

Level 2 – Transforms

SECTION 2

Transforming Scale and Translate



Creating Interactivity With Inputs

Form inputs are an excellent use of animations on the web.

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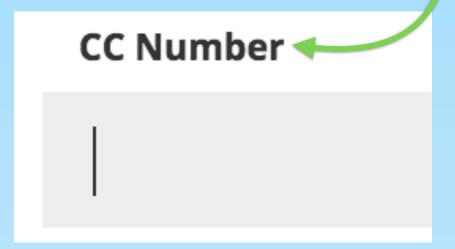
Analyzing the States of the Input Animation

If we break it down, we want our input label to have 2 different states.

We want the initial state of our label to provide information as a text placeholder.

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On input:focus, we want the label to slide up and scale down, becoming your average label for an input.



Step 1: Transition the Text Color

1. The input label text is **Transitioning Color**.

initial state

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focused state

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```
CSS
.form-input + .form-label {
  position: relative;
  padding: 0 1em;
  color: #6A7989;
  transition: color 0.3s;
.form-input:focus + form-label {
 color: #333333;
```

Only select the **first label after each input**



Step 2: Scaling the Label Size



- 1. The input label is **Transitioning Color**.
- 2. The input label is **Scaling Down** 80% of its original state.

initial state

Label Text

focused state

Label Text

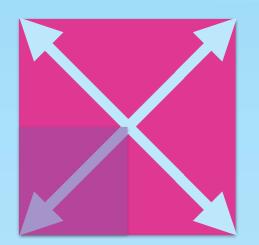


Transform Scale

Scale: to stretch an element based on the value multiplier

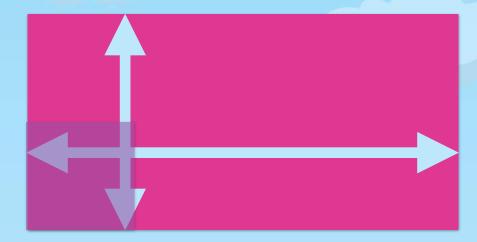
If only 1 value is provided, it will scale the element in both directions by that value.





make it twice the size

transform: scale(4, 2);



stretch horizontally by 4, stretch vertically by 2

You can also specify the X and the Y separately:

```
transform: scaleX(value);
```

transform: scaleY(value);

Scaling Down the Label as It Moves Up

Scaling down to 80% of its original size and transitioning scale:

```
.form-input + .form-label {
   position: relative;
   transition: color 0.3s, transform 0.3s;
}

.form-input:focus + .form-label {
   color: #333333;
   transform: scale(0.8);
}
```

transition both color and scale

YLabel Text Why is this label moving right?

We didn't change position?!

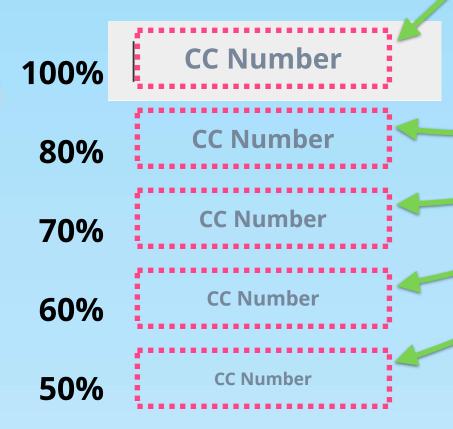


The Box Model and Scaling Gotcha

When you scale something down, it still maintains its original box model size.

Let's say the "CC Number" label takes up 100px height and 400px width.

No matter how small you scale, the label will still take up 400px x 100px.



The Desired Label vs. the Current Label

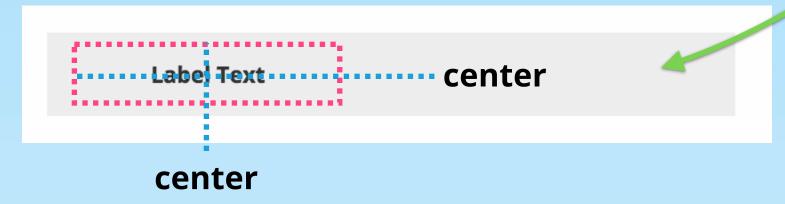
label element size Label Text

As we scale the text down inside this permanent 400x100 label, it scales around an origin of center.

desired focused state



current focused state



The Label's Origin

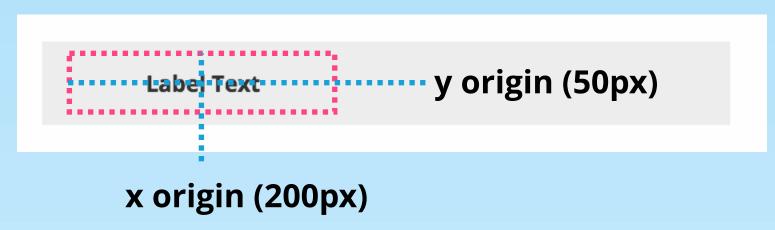
initial state



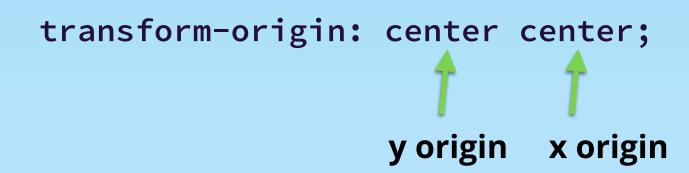
desired focused state



current focused state



As we scale the text down, inside this permanent 400x100 label, it scales around the center (200x50).



Changing the Label's Origin

initial state



We can set this transform-origin in either keywords (center, right, top...) or in pixels.

desired focused state



transform-origin: center left;

current focused state

changing our

x offset to left

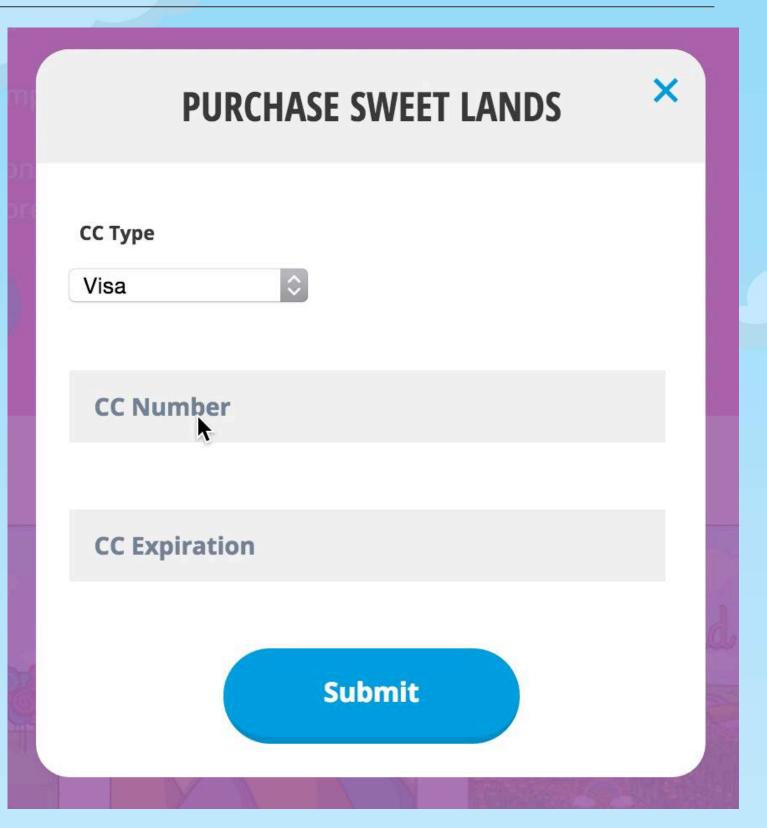
y origin (50px)

x origin (0px)

y origin x origin

Solution: Set Transform Origin to Center, Left

```
CSS
.form-input + .form-label {
 position: relative;
 transform-origin: center left;
 transition: all 0.3s;
.form-input:focus + .form-label {
 color: #333333;
 transform: scale(0.8);
```



Step 3: Translate the Text Position





3. The input label is **Translating Up** above the input.

initial state

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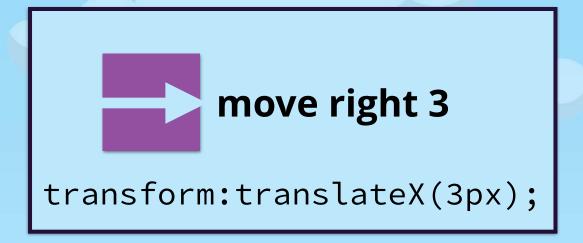
focused state

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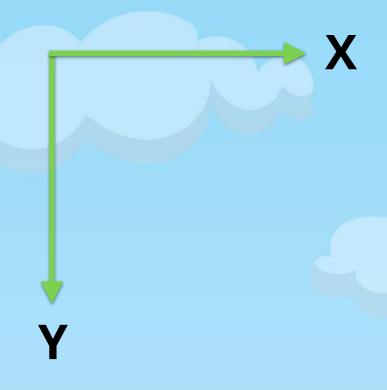


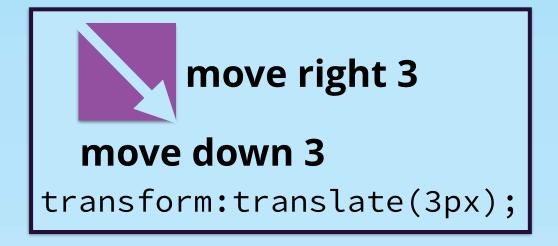
What Is Translation?

Translate simply means to move something.











Moving the Label Up With TranslateY

On input:focus, the label of the input should move up out of the way.

Can shorten this transition's line by using the all keyword.

transition: all 0.3s;

move up 40px

Our Input Animates Properly!

- 1. The input label is **Transitioning Color**.
- 2. The input label is **Scaling Down** to 80%.
- 3. The input label is **Translating Up** above the input.

sweet saucy sassafras, it works!

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