

*presented by* **Alex Polybinsky & Sergey Zdobnov**  
*february, 2017*

# CSS-recipes

*key strategic tips*





# Basic notions

main approaches of web-development

## Progressive enhancement

- **Basic User Interaction for OLDER browsers**
- **Content and functional representation for OLDER browsers**
- *JS*
- *CSS3*

## Graceful degradation

- **JS**
- **CSS3**
- **User Interaction for MODERN browsers**
- **Content and functional representation for MODERN browsers**
- *Support for OLDER browsers*

## Mobile First

- **UI focusing on the most important aspects**
- **Simplicity and clarity of interface**
- *JS*
- *Support for OLDER browsers*

## Desktop First

- **Applicable for big portals with hundreds of items**
- *Support for OLDER browsers*

## Adaptive Web

- **One version of site**
- **Ability to update design for another devices**
- *Optimal utilization of all devices*
- *Continuity interface*

## Responsive Web

- **One version of layout**
- **Necessity of initial requirements for whole interface design**
- **Optimal utilization of all devices**
- **Continuity interface**





# Alignment

vertical and horizontal positioning

# Vertical Alignment



**vertical-align** and display: **inline-block** → alignment on **baseline**

New innovative processes  
created over industry best  
practices.

Global solutions for the new  
interconnected world.

# Vertical Alignment



## baseline and x-height





# Vertical Alignment



**vertical-align** and display: **table-cell** → alignment on **container**

New innovative processes  
created over industry best  
practices.

Global solutions for the new  
interconnected world.

# Useful links

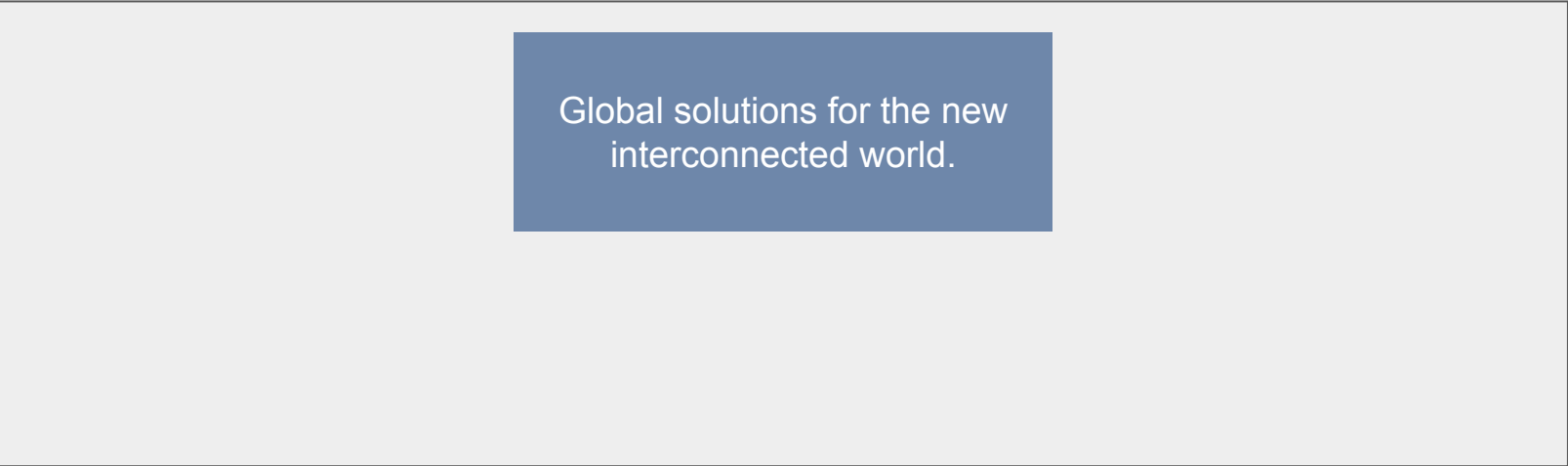


- ★ <https://developer.mozilla.org/en/docs/Web/CSS/vertical-align>
- ★ <http://css-tricks.com/what-is-vertical-align/>
- ★ <http://stackoverflow.com/questions/19366401/my-inline-block-elements-are-not-lining-up-properly>
- ★ <https://web-standards.ru/articles/vertical-align/>

# Horizontal Alignment



`text-align:center` for **inline** or **inline-block** → alignment on **container**



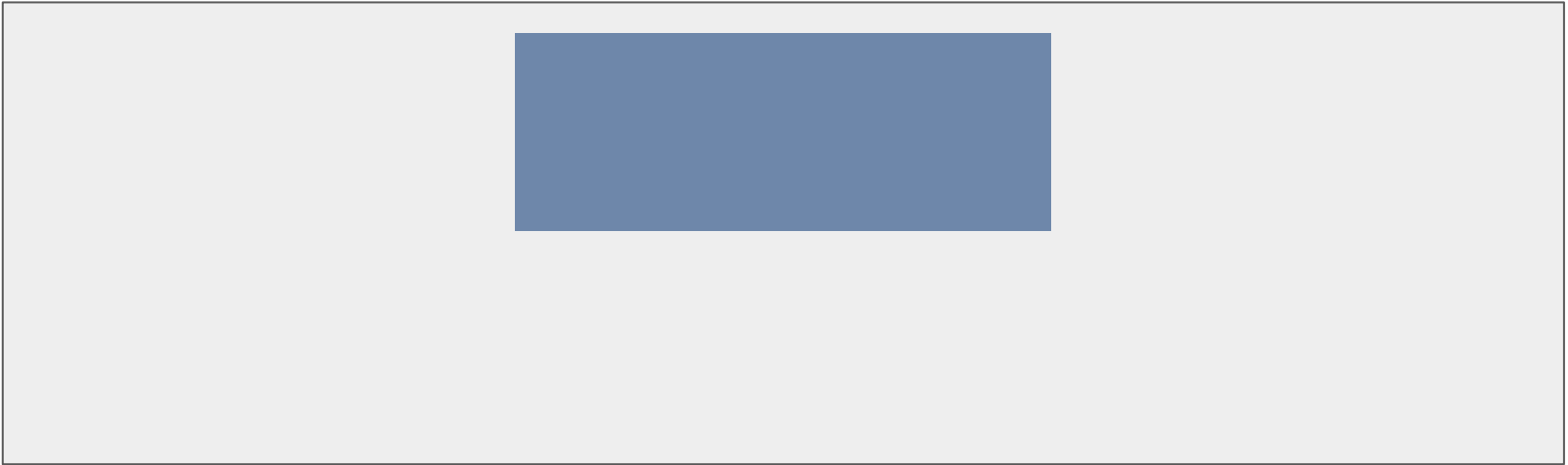
Global solutions for the new  
interconnected world.

The diagram shows a large light gray rectangular container. Inside this container, a smaller dark blue rectangular box is centered horizontally. The text "Global solutions for the new interconnected world." is centered within the blue box, demonstrating the effect of the `text-align:center` CSS property.

# Horizontal Alignment



margin: 0 auto; and display: **block**;



# Middle of Screen (1st way)



**strict** size, element's **position** (absolute)

**left** (50%), **top** (50%), **margin** (size/2)



## Middle of Screen (2nd way)



**strict** size, parent's **position** (relative), element's **position** (absolute)

**left** (0), **top** (0), **bottom** (0), **right** (0), **margin** (auto)

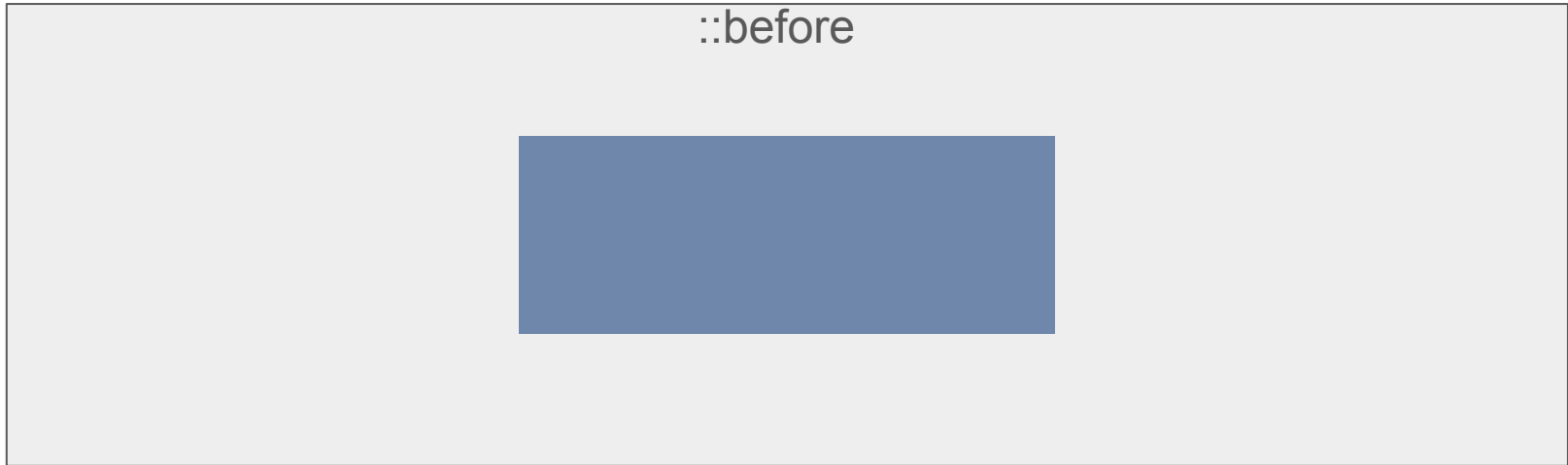


## Middle of Screen (3rd way)



**non-strict** size, parent's **position** (relative), element's **display** (inline-block)

**::before** contains **width** (1%), **height** (100%), **vertical-align** (middle)



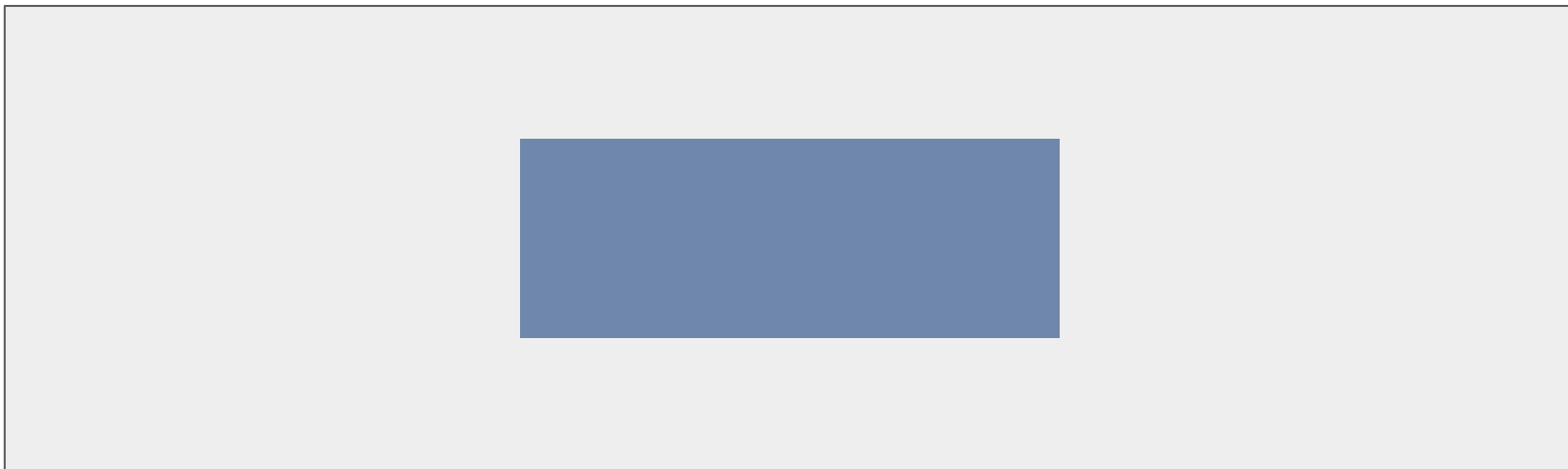




## Middle of Screen (4th way)

**non-strict** size, parent's **position** (relative), element's **position** (absolute)

**left** (50%), **top** (50%), **transform: translate(-50%, -50%);**



# Useful links



- ★ <https://www.w3.org/Style/Examples/007/center.en.html>
- ★ <https://css-tricks.com/centering-css-complete-guide/>
- ★ <https://www.smashingmagazine.com/2013/08/absolute-horizontal-vertical-centering-css/>

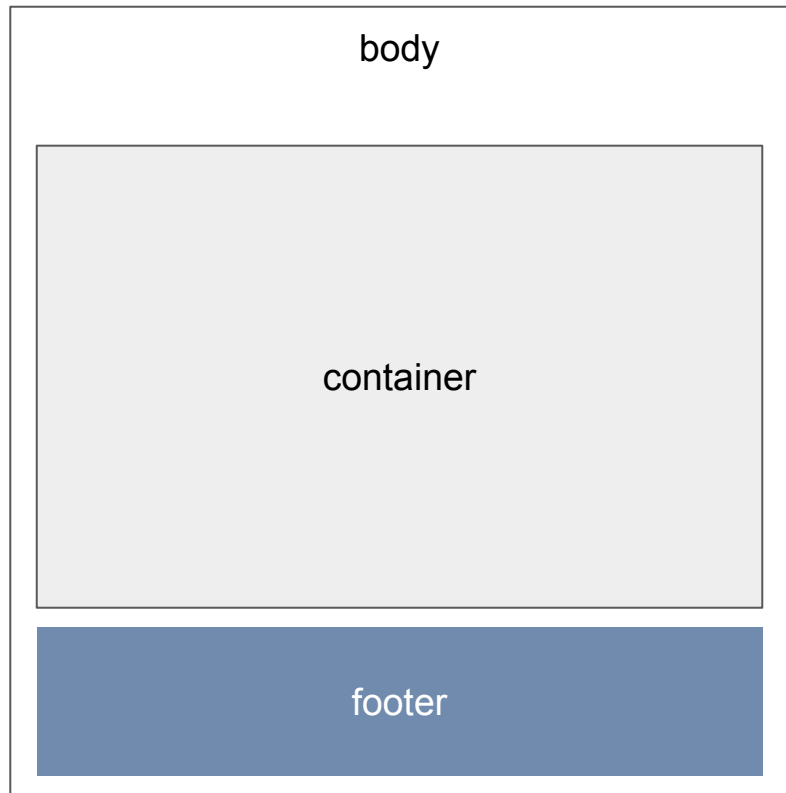
# Footer to bottom (1st way)

```
html { height: 100%; }
```

```
body { min-height: 100%; position: relative; }
```

```
container { padding-bottom: 70px; }
```

```
footer { position: absolute; height: 70px; left: 0; bottom: 0; }
```



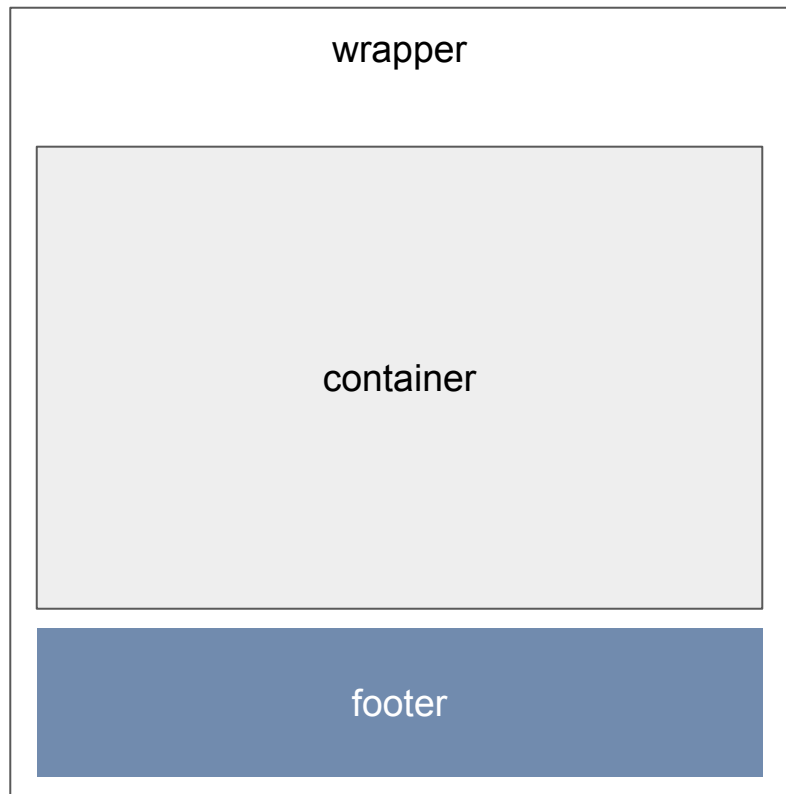
# Footer to bottom (2nd way)

```
html { height: 100%; } body { height: 100%; }
```

```
wrapper { height: 100%; }
```

```
container { min-height: 100%;  
box-sizing: border-box; padding-bottom:  
70px; }
```

```
footer { box-sizing: border-box; height: 70px;  
margin-top: -70px; }
```



# Footer to bottom (3rd way)



```
container { calc(100vh - 70px);  
box-sizing: border-box; }
```

```
footer { box-sizing: border-box; height: 70px; }
```



# Useful links



- ★ [1st way example](#)
- ★ [2st way example](#)
- ★ [3st way example](#)

A black and white photograph of a young man and woman kissing in a crowd. The man is on the left, seen from the back, wearing a dark suit jacket. The woman is on the right, wearing a dark leather jacket, leaning in to kiss him on the cheek. They are surrounded by other people in a dimly lit setting, possibly a party or social gathering. The background is dark and out of focus, with some people's faces visible.

# Popular recipes

necessary practical approaches



# Text Overflow



overflow (hidden), **text-overflow** (ellipsis), **white-space** (nowrap)

**block**

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Sed vitae massa sed arcu...

+ **table-layout** (fixed) for <table>

**td**

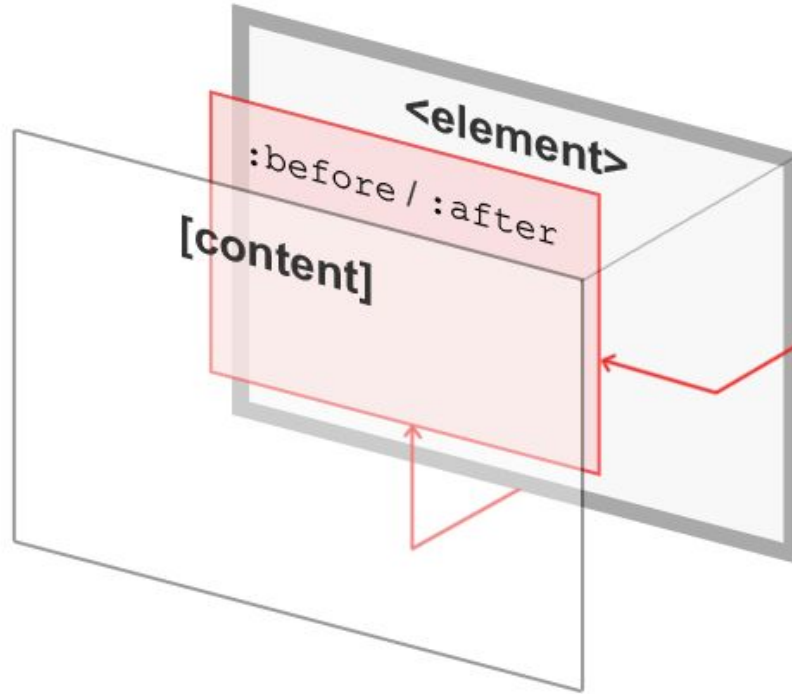
Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Sed vitae massa sed arcu...

# Useful links



- ★ <https://css-tricks.com/snippets/css/truncate-string-with-ellipsis/>
- ★ <https://software.intel.com/en-us/html5/hub/blogs/ellipse-my-text/>
- ★ <http://dev.mobify.com/blog/multiline-ellipsis-in-pure-css/>

# Operations with `::before`, `::after`

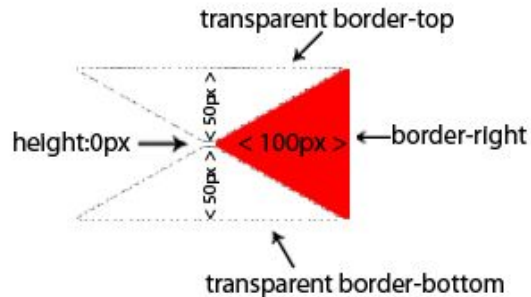


# Operations with ::before, ::after



```
<div class="example">Button with Up Arrow</div>
```

```
.example::before {  
  content: "";  
  display: block;  
  width: 0px;  
  height: 0px;  
  border-style: solid;  
  border-width: 0 100px 100px 100px;  
  border-color: transparent transparent red transparent;  
}
```





# Operations with ::before, ::after

```
<a class="tooltip" title="This is some information for our tooltip.">  
  <span>CSS3 Tooltip</span>  
</a>
```

```
.tooltip:hover::before {  
  triangle styles  
}
```

```
.tooltip:hover::after {  
  tooltip's box styles (background and font)  
}
```

[CSS3 Tooltip](#)

# Operations with ::before, ::after



## `.icon::before` { circle styles

```
content: "";  
position: absolute;  
top: 3px;  
left: 3px;  
width: 6px;  
height: 6px;  
border: 2px solid #ccc;  
border-radius: 14px;  
}
```

## `.icon::after` { line styles

```
content: "";  
position: absolute;  
top: 9px;  
left: 11px;  
width: 3px;  
height: 7px;  
margin-top: 0;  
background: #ccc;  
transform: rotate(-45deg);  
border-radius: 2px;  
}
```

# Operations with ::before, ::after



```
.icon::before {  
  line styles  
  
  content: "";  
  display: block;  
  height: 10px;  
  width: 0;  
  border-left: solid 2px #ccc;  
  position: absolute;  
  top: 4px;  
  left: 4px;  
}
```

```
.icon::after {  
  triangle styles  
  
  content: "";  
  height: 0;  
  width: 0;  
  border-style: solid;  
  border-width: 5px 9px 5px 0;  
  border-color: transparent #ccc transparent transparent;  
  position: absolute;  
  top: 4px;  
  left: 8px;  
}
```



# Useful links



- ★ <https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/CSS/Pseudo-elements>
- ★ <https://css-tricks.com/almanac/selectors/a/after-and-before/>
- ★ <https://css-tricks.com/pseudo-element-roundup/>
- ★ <https://www.amazeelabs.com/en/blog/three-things-you-can-do-with-css-pseudo-elements>
- ★ <https://www.smashingmagazine.com/2011/03/styling-elements-with-glyphs-sprites-and-pseudo-elements/>
- ★ [TOOLTIP](#)
- ★ [ICONS](#)

# Customization (input + label)



```
<input id="inputId" />  
<label for="inputId">Custom style</label>
```

```
input {  
  display: none;  
}
```

```
input + label {  
  custom input styles (inactive)  
}
```

```
input:checked + label {  
  custom input styles (active)  
}
```

## Checkboxes

- My first checkbox
- The second checkbox
- Another checkbox

## Radios

- A radio
- Another radio
- One more radio

# Useful links



★ <https://css-tricks.com/float-labels-css/>

★ <http://htmlbook.ru/blog/kartinka-vmesto-chekboksa>



# Tables

options of table layout

# Table Layout



**table-layout: auto** (*default*)

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
This is your text.	This is yooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooour text.	This is your text.

**table-layout: auto + width: 100%**

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
This is your text.	This is yooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooooour text.	This is your text.

# Table Layout



**table-layout: fixed**

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
This is your text.	This is yooooooooooooooooooooooooooooour text.	This is your text.

**table-layout: fixed + width: 100%**

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
This is your text.	This is yooooooooooooooooooooooooooooour text.	This is your text.

# Useful links



- ★ [Scrolling in table](#)
- ★ <https://www.w3.org/wiki/CSS/Properties/table-layout>
- ★ <https://css-tricks.com/almanac/properties/t/text-overflow/>

# Emails\*

- ❖ **Table** structure of frame and content items (`<table>` *inside* `<table>`)
- ❖ **Fixed** size of main container
- ❖ Use and support of **obsolete** properties and attributes (**align**, **bg-color**, **width**)
- ❖ Possibility of **adaptive** layout

Can't see this Email? View it in your [Browser](#)

Tempo

[Home](#) [Shop](#) [Contact](#)

Tempo Takes you  
to your  
Destination

Buy Now



Your Heading Goes Here

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur  
adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor.

Learn More

Full Width Text block content

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod Tempor  
incididunt ut labore et dolore magna aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud  
exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo

Your Heading Goes Here

Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur  
adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor.

Learn More



Don't want to receive email updates? [Unsubscribe here](#)



# Useful links



- ★ [Example #1](#)
- ★ [Adaptive email-letters](#)
- ★ <https://litmus.com/community/templates>



**GOOD NIGHT** *and*  
**GOOD LUCK**

---