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Thread: [Can't get Container to 100% Width](#)

Effexion - July 13, 2019, 6:47 am

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  <style>
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    }

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      background-image: url("images/micro_carbon.png");
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      margin-top: 50px;
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      float: right;
      border-style: solid;
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    }

    #div-notes {
      background-image: url("images/micro_carbon.png");
      width: 100%;
      height: 250px;
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</head>
<body style="background-image='images/dark-honeycomb.png'">

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</div>
</body>

</html>
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Faith Connors - July 13, 2019, 2:37 pm

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You have a container class on that DIV which puts a max-width rule of 1140px on it. Is that intentional? What you're seeing may be that max-width coming into play. If you remove that class, does the DIV go full-width?

Also, you have a bad rule in your inline style on the BODY element. "background-image='...url...'" is

not valid CSS syntax.

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Please don't use the !important tag just like that. It's unnecessary in this instance. By specificity rules alone, if you apply a max-width property with a value of zero on the ID selector, it'll override the class selector's rule. Generally speaking there's never a real need to use !important, unless you've been writing bad CSS. Or you're having to correct bad CSS that already exists in your code base.