

**CSS** 





## What is CSS?

## CSS stands for "Cascading Style Sheets"

<u>Cascading</u>: refers to the procedure that determines which style will apply to a certain section, if you have more than one style rule.

<u>Style</u>: how you want a certain part of your page to look. You can set things like color, margins, font, etc for things like tables, paragraphs, and headings.

**Sheets:** the "sheets" are like templates, or a set of rules, for determining how the webpage will look.

CSS is a stylesheet language used to describe the presentation of a document written in HTML or XML.

## **CSS**

## History

- CSS1 was the first edition introduced in 1996.
- CSS2 was published in 1998 and provides enhancement over CSS1.
- CSS2.1 was the last  $2^{nd}$  generation edition of CSS.
- CSS 3 is the latest edition. Several new functionalities have been provided through CSS3. Functions like rounded corners, backgroubnd decoration, box shadows, which are demonstrated in the subsequesnt sections, are introduced in this version.



## **CSS**

## **Advantages**

- A web application will contains hundreds of web pages, which are created using HTML.
- Formatting these HTML pages will be a laborious process, as formatting elements need to be applied to each and every page.
- CSS saves lots of work as we can change the appearance and layout of all the web pages by editing just one single CSS file.



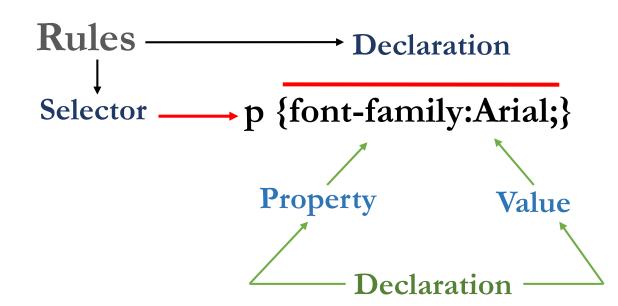
# **CSS Syntax Rules**

### Rule have two parts - Selector and declaration.

**Selector:** The HTML element you want to add style to.

<h1> etc

**Declaration:** The statement of style for that element. Made up of property and value.





## CSS Style Example

<u>Selector -</u> I want the text color of my paragraph to be <u>red</u> and the background color to be <u>black</u>.

```
<html>
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<head>
<style> p {font-family:Arial; color: red; background-color:black;} </style>
</head>
<body>
 <b> Welcome to Snapdeal Academy </b>

</body>
</html>
```

### **Welcome to Snapdeal Academy**

## **CSS Selectors**

CSS selectors allow you to select and manipulate HTML elements based on their id, class, type, attribute, and more.

## Examples –

Declaring a CSS Rule for a Class Attribute

the HTML <a class="pdf" href="brochure.pdf">Brochure</a>

the CSS

.pdf {background: url(images/pdf.gif) no-repeat left 50%;}

use a period when writing a rule for a class

Declaring a CSS Rule for an Id Attribute

the HTML <div id="wrapper">Main Content</div>

the CSS

**#wrapper** {width: 750px; margin: 0 auto;}

use a pound sign when writing a rule for a id

# CSS Selectors (Cont.)

### Declaring a CSS Rule for a Elements Attribute

It will style all the content of that element which you are selecting.

```
The HTML

 Welcome to the Snapdeal Academy 
 <b> <i> Powered by – PeopleStrategists </i> </b> 
The CSS

p {text-align: center; color: blue;}
```



# CSS Selectors (Cont.)

### **Grouping Selectors**

You can group all the selectors of same style to minimize the code. The selectors should be separated with comma.

## Example-

```
h2 {text-align: center; color: red; }
p {text-align: center; color: red;}
```

### **Grouped Selectors-**

```
h2, p {text-align: center; color: red; }
```



## Inserting a StyleSheet

#### You can do in three different ways-

#### External Style Sheet

Styles are specified in an external CSS file. you can change the looks of entire website by using single external style sheet.

**Eg.:** <head> link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="ex1.css" /> </head>

#### **Internal Style Sheet**

To Appy specific styles to a single HTML file inside the head section of an HTML page.

<u>Eg.:</u> <style> p { text-align:left; font-size:24px; } </style>

#### **Inline Styles** 3.

Styles are specified inside an HTML tag/element.

Eg.: Demo of Inline Style

## Inserting a StyleSheet

Multiple Style Sheets – It can be referenced inside an HTML document.

The questions is, what styles will be applicable when there is more than one style specified?

All styles cascade into a new virtual style sheet by applying the following rules, where the higher number has the greater priority:

- 1. Browser default.
- 2. External Stylesheet.
- 3. Internal Stylesheet (styles defined in head section).
- 4. Inline Style (styles defined in an HTML element).

#### **Ref.Note Section-**



### **CSS** Background

We can use CSS Background properties to define the background effects of an element.

The following properties can be used for background effects:

- a. background-color
- b. background-image
- c. background-repeat
- d. background-position



### **CSS Background Image**

You can use an image as the background for an element using background-image property.

## Example-

```
body{
    background-image:url('java.png');
}
```

By default, the image is repeated, both horizontally and vertically, so as to cover the entire body (or the element on which it is applied).



## **CSS Background Color**

The background-color property is used to specify the background color of an element.

## Example-

```
body {
    background-color:darkblue;
}
```

Similarly, we can specify the background for any element (wherever applicable).

```
p {
    background-color:orange;
}
```



### **CSS Background Position**

If the background image disturbs the text, i.e. if the text cannot be read clearly due to the image in the background, we can set the position of the background image.

```
body {
    background-image:url("snapdeal.jpg");
    background-repeat:no-repeat;
    background-position:right top;
}
```



### **CSS Background Shorthand**

You can also specify all the properties in a single property. This property is known as shorthand property.

For specifying shorthand property, you just need to use background.

```
body {
    background:cyan url('snapdeal.jpg') no-repeat right top;
}
```



### **Text Formatting**

The following properties can be used for formatting text:

- 1. Text Color
- 2. Text Alignment
- 3. Text Decoration
- 4. Text Transformation
- 5. Text Indentation



### **Text Alignment**

We can either align the text to the left, right, center or we can make it justified.

## Example-

```
p { text-align:left;}
h1 {text-align:center;}
```

#### **Text Color**

The color property is used to set the color of text.

```
body { color:blue;}
p1 {color:magenta;}
```



### **Text Decoration**

You can use text-decoration property to set or remove decorations from text.

### Example-

```
p {text-decoration:overline;}
p {text-decoration:line-through;}
p {text-decoration:underline;}
```

### **Text Transformation**

You can use text-transform property to specify uppercase and lowercase letters of any text.

```
h1 {text-transform:uppercase;}
h2 {text-transform:lowercase;}
p {text-transform:capitalize;}
```



#### **CSS Font**

CSS font properties are used to define the font family, size, style and boldness of the text. In CSS, there are two types of font family names:

**generic family -** a group of font families with a similar look (like "Serif" or "Monospace"). **font family -** a specific font family (like "Times New Roman" or "Arial").

## **Comments in CSS**

/\* comment \*/ - This is comment used in CSS.



### **CSS** Font Family

The font-family property should hold several font names as a "fallback" system. If the browser does not support the first font, it tries the next font.

Example:

p { font-family:"Arial", Times, "Sans-serif";}

### **CSS Font Style**

You can use the property font-style to specify mostly italic text. It has three values Normal, Italic, Oblique (similar to italic).

#### **CSS Font Size**

You can use the **font-size** property to set the size of text. The font-size value can be absolute or it can be relative.

```
Example-
h1 {
  font-size: 30px;
}

p {
  font-size: 14px;
}
```



### CSS Font Size with em (Relative Size)

You may face resizing problems, when you use older versions of browsers. To avoid such problems, you can use set font size using em, instead of pixels.

The em size unit is a W3C recommendation.1 em is equal to the current font size. The default text size is 16 px. So, the default size of 1 em is 16 px.

```
Example
h2 {
   font-size: 1.875em; /* 30px/16=1.875em */
}
```



### **CSS Links**

You can use CSS styles to style any link. Links can be styled in different ways by using any CSS property like color, font-family etc.

Links can be in one of the following states:

- a: link Unvisited link
- a: visited A link that the user has visited
- a: hover A link over which the mouse pointer is moving
- **a:** active A link, which has been just clicked

Links can be styled according to their states.



#### **CSS Links**

```
a {
font-weight: bold;
a:link {
 color: black;
a:visited {
color: gray;
a:hover {
text-decoration: none;
color: white;
background-color: navy;
a:active {
color: aqua;
background-color: navy;
```

# Styling Links

link - before a visit
visited - after it has been visited
hover - when your mouse is over it but you have not clicked
active - you have clicked it and you have not yet seen the new page



#### **CSS List**

You can use CSS list properties for

- > Setting different list item markers for ordered lists
- > Setting different list item markers for unordered lists
- > Set an image as the list item marker

#### Values-

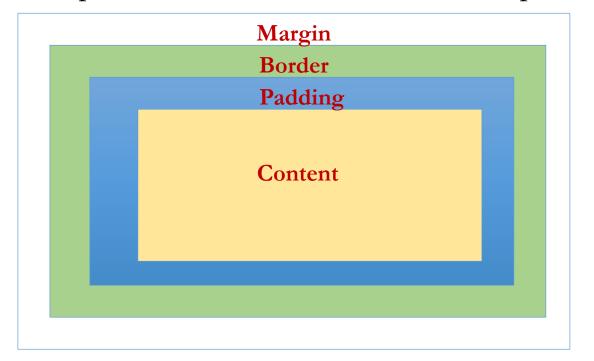
- list-style-type
- list-style-image



### **Box Model: Introduction**

Box model is useful for designing the layout of an HTML Page. CSS Box model describes a box that wraps around HTML elements.

Using this model, we can define the margins, borders, padding and the actual content. We can place border around elements and space elements in relation to each other.



#### **Box Model: Illustration**

You can set the height and width of an element using the **height** and **width** properties.



## **CSS Padding**

You can use the CSS padding properties to define the space between the element border and the element content. It is possible to change the top, right, bottom and left padding independently using separate properties.

You can also use a shorthand padding property to change all paddings in a single statement. Individual padding properties can be specified as follows:

padding-top:20px; padding-bottom:30px; padding-right:25px; padding-left:10px;

In shorthand-

padding: 20px 30px 25px 10px;



#### **CSS Border**

You can use the CSS Border properties to specify the style and color of an element's border.

#### Values-

border-style

border-width

border-color



### **CSS Margin**

Using CSS Margin properties you can specify the space around elements.

### Values:

```
margin-top:50px;
margin-bottom:30px;
margin-right:25px;
margin-left:10px;
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### Pseudo-Class

A pseudo-class is used to define a special state of an element.

- Style an element when a user mouses over it.
- Style visited and unvisited links differently.

```
/* unvisited link */
a:link { color: #FF0000;
/* visited link */
a:visited { color: #00FF00;
/* mouse over link */
a:hover { color: #FF00FF;
/* selected link */
a:active { color: #0000FF;
```



## Pseudo-Elements

A CSS pseudo-element is used to style specified parts of an element.

- Style the first letter, or line, of an element
- Insert content before, or after, the content of an element

The **::first-line** pseudo-element is used to add a special style to the first line of a text. <u>All Pseudo Elements-</u>

Selector	Example	Example description
::after	p::after	Insert content after every  element
::before	p::before	Insert content before every  element
::first-letter	p::first-letter	Selects the first letter of every  element
::first-line	p::first-line	Selects the first line of every  element
::selection	p::selection	Selects the portion of an element that is selected by a user

## **Media Types**

The @media rule makes it possible to define different style rules for different media types in the same stylesheet.

```
@media screen {
  p { font-family: verdana, sans-serif;
      font-size: 20px;
@media print {
  p { font-family: georgia, serif;
      font-size: 15px;
      color: blue;
```



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## **CSS3** Introduction

Several new functionalities have been added in CSS 3 which has been split into "modules".

It contains the "old CSS specification" (which has been split into smaller pieces). In addition, new modules are added.

#### Some Important CSS3 modules are:

Selectors

Box Model

Backgrounds and Borders

Image Values and Replaced Content

Text Effects

2D/3D Transformations

Animations

Multiple Column Layout

User Interface



## **CSS3 Gradient**

Now with CSS3 you can use gradients effects in your document. For which earlier you have to use images. It reduces download time and bandwidth usage. Gradient is generated by browser. Its of two types –

- Linear Gradients (goes down/up/left/right/diagonally).
- Radial Gradients (defined by their center).

### Example- (This is by-default for Top-Bottom).

```
#grad {background: linear-gradient(red, blue); } /* Standard Syntax*/
```

## For Different browser support we need to specify the prefix for them-

```
#grad {background: -webkit-linear-gradient(red, blue); /* For Safari 5.1 to 6.0 */
background: -o-linear-gradient(red, blue); /* For Opera 11.1 to 12.0 */
background: -moz-linear-gradient(red, blue); /* For Firefox 3.6 to 15 */}
```

## **CSS3 Text**

CSS3 contains several new text features. Their are following text properties- text-overflow, word-wrap, word-break

**text-overflow** – This property specifies how overflowed content that is not displayed should be signaled to the user.

### **Eg.:**

```
p.test1 {
    white-space: nowrap;
    width: 200px;
    border: 1px solid #000000;
    overflow: hidden;
    text-overflow: clip;
}

p.test2 {
    white-space: nowrap;
    width: 200px;
    border: 1px solid #000000;
    overflow: hidden;
    text-overflow: ellipsis;
}
```

```
It can be clipped:

This is some long text that

or it can be rendered as an ellipsis (...):

This is some long text th...

On hovering over element — It shows overflowed content div.test:hover {
    text-overflow: inherit;
    overflow: visible;
  }
```

## **CSS3 Transforms**

CSS3 transforms allow you to translate, rotate, scale, and skew elements. CSS3 supports 2D and 3D transformations.

#### **CSS3 2D Transforms**

It has following 2D transformation methods:

transform: translate()

transform: rotate()

transform: scale()

transform: skewX()

transform: skewY()

transform: matrix()

```
div {transform: translate(50px,100px); }
div {transform: rotate(20deg); }
```



## **CSS3 Transforms**

## **CSS3 3D Transforms**

It has following 3D transformation methods:

```
transform: rotateX()
transform: rotateY()
```

transform: rotateZ()

```
div {
    transform: rotateX(150deg);
}
```



## **CSS3 Transitions**

It allows you to change property values smoothly (from one value to another), over a given duration. To create a transition effect, you must specify two things:

- 1. the CSS property you want to add an effect to.
- 2. the duration of the effect.

```
div {
    width: 100px;
    height: 100px;
    background: red;
    -webkit-transition: width 2s; /* Safari */
    transition: width 2s;
```

```
div:hover {
width: 300px;
}

On hovering over it.
```

## **CSS3 Animation**

CSS3 animations allows animation of most HTML elements without using JavaScript or Flash! An animation lets an element gradually change from one style to another. To use CSS3 animation, you must first specify some **@keyframes** for the animation.

```
/* The animation code */
@keyframes example {
  from {background-color: red;}
  to {background-color: yellow;}
/* The element to apply the animation to */
div {
  width: 100px;
  height: 100px;
  background-color: red;
  animation-name: example;
  animation-duration: 4s;
```



