

CSS NOTES

BASICS

Why use styles? What are the advantages?

What are the types of style sheets? (Where are styles stored?)

1. Inline
2. _____
3. _____

Which type is most efficient for a multi-page site?

What is meant by

- Cascading
- Inheritance
- Specificity

Basic syntax – label the rule:

h1 {font: 1.4em Arial; color:#ff0;}

- Selector
- Declaration
- Property
- Value

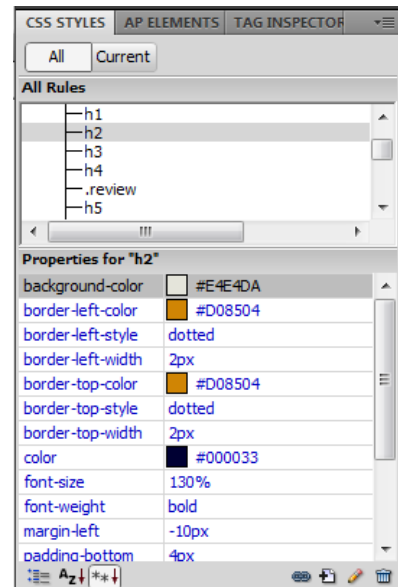
CSS PANEL - USED TO VIEW, ADD, & EDIT RULES

How would you use CSS panel to

- create a new rule
- edit an existing rule
- determine whether style sheet is embedded or external
- move embedded styles to an external style sheet
- link to an external style sheet

PRACTICE by creating a rule that changes the h2 tag. See if you can change the font, color, background & border.

View the HTML and CSS code. Where is the CSS code (embedded or external)?



5 SELECTORS

Selector	example	When used
	<pre>h1 { font-size: x-small; }</pre>	
	<pre>.footer { font-size: x-small; color: #666666; }</pre>	
	<pre>#sidebar { background-color: #CCCC99; border: thin dotted #006633; padding: 10px; }</pre>	
compound	<pre>#sidebar h1 { color: #003366; }</pre>	This would change the way h1 looks inside a sidebar div
pseudo	<pre>a:hover { color: #003366; text-decoration: none; }</pre>	Pseudo selectors change attributes on different states. This example shows what a link would look like in the hover state (when user rolls mouse over the link)

BOX MODEL

Experiment with

- Background
- Margin
- Padding
- Border

