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Week 7

CSS Tricks to Win at Life 🦄

How can we...

Make our designs **more interesting?**

Give them more **personality?**

Make them **stand out?**

New in our toolbox ☐

Shadows

Border tricks

Rounded corners

Gradients

If time: filters and variables

Shadows!

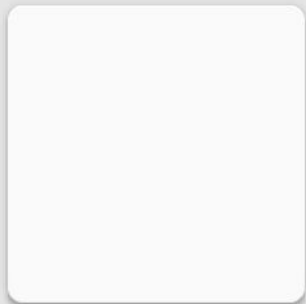
The Web is a flat surface :(

**With shadows, we can create an illusion of
depth to our designs.**

Depth = Hierarchy!

Shadows and depth

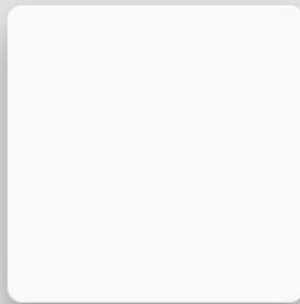
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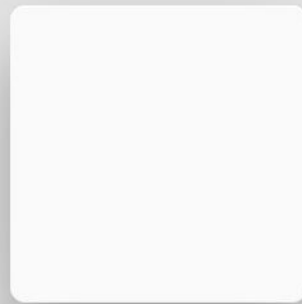
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box-shadow: 0 15px 35px hsla(0,0%,0%,.2);

Shadows create depth [source: Refactoring UI]

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Shadows in CSS

`box-shadow: 3px 5px 12px 4px black;`

Shadows in CSS

`box-shadow: x offset y offset blur spread color;`

`box-shadow: Vertical offset
Horiz. Offset
How blurry is it?
How big is it?
Color;`

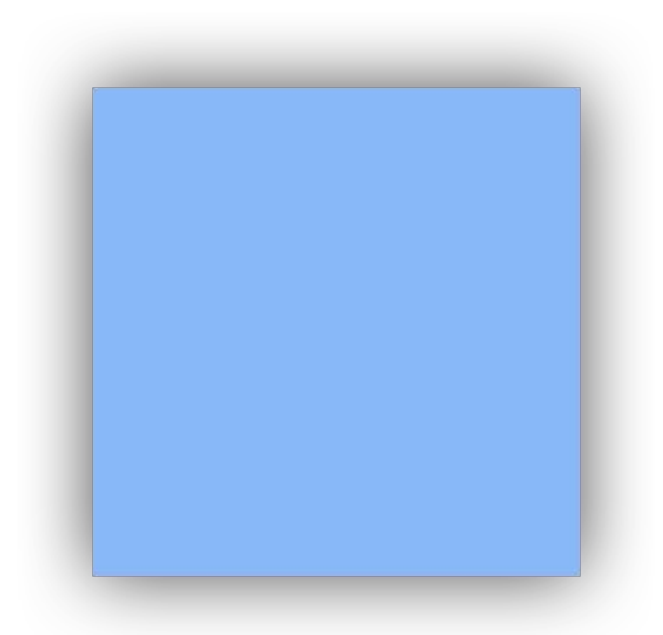
CSS box-shadow

```
.my-box {  
  background-color: #7BBAFF;  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* Blurry shadow offset bottom right */  
  box-shadow: 6px 10px 8px 0 grey;  
}
```



CSS box-shadow

```
.my-box {  
  background-color: #7BBAFF;  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* Blurry shadow centered */  
  box-shadow: 0 0 25px 0  
              rgba(0, 0, 0, 0.7);  
}
```



~ Shadow Demo ~

Border tricks

Borders don't always have to be on all sides.

**We can use borders to and
accents and a pop of color.**

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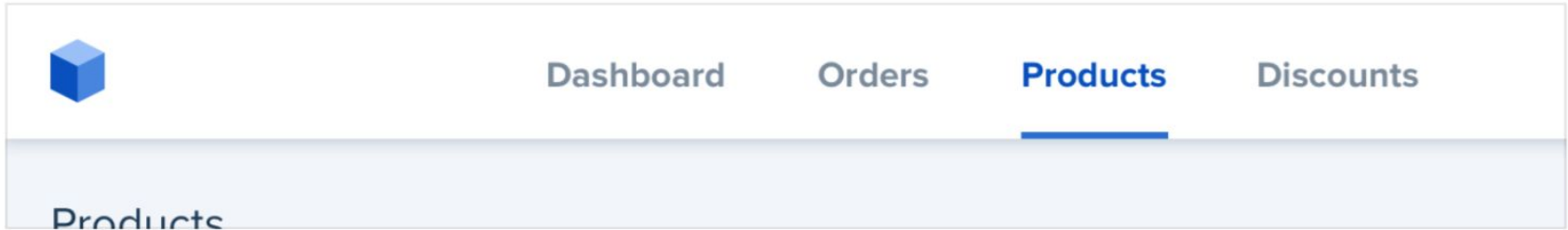
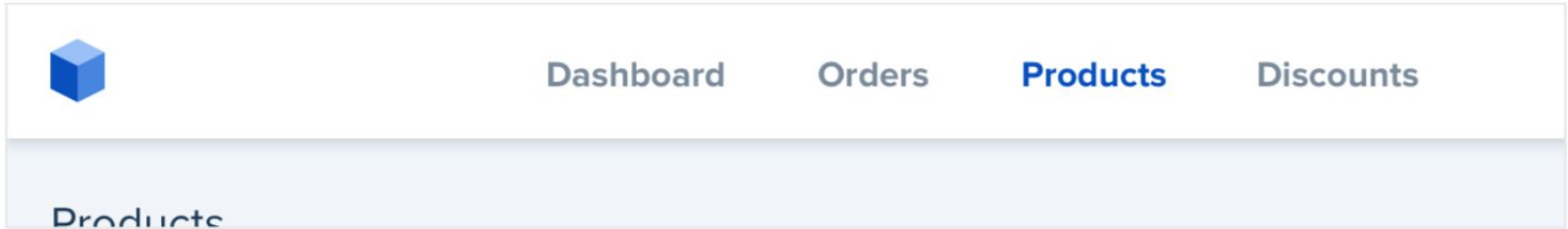
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Accent borders

```
border-bottom: 3px solid red;
```

```
border-bottom: thickness style color;
```

~ Let's add some borders 🎨 ~

Rounded corners

Rounded corners feel **friendly, animated, fun.**
Sharp corners feel **classy, formal, professional.**

Most corners are 2px - 8px curved.

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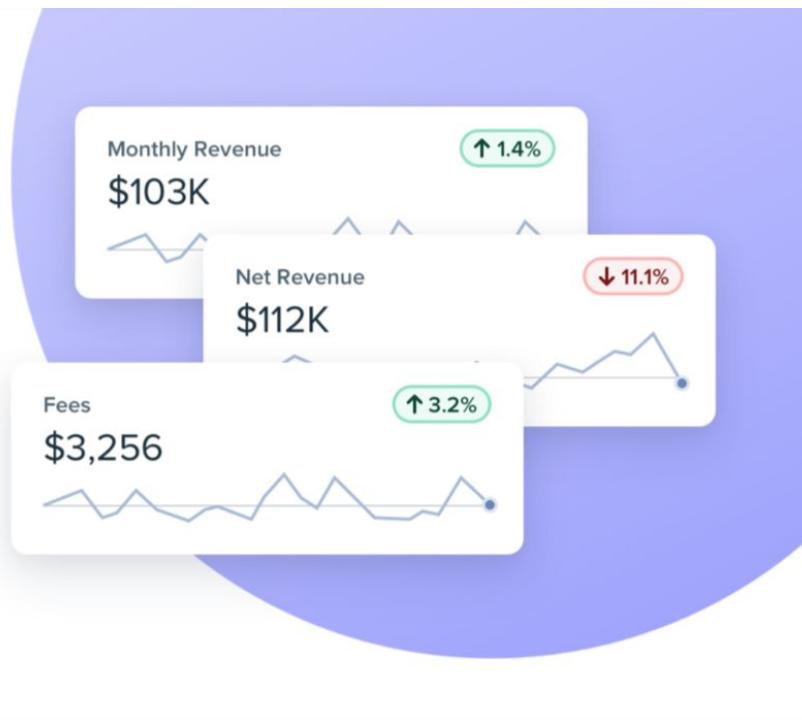
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Curved corners

```
// uniform in all 4 corners  
border-radius: 4px;
```

```
// different curves in 4 corners  
border-top-right-radius: 4px;  
...etc.
```

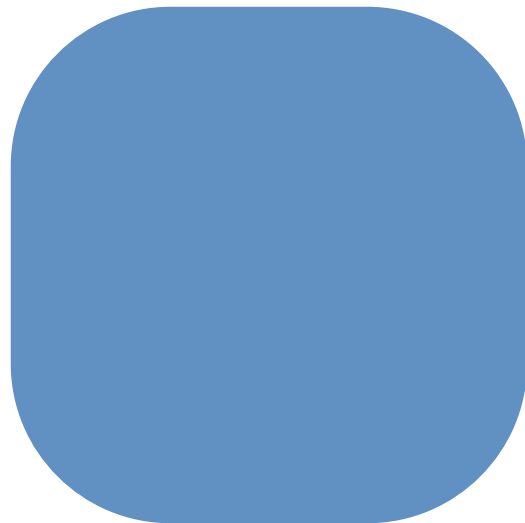
CSS border-radius

```
.my-box {  
  background-color: #7BBAFF;  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* border radius */  
  border-radius: 6px;  
}
```



CSS border-radius

```
.my-box {  
  background-color: #7BB AFF;  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* border radius */  
  border-radius: 30%;  
}
```



~ Let's curve some corners ^^ ~

Gradients!

Gradient

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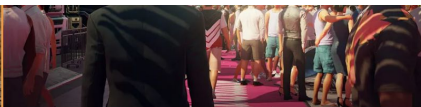
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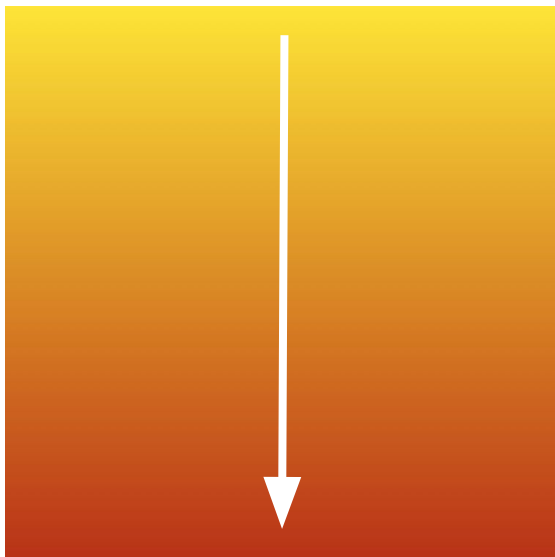


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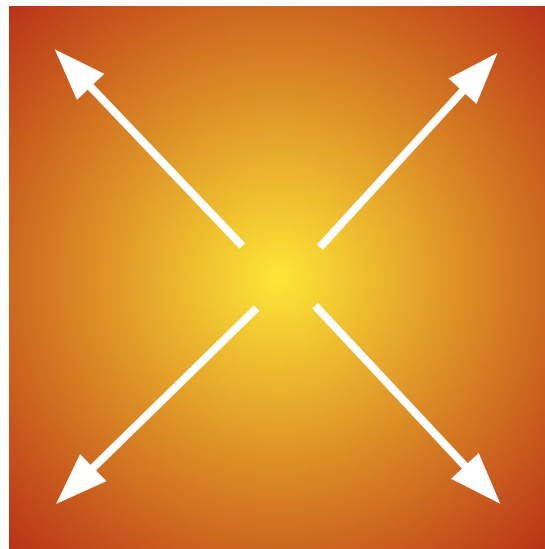


Types of gradients

Linear gradient

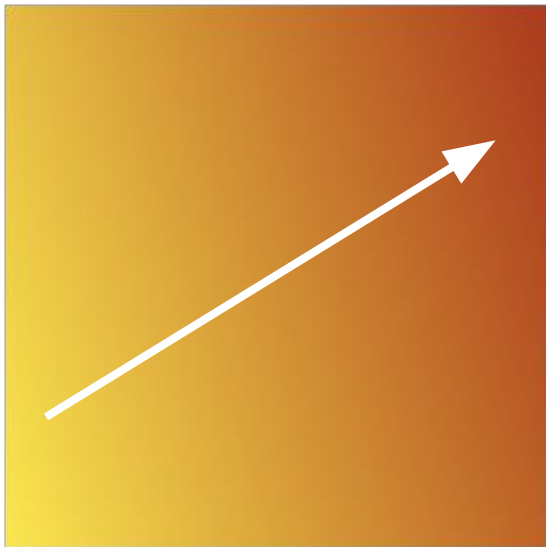


Radial gradient

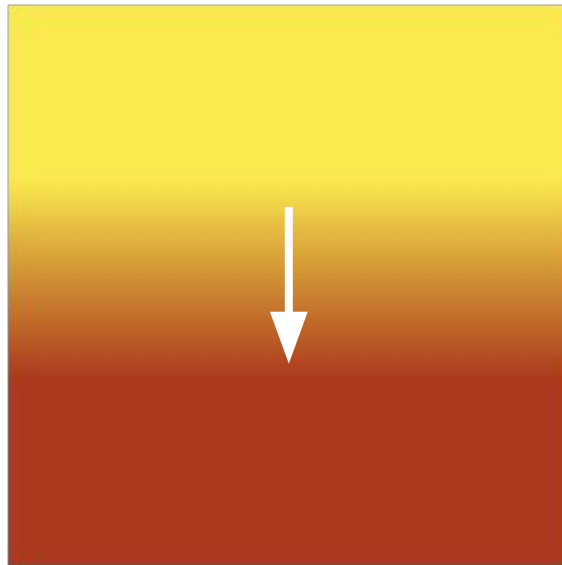


Linear gradients

Linear gradient



Linear gradient with stops



CSS Linear Gradient

```
background: linear-gradient(direction,  
                           color stop, color stop, ...);
```

CSS Linear Gradient

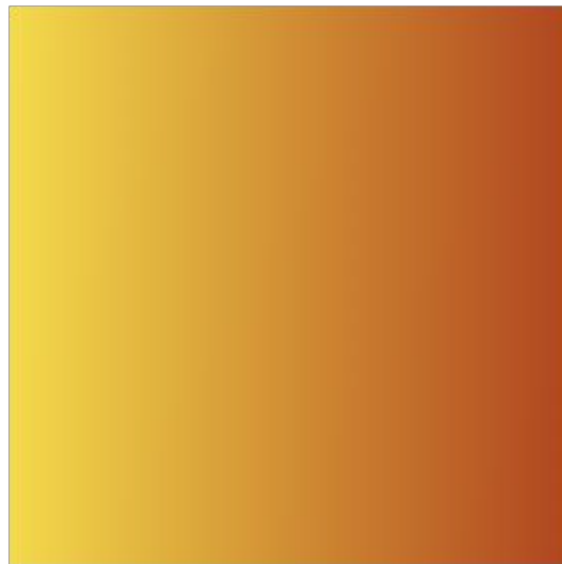
```
background: linear-gradient(direction,  
                             color stop, color stop, ...);
```

```
background: linear-gradient(to right, red,  
                             blue);
```

```
background: linear-gradient(60deg,  
                             #eee 20%, #bbb 60%, #456 100%);
```

linear-gradient

```
#fancy-box {  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* Simple gradient */  
  background: linear-gradient(to right,  
    yellow, red);  
}
```



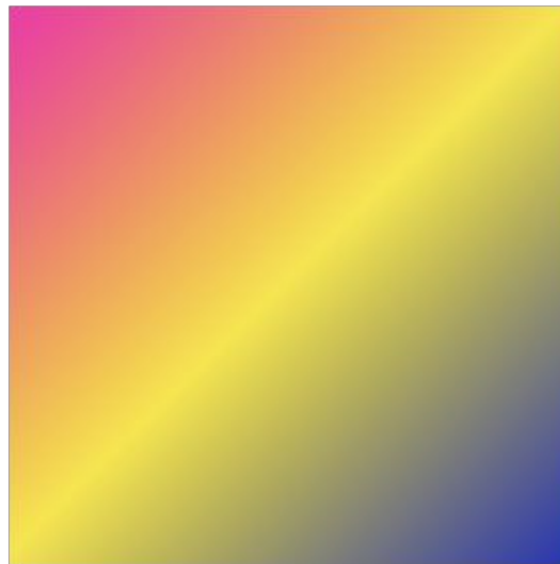
linear-gradient at an angle

```
#fancy-box {  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* Gradient with stops */  
  background: linear-gradient(-45deg,  
    pink 50%, blue 100%);  
}
```



linear-gradient with 3 colors

```
#fancy-box {  
  height: 100px;  
  width: 100px;  
  
  /* Multi-color gradient */  
  background: linear-gradient(-45deg,  
    pink 0%, yellow 50%, blue 100%);  
}
```



~ Very fancy gradient demo 🐱 ~

CSS Filters & CSS Variables

(a brief look)

github.com/webdesigndecal <- the
lyrics page link from today!



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