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<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
  <title>CSCI 111 Web Programming and Problem Solving</title>
</head>
<body>
  <h1>Week-4-Lecture</h1>
  <h2>Introduction to CSS Part III</h2>
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  </ul>
</body>
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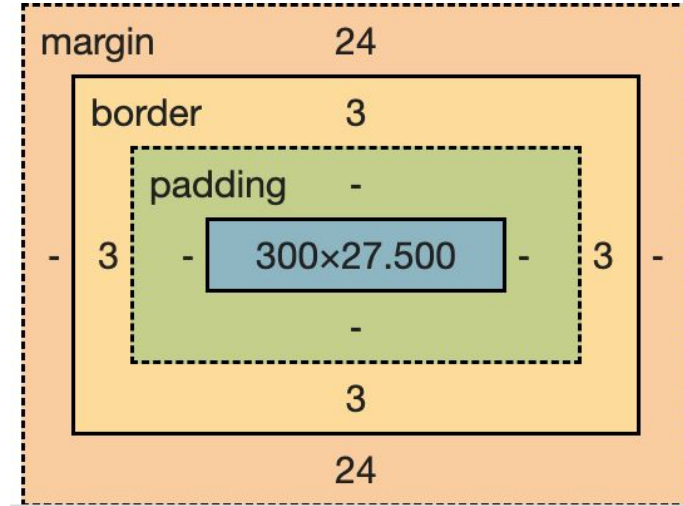
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Multi column pages

Box Model

The CSS **Box Model** is a box that wraps around every HTML element.



Components of Box Model:

- **Content** - actual content of the box.
- **Padding** – transparent area around the content.
- **Border** – a border around the padding and content
- **Margin** – transparent rea outside the border.

Box Model

Some properties of Box Model:

- For **margin**, **padding** and **border**, we can define values separately for the properties such as **top**, **right**, **bottom** and **left** or use the shorthand notations
 - **margin-top**: 20px;
 - **margin**: 50px 30px 50px 30px;
- If two elements have facing margins, the **maximum** of two gets applied
- If the content is not fitting the box, use **overflow** property
 - **auto** value adds a scrolling
 - **hidden** value hides the extra part of content

Box Sizing

The **width** and **height** properties depend on **box-sizing** property:

- **content-box** includes *only content* and not borders and padding
- **border-box** includes *borders, padding and content*
(recommended way)
- By default, **box-sizing** is not inherited by children
- Use the **universal** selector ***** to set **box-sizing** for each element

```
*{  
  box-sizing: border-box;  
  margin: 0;  
  padding: 0;  
}
```

← Applied to all elements

Positioning the Elements

Normal Document Flow defines the positions of elements on the screen depending on their place in HTML document.

We can change this flow using positioning properties such as:

- display
- flow
- position

Display

Display property defines how the box model is displayed:

- **block** starts from the new line and occupies it all
- **inline** is placed on the same line where defined
(some box properties are ignored like **margin-top**)
- **inline-block** behaves like a **block** and **inline** elements
- **flex** makes the elements inside it to line up (**float**)

Display

Hello, World!

Paragraph 1

Paragraph 2

Paragraph 3. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet consectetur
adipiscing elit. Doloremque cumque odio nam illum

eligendi recusandae? *Consectetur*, eum impedit laboriosam

alias saepe dolorum nobis maiores illo, voluptatum qui
molestias adipisci voluptas.

Block elements

Inline element

Inline-block
element

Float

The **float** property specifies how an element should float:

- Elements can float to the **right** or **left** (**none** is default)
- Floated elements are **removed** from the Normal flow
- The next element **occupies** the free space of the floated element
- The **clear** property prevents the next element from occupying free space of the floating element

Float

Hello, World!

Paragraph 1

Paragraph 2

Elements in Normal
flow, **not floated**

Hello, World!

Paragraph 2

Paragraph 1

Paragraph 1 is **floated** to
the right

Hello, World!

Paragraph 2

Paragraph 1

Paragraph 1 is **floated** to
the right, Paragraph 2 is
cleared

Position

Position property specifies the type of positioning method used for an element:

- **static** - positioned according to the normal flow (default)
 - **relative** - positioned relative to its normal position (**preserves** space)
 - **absolute** - positioned relative to the nearest positioned ancestor (**removes** space)
 - **fixed** - positioned relative to the viewport (**removes** space)
 - **sticky** - positioned based on the user's scroll position (as relative or fixed)
- Elements are positioned using the **top, bottom, left,** and **right** properties.

Position

Hello, World!

Paragraph 1

Paragraph 1 is **absolute**

Paragraph 2

Paragraph 2 is **static**

Paragraph 3. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet consectetur adipisicing

Doloremque cumque odio nam illum eligendi recusandae? Consec

eum impedit laboriosam alias saepe dolorum nobis maiores illo,
voluptatum qui molestias adipisci voluptas.

Paragraph 3 is **relative**

Notes:

- To use **absolute** position, you need to define **position** property on some **ancestor**
- **html** element by default defines position **relative**

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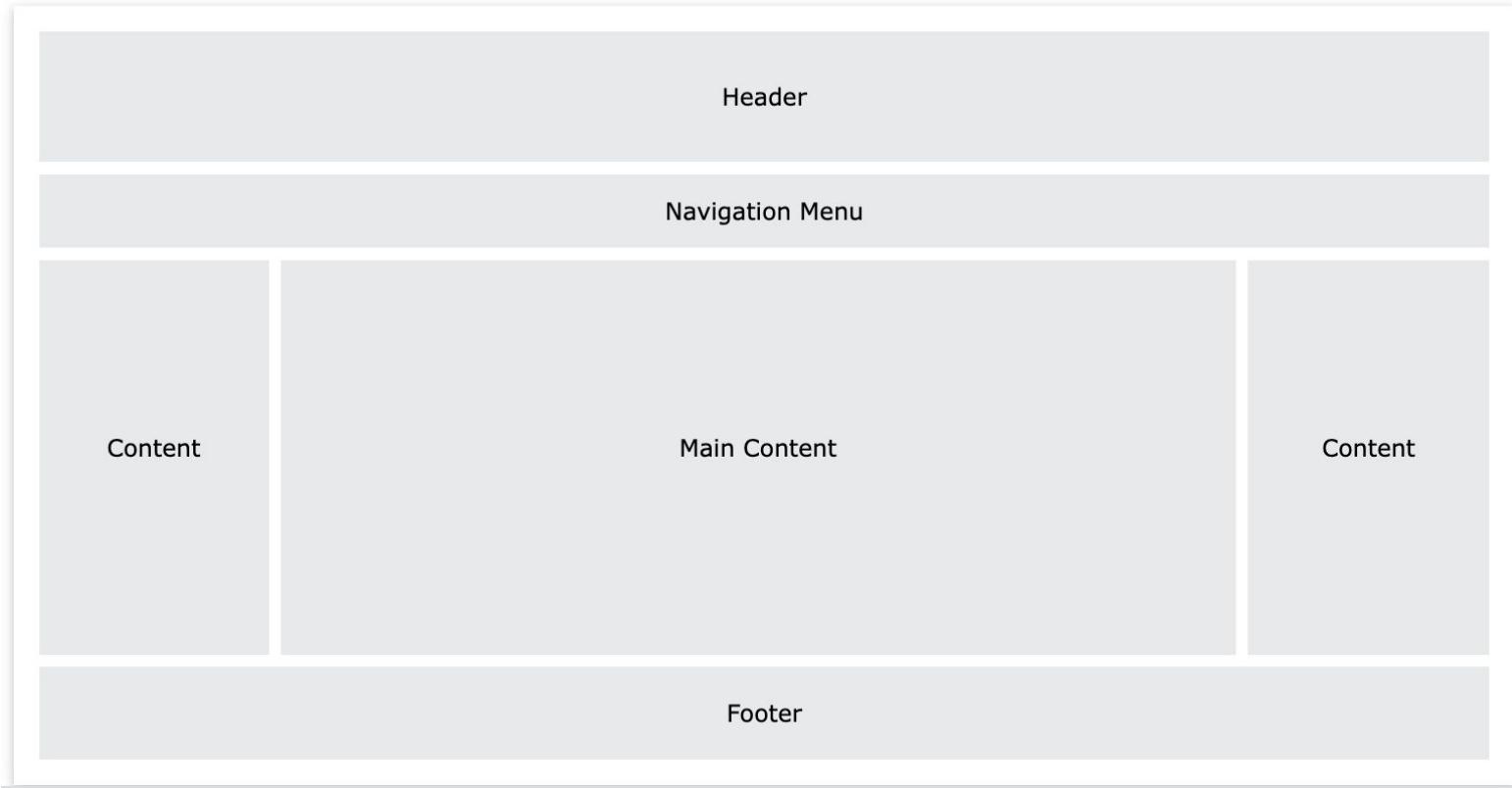
We can restructure our HTML document to have different layouts depending on:

- content (primary, secondary)
- semantics (header, navigation, content, footer)
- screen size (desktop, tablet, mobile)

Let's have a look at a typical desktop layout

Website Layout

One of the typical layouts for big screen



Website Layout

Several ideas to mention:

- Use **semantic** elements (header, nav, footer, section)
- Header, nav and footer are **block** elements, i.e. take all line
- To make **multi-column** page:
 - use **flex** property on the containing element (section)
 - define column width in percentage (e.g.: 25%-50%-25%)
- Note: there are other solutions as well

Summary

- The **Box Model**:
 - Understand the structure of Box
 - Use **overflow** property to take care of extra content
 - Use **box-sizing** property carefully
- Positioning elements on the page can be done using:
 - **Display**
 - **Float**
 - **Position**
- **Website layouts** depend on several factors (content, screen)

bonus info