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Thread: [\[CSS\] A Basic Tab Menu!](#)

Velocity - September 21, 2014, 2:13 am

Hey! Im Velocity. Im a learner in css at the moment, and wish to release what I go through :) - In hope that it helps other beginners!

Heres what you will be making:

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<https://i.imgur.com/SRipHtj.png>

(And when you hover over the menu it will light up/animate)

Step 1: Get your tags in!

Start with your basic tags....

Quote:<html>

<style>

</style>

<body>

</body>

</html>

<http://prntscr.com/4oupnn>

Step 2: Getting your CSS on!

Start with the background and padding!:

Quote:html, body

{

background-color:#696969;

padding:0px;

margin:0px;

}

<http://prntscr.com/4oupvb>

Then move onto getting the hover(Mouse over box, lights up)

Quote:.box:hover

{

background-color:white;

color:grey;

}

<http://prntscr.com/4ouq8w>

Now we start with the first box!(The first tab)

Quote:.box

{

padding:5px;

text-decoration:none;

background-color:grey;

height:52px;

width:50px;

```
}
```

(<http://prntscr.com/4ouqdv>)

Now we move onto the href settings..

Quote:a

```
{
color:white;
text-decoration:none;
padding:10px;
line-height:55px;
float:right;
}
```

(<http://prntscr.com/4ouqmg>)

Then we get on the main header(The dark grey)

Quote:#header

```
{
width:100%;
background-color:#696969;
height:65px;
}
```

(<http://prntscr.com/4ouqv1>)

Then we finish with....

Quote:.bigbox

```
{
background-color:#595959;
width:59px;
height:100%;
}
```

Now thats the end of CSS!

Moving onto the simple html stuff :)

Inside your <body> tags be sure to add the following..

Quote:<div class="bigbox">

```
<div id="header">
<div class="box">
<a href="home.html">Home</a></div>
<br>
<div class="box">
<a href="shop.html">Shop</a>
</div>
</div>
```

^^ Edit the above to your div class name...(leave if just copied/pasted mine)

If you wish to view the whole code, you can view it here:

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Quote:<html>

```
<style>
html, body
{
background-color:#696969;
padding:0px;
margin:0px;
}
.box:hover
{
background-color:white;
color:grey;
}
.box
{
padding:5px;
text-decoration:none;
background-color:grey;
height:52px;
width:50px;
}
a
{
color:white;
text-decoration:none;
padding:10px;
line-height:55px;
float:right;
}
#header
{
width:100%;
background-color:#696969;
height:65px;
}
.bigbox
{
background-color:#595959;
width:59px;
height:100%;
}
</style>
<body>
<div class="bigbox">

<div id="header">
<div class="box">
<a href="home.html">Home</a></div>
<br>
<div class="box">
<a href="shop.html">Shop</a>
</div>
</div>
```

</body>

</html>

Hope, I have helped.. If you want some clearing up on anything feel free to contact me! If I have got this in the wrong thread, please move it :) or let me know.