Flexbox + CSS Grid = Awesome

Taking CSS Layouts to the Next Level

Normal Flow

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 ul>
  Exercise
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  Build something useful
 Have a great day!
</div>
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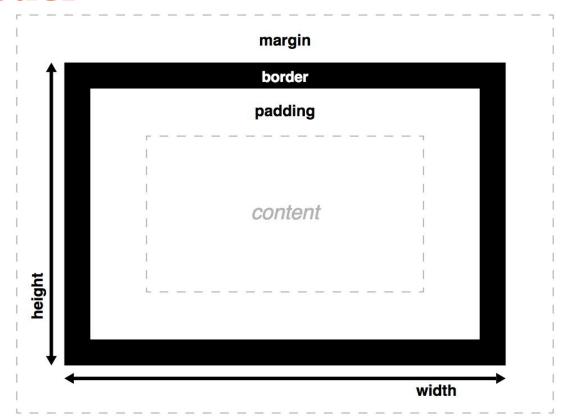
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Goals for the Day

- Exercise
- Help someone else
- Build something useful

Have a great day!

Box Model



CSS Properties

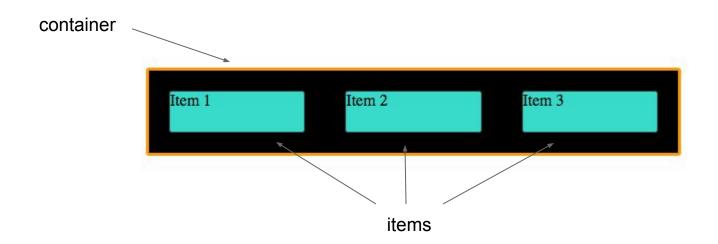
Floats -- used to shift a box to the **left** or **right**, allowing content to wrap around it

Positioning -- the placement of an element either **relative**, **absolute**, **fixed**, or **sticky**

Display -- changes how elements are displayed in normal flow and switches on layout methods such as **flex** and **grid**

Flexbox

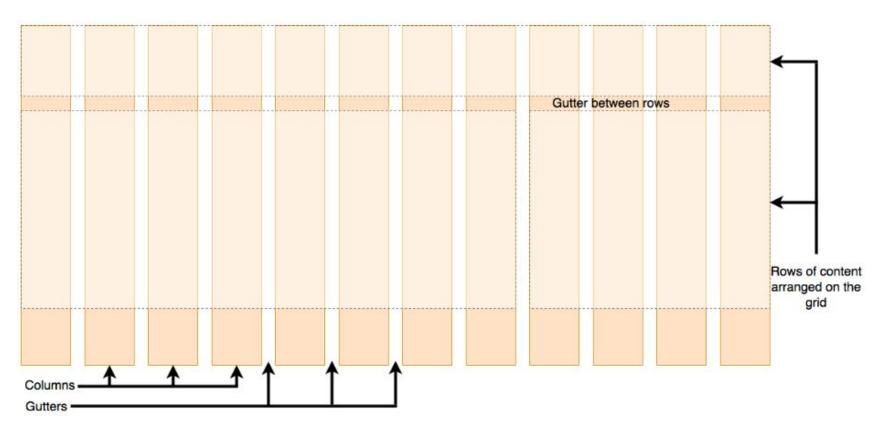
A one-dimensional layout method for laying out items in rows or columns. Items flex to fill space and shrink to fit into smaller spaces.



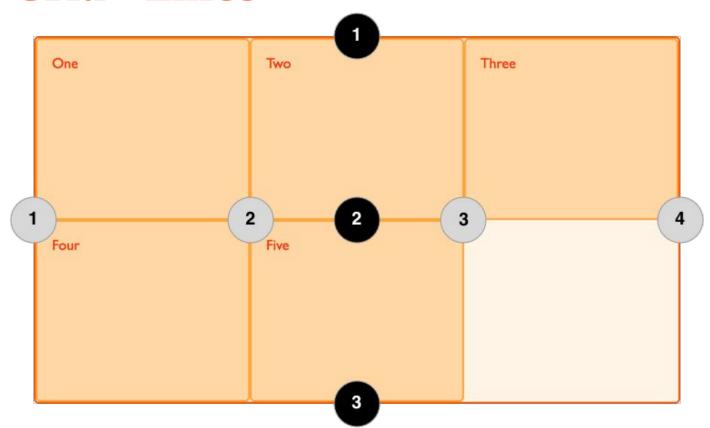
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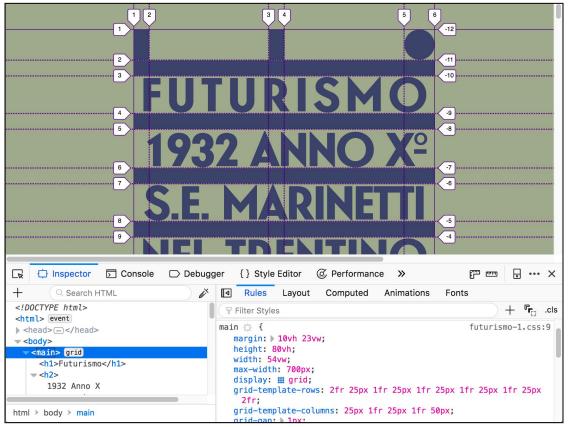
CSS Grid



CSS Grid - Lines



Firefox Grid Inspector



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Internet Explorer 11

- Use '-ms-' prefix on unsupported values
- Tools like Autoprefixer can help
 - https://autoprefixer.github.io/

Resources

Jen Simmons -- https://labs.jensimmons.com/

Rachel Andrews -- https://gridbyexample.com/

Flexbox Froggy -- https://flexboxfroggy.com/

CSS Grid Garden -- https://cssgridgarden.com/

MDN WebDocs -- https://mzl.la/2iYAeK3

Demos from This Talk -- https://github.com/stmcallister/flexbox-grid-demos

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