

CHANGE & MOTION

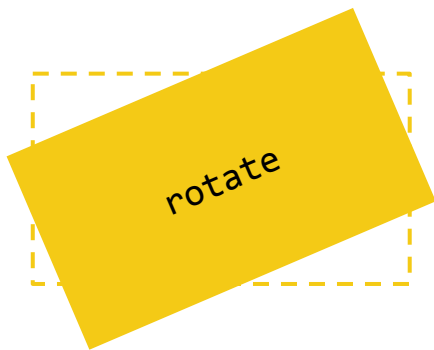
CSS transitions and animations

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CSS Transforms

Manipulating elements

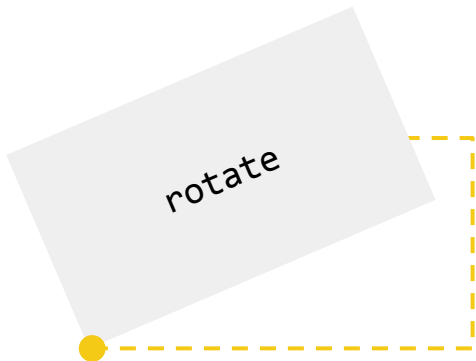
CSS 2D Transforms



CSS transform allows you to change the shape and position of HTML elements without disrupting the normal flow.



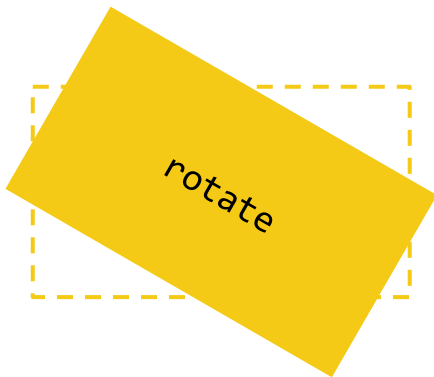
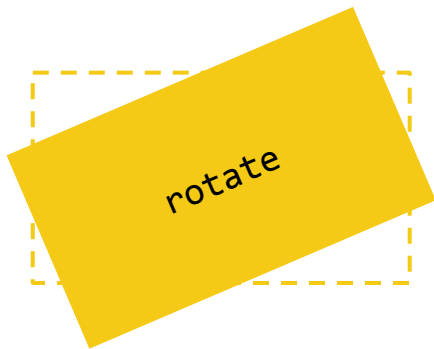
Transform Origin



`transform-origin` specifies the origin point of the transformation performed. This can be specified in multiple forms, including keywords, % values, and px. It is at the center of the element by default.

```
.example {  
  transform: rotate(-30deg);  
  transform-origin: bottom left;  
}
```

Rotate



rotate() Rotates the div clockwise (+) or counter-clockwise (-), specified in degrees (deg).

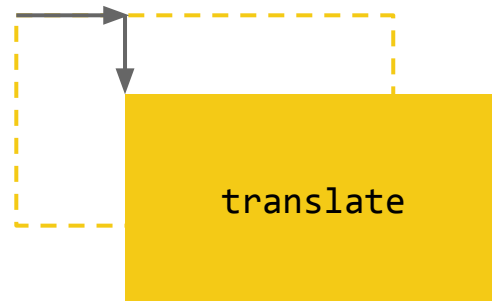
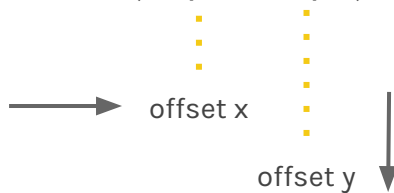
```
.example {  
    transform: rotate(-30deg);  
}
```

```
.example {  
    transform: rotate(30deg);  
}
```

Translate

translate() moves an element sideways, up, or down. This can be specified in any length unit.

```
.example{  
  transform: translate(40px, 20px);  
}
```



Translate on one axis



```
.example {  
  transform: translateX(30px);  
}
```

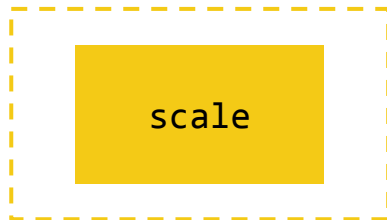


```
.example {  
  transform: translateY(20px);  
}
```

Scale

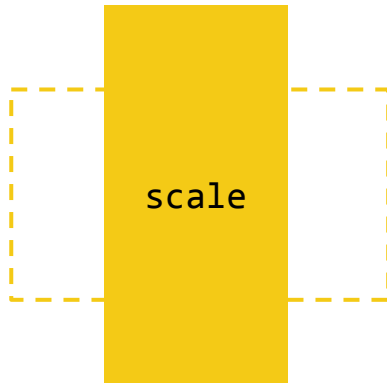
scale() stretches an element horizontally and/or vertically. Scale values are unitless. This also applies to the font-size, padding, height, and width of an element.

```
.example {  
  transform: scale (.7);  
}
```

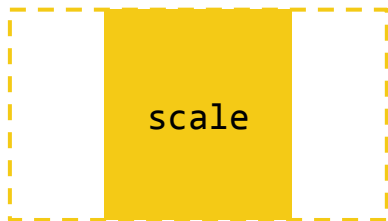


```
.example {  
  transform: scale(.5, 1.5);  
}
```

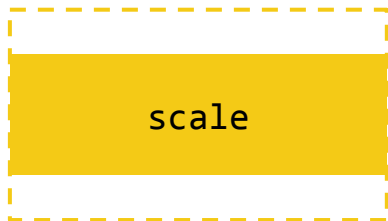
scale x
scale y



Scale on one axis



```
.example {  
  transform: scaleX(.5);  
}
```



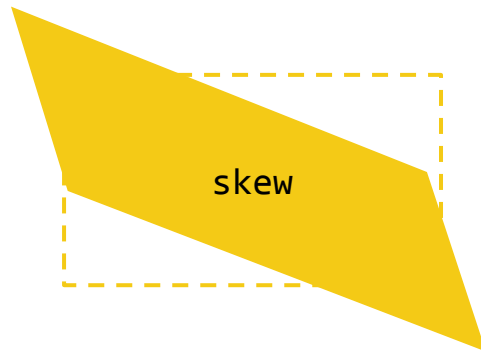
```
.example {  
  transform: scaleY(.5);  
}
```

Skew

skew() stretches an element horizontally and/or vertically. Skews are defined in degrees (+, -). Contained elements, such as text, will also be skewed.

```
.example {  
  transform: skew(10deg,30deg);  
}
```

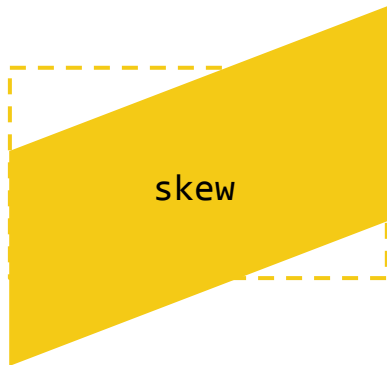
skew x
skew y



Skew



```
.example {  
  transform: skewX(-20deg);  
}
```



```
.example {  
  transform: skewY(-20deg);  
}
```

CSS Transitions

Easing changes in CSS

Combining Transforms

```
.example {  
  transform: scale(.7, 1.5) rotate(30deg) skewY(-15deg) translate(200px, 20%);  
}
```

- Multiple transforms can be applied to the same element with a space in between
 - Note: you cannot declare transforms separately; the latter will override the former.
- Transforms are applied in the order they are declared
- More [on transforms](#) including perspectival / 3D effects

CSS Transitions

```
.button {  
  color: white;  
  background-color: #f4ca16;  
  transition: background-color 0.3s ease-in  
  0.2s;  
}  
  
.button:hover {  
  background-color: tomato;  
}
```

Transitions allow property changes in CSS values to occur smoothly over a specified duration.

Transitions requires a trigger (such as :hover) to take effect. They are declared to the element targeted for the change.



Specifying Transitions

transition: background-color 0.3s ease-in 0.2s;

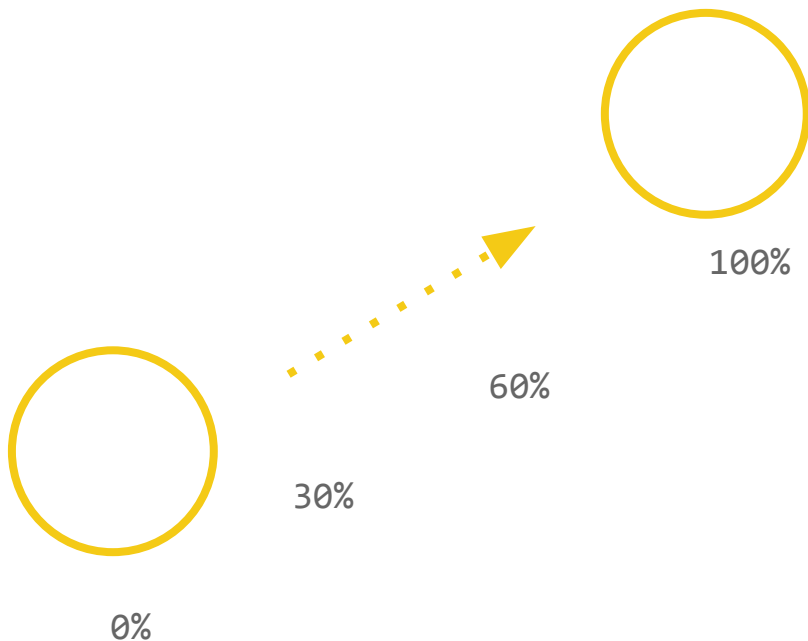
shorthand for

| syntax | description | possible values |
|--|---|--|
| transition-property: background-color; | property being transitioned (or use <code>transition-property: all</code>) | See a list of CSS properties that can be transitioned. |
| transition-duration: 0.3s; | duration of effect | seconds (s) or milliseconds (ms) |
| transition-timing-function: ease-in; | the transition style | See common easing effects |
| transition-delay: 0.2s; | delay until starting effect | seconds (s) or milliseconds (ms) |

CSS Animations

Setting elements in motion

Animations



Using just CSS, you can create animation sequences for any element. (Animations allow motion without triggers.)

Animations consist of two separate sets of declarations:

- **@keyframes:** specifies the state of the element at a certain time point (relative to defined timing of animation.)
- **animation properties** apply the keyframe animation to one or many elements

Keyframes

@ for special CSS

keyframes

identifier

properties at each keyframe

```
.....@keyframes colors {  
  0% {  
    background-color: blue;  
  }  
  50% {  
    background-color: yellow;  
    color: rgba(200,155,20,0.8);  
  }  
  100% {  
    background-color: green;  
  }  
}
```

- **identifier**
 - chosen name for the animation. This must match the name used to declare animation properties
- **keyframes**
 - timestamps / waypoints in the animation
 - from, to, %

Animation properties

target
element

p {

}
}

animation: colors 3.5s linear 0.2s 3 alternate;

shorthand for

syntax

description

possible values

animation-name: colors;

identifier given to animation in
@keyframes declarations

any name without spaces

animation-duration: 3.5s;

animation duration

seconds (s) or milliseconds (ms)

animation-timing-function: ease-in;

animation style

same as transitions

animation-delay: 0.2s;

delay until starting animation

seconds (s) or milliseconds (ms)

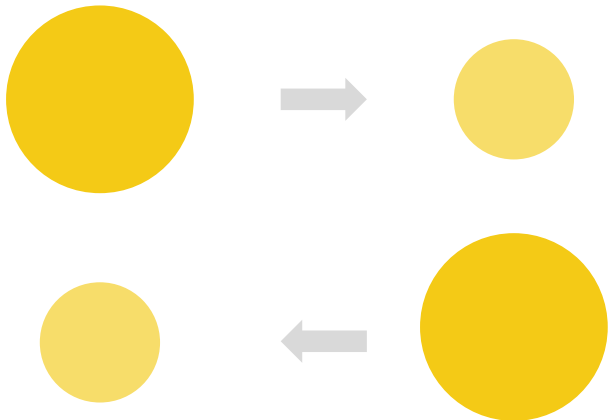
Animation properties

```
animation: colors 3.5s linear 0.2s 3 alternate;
```

shorthand for

| syntax | description | possible values |
|--|---|---|
| <code>animation-iteration-count: 3;</code> | number of times the animation runs | infinite or numbers |
| <code>animation-direction: alternate;</code> | from what direction the animation begins | normal, reverse, alternate alternate-reverse |
| <code>animation-play-state: running;</code> | whether to play or pause | running (default), paused |
| <code>animation-fill-mode: none;</code> | whether to apply styles before and after the animation executes | none (default), forwards, backwards, both |

Combine with Transform



Transitions and animations can also be combined with [any of these CSS properties](#), but we should be careful as some properties may eat up some of your performance (and your animation may appear choppy, Transform functions, however, such as `translate()` `scale()` and `rotate()` are safe to use.

See [example](#).

Change & Motion: Review

You should now have an understanding of how to:

- ❑ Transform elements
- ❑ Transition CSS changes and transforms
- ❑ Animate CSS transforms