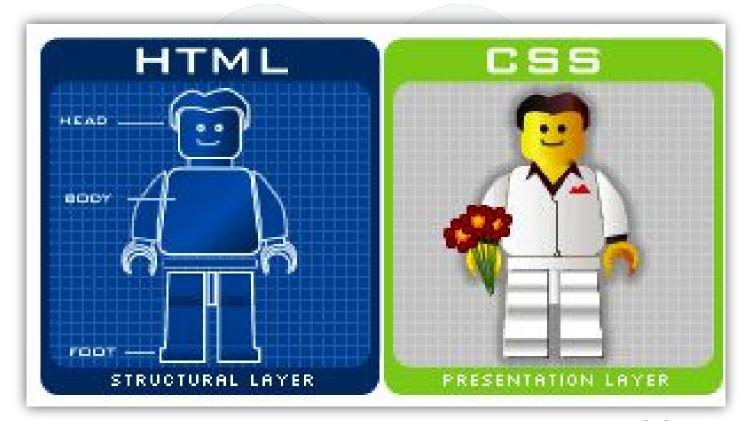


What is CSS?

- Cascading Style Sheets, fondly referred to as CSS, is a simple design language intended to simplify the process of making web pages presentable.
- CSS handles the look and feel part of a web page. It is one of the fundamental
 web standards, with profound impact on typography, aesthetics, and
 accessibility on the web.
- CSS is easy to learn and understand but it provides a powerful control over the presentation of an HTML document.
- Before we had CSS, all of the styling of HTML was embedded directly in the document. It has become the W3C standard for controlling visual presentation of web pages.

HTML with CSS





CSS inclusion in html

- There are three types of stylesheets inclusion :
 - Inline CSS ----> Used inside a particular tag
 - <h1 style ="color:#36C;"> This is inline CSS </h1>
 - Internal CSS ----> Used inside HTML page

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
<style>
    p{color: green}

</style>
</head>
<body>
The text in this paragraph will be green.
This paragraph too.
</body>
</html>
```



CSS inclusion in html

External CSS ----> Used outside HTML page

```
<head>
<link type="text/css" href="mystyle.css" media="all" />
</head>
```

Importing CSS ----> to import an external stylesheet in a manner similar to the

```
<head>
@import "mystyle.css";
</head>
```



A CSS comprises of style rules that are interpreted by the browser and then applied to the corresponding elements in your document. A style rule is made of three parts:

- Selector { property: value; }
- h1 { color: red; }
- Selector Types:
 - Element type selectors
 - table { background:#ccc; border: 1px solid red}
 - p, h5, img, ul, ol, li



- Universal Selectors
 - * { background: black; }
- Descendant Selectors
 - To apply a style rule to a particular element only when it lies inside a particular element.
 - Ul li { text-align: center; }
- Class Selectors
 - Defining the style rules based on the class attributes of the elements.
 - This rule renders the property for every element with '.h-light' class attribute set to background yellow in the document.
 - Qwinix Technologies
 - CSS training
 - .h-light { background: yellow; }



- ID Selectors
 - Each element can have only one ID. Each page can have only one element with that ID.
 - #info { padding: 10px; text-align:left; color:black; font-size:13px;}
 - Best to use as foundation for descendant selectors
 - #info h3 { font-weight:600; font-family: helvetica; }
- Child Selectors
 - Similar to descendants but has different functionality.
 - body > p { color : black; }
 - This rule will render all the paragraphs in black if they are a direct child of the <body> element. Other paragraphs put inside other elements like <div> or would not have any effect of this rule.

- Attribute Selectors
 - Advantage to this method is that the <input type="submit" /> element is unaffected, and the color applied only to the desired text fields
 - input[type="text"] { color: blue; }
 - p[lang] { color: red; text-align:center;} selects all paragraph elements with a lang attribute.
 - a[href*="qwinix"] { color: red; text-align:left; }
- Grouping Selectors
 - Separating the selectors with a comma and apply the style rules.
 - #content, footer, h3 { font-weight:normal; text-transform:lowercase; }



1.Color

- CSS color values are used to set a color either for the foreground of an element (i.e., its text) or for the background of the element. They can also be used to affect the color of borders and other decorative effects.
- CSS include total 16,777,216 (1 Crore 67 Lakhs) colours. However 17 colors are known by their by name. Transparent is also a valid value.

■ H4 { color: #6A7; }

Format	Syntax	Example		
Hex Code	#RRGGBB	p{color:#FF0000;}		
Short Hex Code	#RGB	p{color:#6A7;}		
RGB %	rgb(rrr%,ggg%,bbb%)	p{color:rgb(50%,50%,50%);}		
RGB Absolute	rgb(rrr,ggg,bbb)	p{color:rgb(0,0,255);}		
keyword	aqua, black, etc.	p{color:teal;}		



2.Text

Text Alignment

Text Align	Value	
Left	Align text to left	
Right	Align text to right	
Center	Align text to center	
Justify	Justified text	

- Text color
 - o p{ color:#000;}
- Letter-spacing
 - o p{ letter-spacing:5px;}
- Word-spacing
 - o p{ word-spacing:8px;}



- Text Indent
 - Text Indent changes the position of first word of first line in right direction. If given negative, it will move to left!
 - o p{ text-indent:1cm;}
- Text Decoration
 - Values: underline, overline, line-through, blink.
 - p{ text-decoration:underline;}
- Text Transform
 - Values: uppercase, lowercase, capitalize.
 - p{ text-transform:uppercase;}
- White Space
 - The white-space property is used to describe how whitespace inside the element is handled.
 - Values: normal, nowrap, pre, pre-line, pre-wrap, initial, inherit;
 - o p{ white-space:pre;}

- Text Shadow
 - To set the shadow around a text.
 - p{ text-shadow: x-offset y-offset blur-radius color;}
 - p{ text-shadow: 4px 4px 8px red;}



3. Fonts

- Font-family
 - Font-family property is used to change the face of a font.
 - p { font-family:georgia,garamond,serif; }
- Font-size
 - Font-size property is used to set the size of the text.
 - p { font-size:14px; }

Property	Description	values normal italic oblique normal Small_Caps	
font-style	The font-style property is mostly used to specify italic text.		
font-variant	In a small-caps font, all lowercase letters are converted to uppercase letters.		
font-weight	The font-weight property sets how thick or thin characters in text should be displayed.	normal bold bolder lighter 100 200	



- In CSS, Font size is given using property "font-size". We can give value of font-size using 4 different units.
 - Pixels (px)
 - o Em (em)
 - Points (pt)
 - percentage (%)
- 16px = 1em = 100% = 12pt
- Font-stretch
 - This property relies on the user's computer to have an expanded or condensed version of the font being used.
 - Possible values could be normal, wider, narrower, ultra-condensed, extracondensed, condensed, semi-condensed, semi-expanded, expanded, extraexpanded, ultra-expanded.
 - P {font-stretch:ultra-expanded;}

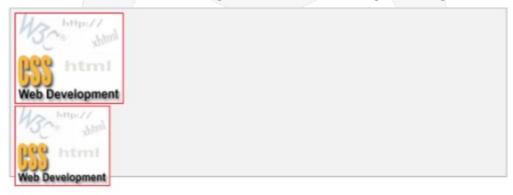
4. Image

- Border property is used to set the width of an image border.
 -
 -



• **Height** property is used to set the height of an image. This property can have a value in length or in %. While giving value in %, it applies it in respect of the box in which an image is available.

- Border property is used to set the height of an image.
 -
 -



- Width property is used to set the width of an image.
 -
 -



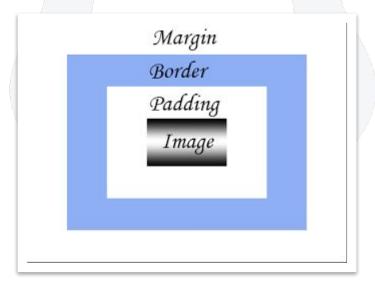
Width property is used to set the width of an image.





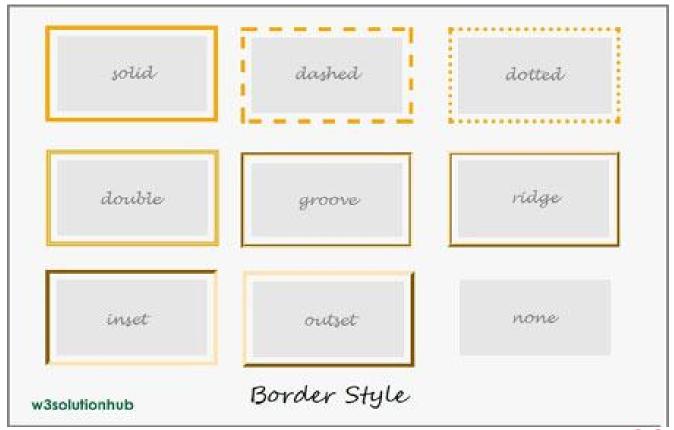
5.CSS Box Model

- Suppose we have a div shown above containing an image
- Padding is used to give space inside.
- Border is used to give particular border.
- Margin is used to give space outside





Borders





Margin

- The margin property defines the space around an HTML element. It is possible to use negative values to overlap content.
 - Selector { margin-top:10px;}
 - Selector { margin-top:10px; margin-left:14px;}
 - Selector{ margin: top right bottom left;}
 - #content { margin: 10px 13px 11px 14px; }
 - #content { margin: 5% 13% 6% 11%; }
 - #content { margin: (top bottom) (right left); }
 - #content { margin: 5% 13%; }
- The values of the margin property are not inherited by the child elements.



Padding

- The padding property allows you to specify how much space should appear between the content of an element and its border.
- The value of this attribute should be either a length, a percentage, or the word inherit. If the value is inherit, it will have the same padding as its parent element. If a percentage is used, the percentage is of the containing box.
 - Selector { padding-top:10px;}
 - Selector { padding-top:10px; padding-left:14px;}
 - Selector{ padding: top right bottom left;}
 - #content { padding: 10px 13px 11px 14px; }
 - #content { padding: 5% 13% 6% 11%; }
 - #content { padding: (top bottom) (right left); }
 - #content { padding: 5% 13%; }



5. Background properties

All CSS Background Properties

Property	Description		
<u>background</u>	Sets all the background properties in one declaration		
<u>background-</u> attachment	Sets whether a background image is fixed or scrolls with the rest of the page		
background-color	Sets the background color of an element		
background-image	Sets the background image for an element		
background- position	Sets the starting position of a background image		
background-repeat	Sets how a background image will be repeated		



- p { background-color:yellow; }
- p { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif);}
- p { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif); background-repeat: repeat;}
- p { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif); background-repeat: repeat-y;}
- table { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif);background-position:100px;}
- table { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif);background-position:100px200px;}
- #content { background-image:url(/images/pattern1.gif);
 background-attachment:fixed/scroll; }
- #content { background:url(/images/pattern1.gif) repeat fixed;}

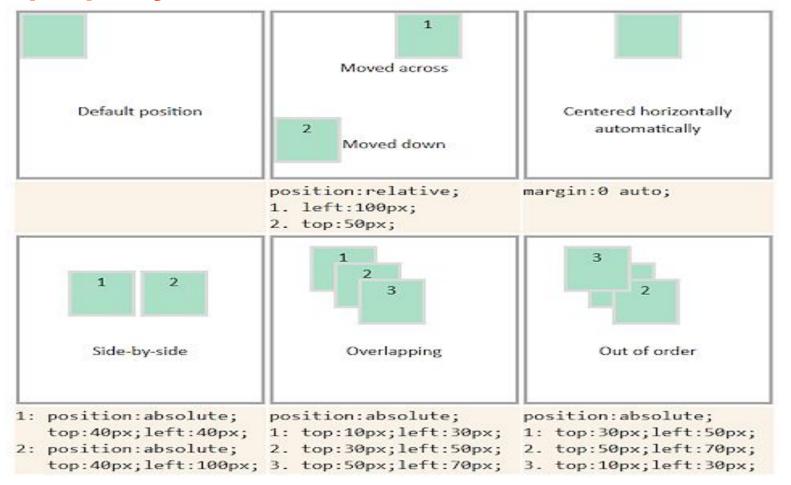


6. Positioning

- CSS helps you to position your HTML element. You can put any HTML element at whatever location you like. You can specify whether you want the element positioned relative to its natural position in the page or absolute based on its parent element.
 - Relative Positioning
 - Relative positioning changes the position of the HTML element relative to where it normally appears. So "left:20" adds 20 pixels to the element's LEFT position.
 - You can use two values top and left along with the position property to move an HTML element anywhere in an HTML document.



- Move Left Use a negative value for left.
- Move Right Use a positive value for left.
- Move Up Use a negative value for top.
- Move Down Use a positive value for top.
 - about img {position:relative; left:80px; top:20px; background-color:yellow;}
- Absolute Positioning
 - An element with position: absolute is positioned at the specified coordinates relative to your screen top-left corner.
 - about img {position:absolute; left:80px; top:20px; background-color:yellow;}
- Fixed Positioning
 - Fixed positioning allows you to fix the position of an element to a particular spot on the page, regardless of scrolling. Specified coordinates will be relative to the browser window.
 - about img {position:absolute; left:80px; top:20px; background-color:yellow;}





6.Links

- CSS properties of hyperlinks
 - a:link { color: #000000; opacity: .8; }
 - a:visited { color: #006600;}
 - a:hover {color: #FFCC00; opacity: 1; }
 - a:active {color: #FF00CC}

7.pseudo-classes

- CSS pseudo-classes are used to add special effects to some selectors.
- No need to use JavaScript or any other script to use those effects.
- selector:pseudo-class (property: value)
- selector:pseudo-class (property: value)



- a:hover MUST come after a:link and a:visited in the CSS definition in order to be effective.
- a:active MUST come after a:hover in the CSS definition in order to be effective.
- Pseudo-class names are not case-sensitive.

CSS3 selectors

- Adjacent selectors
 - ul + p { color: red; }
 - It will select only the element that is immediately preceded by the former element.
 In this case, only the first paragraph after each ul will have red text.



- Sibling selectors
 - ul ~ p { color: red; }
 - o sibling combinator is similar to X + Y, however, it's less strict. While an adjacent selector (ul + p) will only select the first element that is immediately preceded by the former selector, this one is more generalized. It will select, referring to our example above, any p elements, as long as they follow a ul.
- negation pseudo class selectors
 - o div:not(#container) { color: blue; }
 - The negation pseudo class is particularly helpful. Let's say I want to select all divs, except for the one which has an id of container. The snippet above will handle that task perfectly.
- http://code.tutsplus.com/tutorials/the-30-css-selectors-you-must-memorize--net-16048



- Float Property
- The float CSS property specifies that an element should be taken from the normal flow and placed along the left or right side of its container, where text and inline elements will wrap around it.
 - img { float: left; margin: 0 0 10px 10px;}
- Clear Property
 - The clear property is used to control the behavior of floating elements.
 - Elements after a floating element will flow around it. To avoid this, use the clear property.
 - The clear property specifies on which sides of an element floating elements are not allowed to float
 - http://www.w3schools.com/css/tryit.asp?filename=trycss_layout_clear



CSS Specifity

CSS Selector Specificity - Cheat Sheet

	*	id	classes	elements	result*
	a	b	С	d	
li	0	0	0	1	1
.lorem	0	0	10	0	10
#ipsum	0	100	0	0	100
style = " "	1000	0	0	0	1000
ul li	0	0	0	2	2
ul ol + li	0	0	0	3	3
ul ol li.red	0	0	10	3	13
li:first-line	0	0	0	2	2
#ipsum li	0	100	0	1	101
a:link	0	0	10	1	11



Useful Links

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