

Dimensions and Measuring Units in CSS

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Prerequisite



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- ▶ If not, please go through the HTML and CSS tutorials on <https://spoken-tutorial.org>



Code Files

- ▶ **The files used in this tutorial are available in the [Code Files](#) link on this tutorial page**



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Measuring Units

- ▶ In CSS we use some of the common measuring units to define the style properties



Measuring Units

There are two types of measuring units



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- ▶ **Relative Units**



Measuring Units

There are two types of measuring units

- ▶ **Relative Units**
- ▶ **Absolute Units**



Relative Units



Relative Units

- ▶ They are relative to other measuring units



Relative Units

- ▶ They are relative to other measuring units
- ▶ It consists of units like:



Relative Units

- ▶ They are relative to other measuring units
- ▶ It consists of units like:
 - ▶ Percentage (%)



Relative Units

- ▶ They are relative to other measuring units
- ▶ It consists of units like:
 - ▶ Percentage (%)
 - ▶ **em**



Relative Units

- ▶ They are relative to other measuring units
- ▶ It consists of units like:
 - ▶ Percentage (%)
 - ▶ em
 - ▶ ex



Absolute Units



Absolute Units

- ▶ They are fixed and not relative to other units



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:

► **Point (pt)**



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:

- ▶ **Point** (pt)
- ▶ **Pixel** (px)



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:

- ▶ **Point** (pt)
- ▶ **Pixel** (px)
- ▶ **Millimetre** (mm)



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:

- ▶ Point (pt)
- ▶ Pixel (px)
- ▶ Millimetre (mm)
- ▶ Centimetre (cm)



Absolute Units

It consists of units like:

- ▶ **Point** (pt)
- ▶ **Pixel** (px)
- ▶ **Millimetre** (mm)
- ▶ **Centimetre** (cm)
- ▶ **Inch** (in)



Heading Tag sizes



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Heading Tags	Pixels	Points
H1	32	24
H2	24	18
H3	18.7	13.5
H4	16	12
H5	13.3	10
H6	12	9



Summary

In this tutorial, we have learnt:

- ▶ **Measuring units**
- ▶ **Width & Height in CSS**



Assignment

- ▶ **Open the file `webpage.html` which you created earlier**
- ▶ **Create a `div` tag**
- ▶ **Inside the `div` tag, add some content using the `paragraph` tag**



Assignment

- ▶ **Open the file `styles.css` which you have created earlier**
- ▶ **Set the width of the `div` tag to 5cm**
- ▶ **Set the height of the `div` tag to 5cm**



Assignment

- ▶ **Set the background color of the div tag to pink**
- ▶ **Link the styles.css file to webpage.html file**
- ▶ **Observe the output**



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- ▶ Watch the video available at https://spoken-tutorial.org/What_is_a_Spoken_Tutorial
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- ▶ **Explain your question briefly**
- ▶ **The Spoken Tutorial project will ensure an answer**

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