store

✓ Choose an option

BILLY

STOCKHOLM 2017

VALLENTUNA

NORSBORG

Focusing

When the Select component changes from an unfocused to a focused state, the border changes its thickness and colour.

- Border
- Changes thickness using an [Easy Ease](#) and [Quick Duration](#)
 - Changes colour using an [Easy Ease](#) and [Quick Duration](#)

Accessibility

Text wrapping

Label

TOSSBERG / LÅNGFJÄLL
BERGSHULT / PERSHULT

Field helper msg text

Options should be as concise as possible but if the selection doesn't fit onto a single line, the content should wrap onto multiple lines rather than truncate. This allows the selection to be read by everyone.

Internationalisation

المستوع المفضل

إختار خيارا

RTL

A Select should horizontally flip its content and icon placement for RTL languages.

Keyboard interaction

Key	Description
Tab	In a form, focus on the next field.
Shift + Tab	In a form, focus on the previous field.
Arrow up or down	When focused, displays the selection menu.
Arrow up or down	When the selection menu is displayed, changes which option is focused.
Enter / Space	When the selection menu is displayed, changes the select value to the focused option.

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