

# Set Angular HostBinding css class to value with function?

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I have a component that uses `@HostBinding` to set a class:

```
@HostBinding('class.dark-1') true;
```

Which works fine. However, now I need to create a function in my component to change the class dynamically.

For example, from `dark-1` to `light-2` when a button in the component is clicked.

I know how to create the function and call it from a button, but how do I change the class in the hostbinding and refresh the UI with the new class?

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asked Apr 17 '18 at 16:55



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## 2 Answers



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Simply give it a property name:

```
@HostBinding('class.dark-1') isDark = true;
```

Then you can change it:

```
this.isDark = false;
```

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```
@HostBinding('class') className = 'dark-1';  
  
this.className = 'light-1';
```

answered Apr 17 '18 at 17:05



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The latter is what I was looking for, thanks. – [Steve](#) Apr 17 '18 at 17:14

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can you do a similar thing with attributes that might contain a value? – [roberto tomás](#) Jun 13 at 21:59

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▲ You can toggle a `clicked` flag when clicking the button, and set the classes with getters:

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```
@HostBinding("class.dark-1") public get classDark1() {  
    return !this.clicked;  
}  
  
@HostBinding("class.light-2") public get classLight2() {  
    return this.clicked;  
}  
  
private clicked = false;  
  
public onClick() {  
    this.clicked = true;  
}
```

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