# CS 328 - Week 8 Lab Exercise - 2025-03-13/14

### Deadline

Due by the end of lab.

### Purpose

To practice with more CSS properties, including some related to the CSS Box Model.

### How to submit

Submit your files for this lab using ~st10/328submit on nrs-projects, each time entering a lab number of **88**.

## Requirements

- You are required to work in **pairs** for this lab exercise.
  - This means two people working at ONE computer, one typing ("driving"), one saying what to type ("navigating"),

while **BOTH** are looking at the **shared** computer screen and **discussing** concepts/issues along the way.

- Make sure **BOTH** of your names appear in each file submitted.
- When you are done, before you leave lab, **BOTH** of you should submit appropriate versions of these files using **~st10/328submit** on nrs-projects, with a lab number of **88**.
- You are expected to follow the style standards from the posted "CS 328 CSS Coding Standards so far" (at <u>https://nrs-projects.humboldt.edu/~st10/s25cs328/328-css-coding-standards.pdf</u>).
- Note that, with just a few exceptions, there are examples of all of the CSS properties needed for today's lab exercise in the posted example **3281ect08-2.css**.
  - For those exceptions, the CSS property you should use is specifically noted in the lab exercise.

## (Problem 1 starts on the next page)

### **Problem 1 - formatting a document including a table**



- Consider the above screen shot. This is a display, in the Chrome browser on Mac OS X, of 3281ab08-1.html styled using CSS.
- Copy over the following "starter" HTML file into your desired public\_html subdirectory, that you will then add to as part of today's lab exercise:

#### cp ~st10/328lab08-1-start.html 328lab08-1.html

• Fill in the opening comment block as specified, putting in your **names**, the last modified **date**, and the **URL** that can be used to run your document.

- (You will lose some credit if this URL does not work when I or the grader paste it into a browser!)

• Within the head element, after the link element specifying that this document is being styled by normalize.css, add a second link element following course style standards specifying that this document will then be further styled using a file 3281ab08-1.css that you are about to create for this lab exercise.

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- Do not include any inline or internal CSS rules in your 3281ab08-1.html.
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• Do not make any other changes to your **3281ab08-1.html**.

• Read over this and notice what HTML elements are included in its **body** element.

Now create this external CSS file **3281ab08-1.css** in the same directory as your **3281ab08-1.html**, trying to style **3281ab08-1.html** to match the above shown layout as **closely** as possible, noting the following:

- Start this with an opening comment block containing your names and the last modified date.
- The **body** element above is styled using:
  - a font-family whose first choice is Arial and whose second choice is sans-serif
  - left and right margins of **lem**
  - a background color of #215E2D
  - a color of **#FFFFF**
- **h1** elements are styled using:
  - a color of **#FFF1E2**
  - centered text alignment
- **table** elements are styled using:
  - a background color of #5D734F
  - a width of 60%
  - left and right margins of **auto**
- table, th, and td elements are all styled using:
  - a border that is **0.1em**, solid, and black
  - a border-collapse of collapse
- th elements are further styled using:
  - top and bottom padding of **0.3em**
  - a color of **#FFF1E2**
- td elements are further styled using:
  - top and bottom padding of **0.2em**
  - left and right padding of **0.5em**
- **a** elements are styled using:
  - a color of **#FFF1E2**
- caption elements are styled using:
  - a font-size of 1.5em
  - a font-weight of bold
  - a bottom margin of 0.5em

- hr elements are styled using:
  - a top margin of **1em**
  - a border that is **0.05em**, solid, and color **#FFF1E2**
- the **footer** element is styled using:
  - a font-size of 0.5em
- 3281ab08-1-start.html validates as strict-style HTML. Make sure it still does in your 3281ab08-1.html, and that your resulting 3281ab08-1.css validates as valid CSS.

### (Problem 2 starts on the next page)

### Problem 2 - formatting a document including a simple form

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- Consider the above screen shot. This is a display, in the Chrome browser on Mac OS X, of 3281ab08-2.html styled using CSS.
- Copy over the following "starter" HTML file into your desired public\_html subdirectory, that you will then add to as part of today's lab exercise:

#### cp ~st10/3281ab08-2-start.html 3281ab08-2.html

• Fill in the opening comment block as specified, putting in your **names**, the last modified **date**, and the **URL** that can be used to run your document.

- (You will lose some credit if this URL does not work when I or the grader paste it into a browser!)

• Within the head element, after the link element specifying that this document is being styled by normalize.css, add a second link element following course style standards specifying that this document will then be further styled using a file 3281ab08-2.css that you are about to create for this lab exercise.

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- Do not include any inline or internal CSS rules in your 3281ab08-2.html.
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• Do not make any other changes to your 3281ab08-2.html.

• Read over this and notice what HTML elements are included in its **body** element.

Now create this external CSS file **3281ab08-2.css** in the same directory as your **3281ab08-2.html**, trying to style **3281ab08-2.html** to match the above shown layout as **closely** as possible, noting the following:

- Start this with an opening comment block containing your names and the last modified date.
- The **body** element above is styled using:
  - a font-family whose first choice is Verdana and whose second choice is sans-serif
  - left and right margins of **1em**
- **h1** elements are styled using:
  - centered text alignment
- form elements are styled using:
  - a background color of **#DCE4EF**
  - a width of 20em
  - left and right margins of **auto**
  - a border that is **0.1em**, solid, and black
- **label** elements are styled using:
  - a left margin of 1em
  - right padding of 0.5em
- elements with **class="submit\_cont"** are styled using:
  - a width of 4em
  - left and right margins of **auto**
  - a bottom margin of **0.5em**
- submit buttons are styled using:
  - a background color of **#8BA6CA**
  - a width of 4em
  - padding of 0.2em
- the **footer** element is styled using:
  - a font-size of 0.5em
- 3281ab08-2-start.html validates as strict-style HTML. Make sure it still does in your 3281ab08-2.html, and that your resulting 3281ab08-2.css validates as valid CSS.

## Validate your files:

Make sure .xhtml copies of your 3281ab08-1.html and 3281ab08-2.html validate as strict-style HTML,

and that your **3281ab08-1.css** and **3281ab08-2.css** validate as **valid** CSS at <u>https://jigsaw.w3.org/css-validator/</u>.

## **BEFORE you leave lab:**

Make sure that you **both** have copies of the files:

- 3281ab08-1.html, 3281ab08-1.xhtml, and 3281ab08-1.css
- 3281ab08-2.html, 3281ab08-2.xhtml, and 3281ab08-2.css

...and you BOTH submit these using ~st10/328submit on nrs-projects, with a lab number of 88.

### How the navigator can get today's files:

(for a driver with username dr12, and a navigator with username na89 - replace these with your *actual* usernames when you actually do this)

- Because these are files the nrs-projects web server has to be able to reach, the navigator should be able to get a copy of them from the driver using an approach like this:
  - Assume the driver has, in their public\_html directory, a sub-directory 3281ab08 containing today's .html and .css files. (Adapt the following accordingly based on your driver's actual directory location for today's files.)
  - The NAVIGATOR *na89* can now:
    - log in to THEIR (na89's) nrs-projects account, and run these commands:

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cd public_html
mkdir 328lab08  # or other name they choose
chmod 711 328lab08
cd 328lab08
cp ~dr12/public_html/328lab08/328lab08-1.html . # note space & period!
cp ~dr12/public_html/328lab08/328lab08-2.html . # note space & period!
cp ~dr12/public_html/328lab08/328lab08-2.html . # note space & period!
cp ~dr12/public_html/328lab08/328lab08-2.css . # note space & period!
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- Now the navigator *na89* should have their own copies of these .html and .css files.
- Either repeat for the . **xhtml** files,

or (if desired) change the URL within the navigator's .html files to refer to the *navigator's* copy, and then make the .**xhtml** copy (and double-check that it still validates):

cp 3281ab08-1.html 3281ab08-1.xhtml cp 3281ab08-2.html 3281ab08-2.xhtml