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Thread: [Looking for feedback on new Thread Design](#)

Nevieth - February 28, 2017, 2:57 pm

I'm making this thread design for the sole purpose of giving away in the Graphic Resources section, so before then I figured I'd get HF's opinions on it. I haven't made a thread design in a few months so I'm quite rusty.

Just let me know what you think. Colors can be altered with a click of a button pretty much and font can be altered quite easily too. Feel free to link me some dafonts you prefer, I'd love to add them to my collection. Ignore the actual prices and features, they're placeholders that I made up on the spot.

I'm tempted to make the checkmarks smaller and place them in a thin box with white outlines and black inners. Let me know what you think on it.

Thread Design v1.0 w/ Corner Piece [\(Click to View\)](#)

Thread Design v1.0 w/out Corner Piece [\(Click to View\)](#)

The-Hive - February 28, 2017, 3:16 pm

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Nevieth - February 28, 2017, 3:23 pm

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I'm using Photoshop CC 2017.

HFethann - February 28, 2017, 3:29 pm

Their pretty dope them buddy, great work!

The-Hive - February 28, 2017, 3:39 pm

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Troep - February 28, 2017, 3:42 pm

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The-Hive - February 28, 2017, 3:46 pm

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Nevieth - February 28, 2017, 4:00 pm

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Ahh right the Payments part is the one part I didn't align perfectly, because of the corner piece that I have toggleable.

Let me know what fonts you recommend. :)
Oh and I tend to take advantage of online resources instead of making new content unless of course I'm being paid for my work. This thread design is going to be a free publicly available resource in a bit, so I felt no reason to hand design anything like icons.

It certainly hurts when designing something like this when I have no actual theme. Again this is a generic design I made with the intention of handing it away to the public, so I certainly can't theme it towards one particular niche if I want a larger user base to find it helpful. Plus I had no real product to sell, and the blank parts will be for the user to fill out for themselves.

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Fair enough. On HF and for digital media content Bebas is probably the best around.

Troep - February 28, 2017, 4:03 pm

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Do know more clean fonts?

LeonBackward - February 28, 2017, 9:04 pm

I like it, more so without the corner piece but I think it looks clean either way.

Twin Future - February 28, 2017, 11:24 pm

The Header looks lovely in my opinion. Nice

Nevieth - March 1, 2017, 12:04 am

(Mar 1, 2017 12:24 AM)Twin Future Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The Header looks lovely in my opinion. Nice
Thanks, it's two different images and a black transparent overlay. The hot air balloon is from a picture where its floating over water, so I faded it a bit and now it looks like the city itself is overlaying the ocean.

It gives off a peaceful feel to it.

Charger - March 1, 2017, 7:45 pm

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Nevieth - March 1, 2017, 7:52 pm

(Mar 1, 2017 08:45 PM)Charger Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The check marks are huge. I'd reduce the size significantly. Other than that it looks pretty nice.

Ah yes, I figured that was the case. I'll definitely make the needed adjustments on my next thread design.

As said in OP this design was made to give away, and thus the download thread is up.
<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5564124>

Just in case ANYONE wants to use it.

Makan - March 2, 2017, 3:35 am

I feel like it's too many different fonts, try to just stay to one clean font.

MateTemp - March 2, 2017, 8:27 am

It's good for a free design, however, a few things can be improved:

Make the check marks way smaller, the first thing for a buyer should be to see the features and not be distracted by the check marks. Make the check marks green colored because it's an eye pleasingly positive color and it helps the buyer to trust the seller as well.

Change the contact part bg to greyish same as the product boxes and make the text smaller and different font. Also try to use smaller icons for social media stuff!

Otherwise good job! :)

Futurefreak - May 7, 2017, 11:53 am

Looks nice and clean to me ! 7/10

TwoMyths - May 7, 2017, 11:53 am

The thread designs are pretty good. Nice designs and it gets all the information sent to you clearly.

Good job.