**HTML Links Colors**

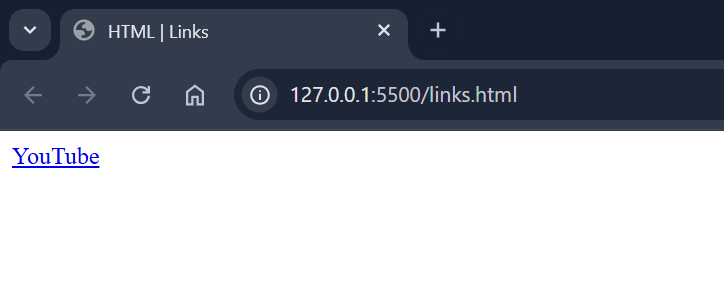
**State of Link Colors:**

An HTML link is displayed in a different colors in all browsers because there are 3 states of link colors depending on whether it has been visited, is unvisited, or is active.

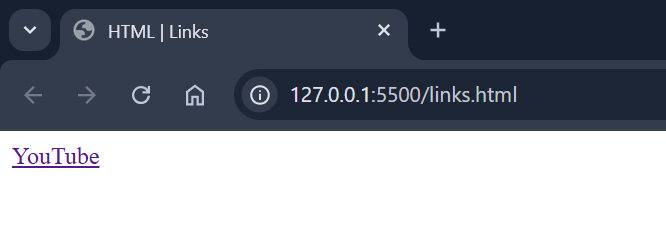
By default, links will appear like this in all browsers:

* An unvisited link is underlined and blue
* A visited link is underlined and purple
* An active link is underlined and red

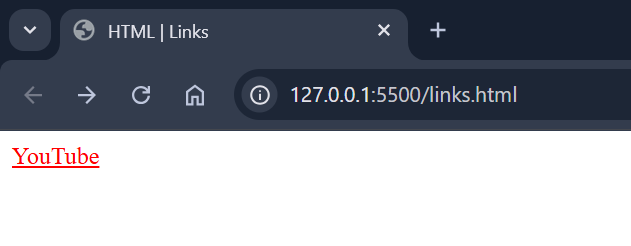
***Unvisited Link displays like this:***



***Visited Link displays like this:***

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***Active Link displays like this:***

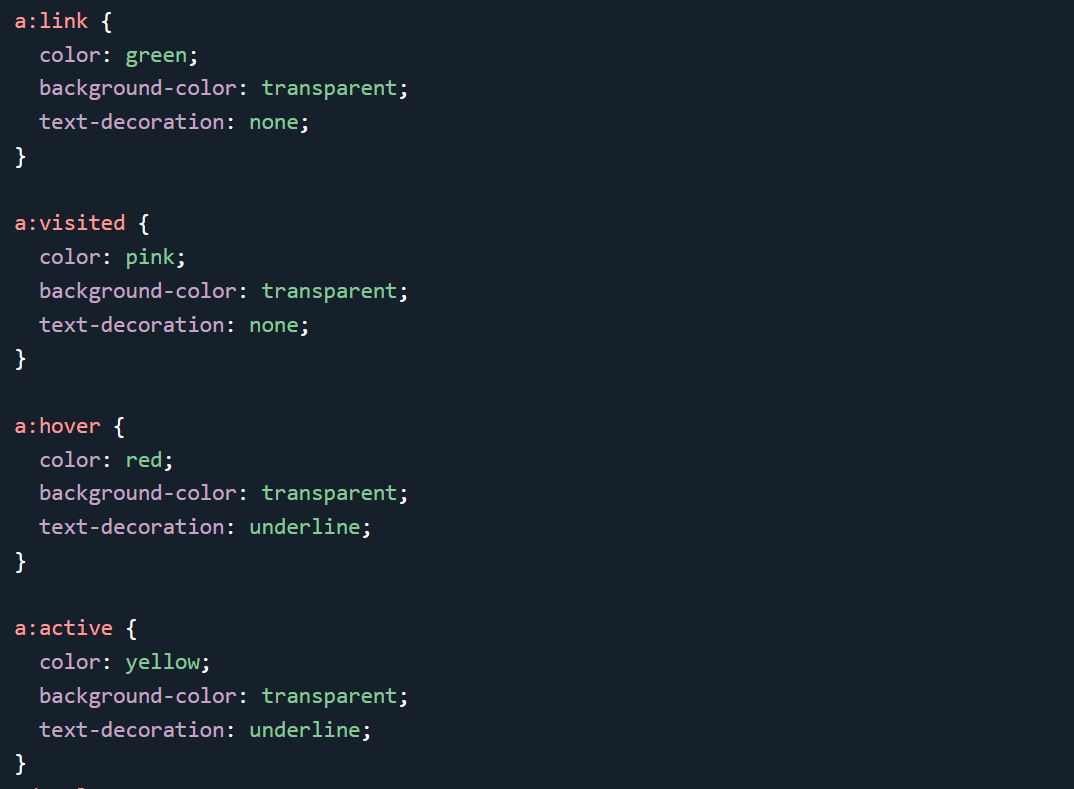
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**Tip:** Links can of course be styled with CSS, to get another look!

**Change Link Colors:**

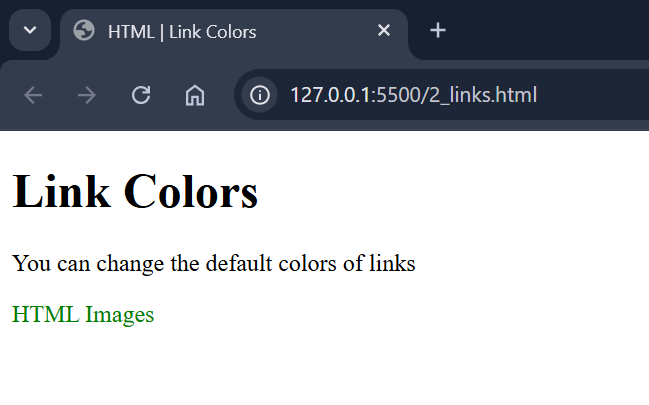
You can change the link state colors, by using CSS:

**Code:**

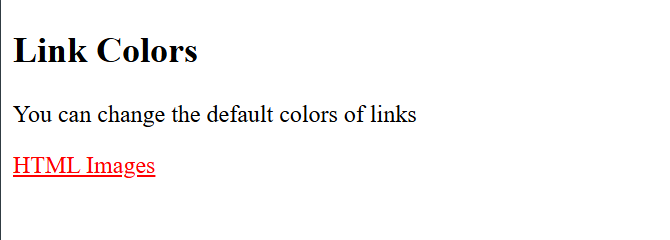
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**Output:**

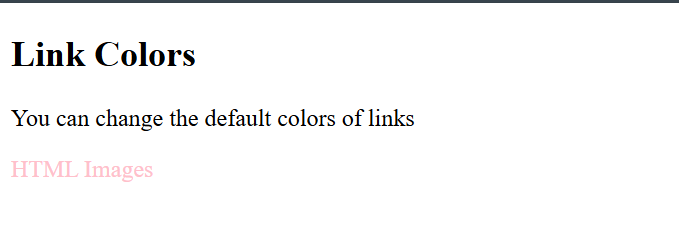
***visited Link color:***

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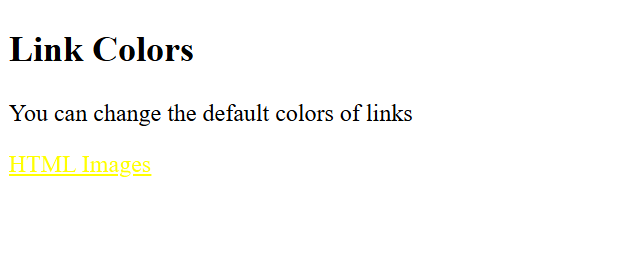
***Link color on hover:***

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***visited Link color:***

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***Active Link color:***

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**Style Link as a Button:**

 link can also be styled as a button, by using CSS:

**Code:**

***HTML Code:***

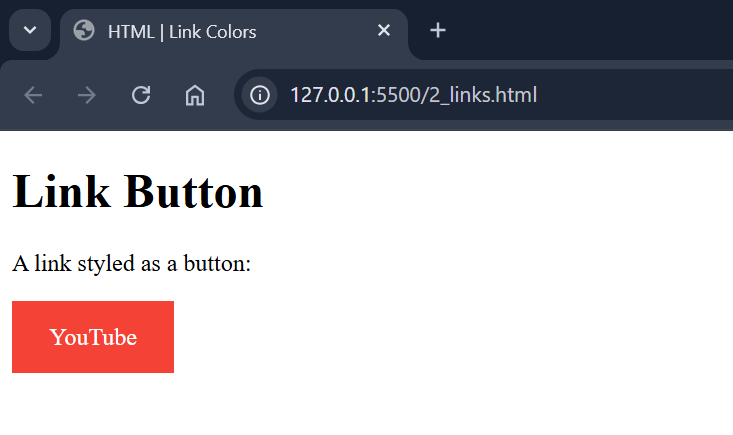
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***CSS Code:***

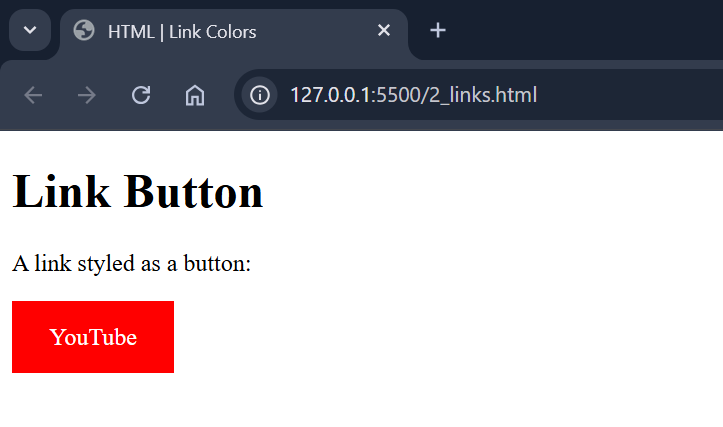
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**Output:**

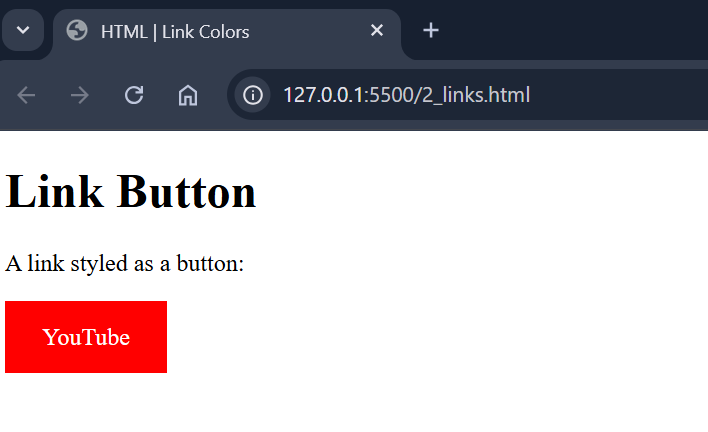
***Unvisited link:***

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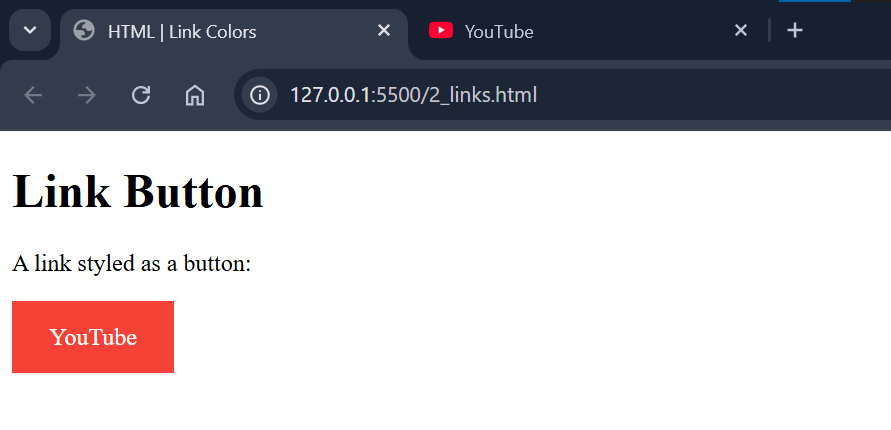
***Hover on link:***

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***Active link:***

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***Visited link:***

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