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## Html5 responsive text size

Good typography is one of the key elements of a website. Let's take a look at three different methods on how to create responsive typography using CSS. The three methods are: Responsive typography using a CSS custom property as a multiplier Responsive typography using the CSS clamp() function TL;DR: Check out the final Codepen with all the methods. Resize the viewport to see the effect. Why should you use responsive typography? The web is used on various screen sizes. Your site has to work on mobile, tablet, laptop, desktop and basically everything in between so there's a lot to take into consideration. All of the method examples below are simplified as they only cover three selectors and one breakpoint. You can use this simple HTML to try out all the methods in this tutorial: How to create responsive typography using CSS Vestibulum molestie sapien eget diam elit. Three different methods explained Pellentesque sagittis nisl nec rhoncus porta. Quisque luctus turpis nec turpis consequat fermentum et vitae diam. Let's dig in! Method 1: Responsive typography using only media queries This is the most basic method in our list. Simply, declare your text styles and increase the font-size on bigger screens using a breakpoint: /\* Declare text styles \*/ h1 { font-size: 2.25em; } p { font-size: 1.5em; } p { font-size: 2.25em; } p { font-size: 3.5em; } p { font-size: 2.25em; } p { font-size: 3.5em; } p { fontis totally fine and it does the job very well. The downside is the large amount of code you have to write the styles separately for every selector in each breakpoint. In a real world you would probably have text selectors h1, h2, h3, h4, h5, h6, p and at least two breakpoints. At that point, this code is would've already gone from 20 lines to 67 lines. That's 3.35x increase in the amount of code. The next method will show how to decrease the code amount and make it easier to maintain! Method 2: Responsive typography using a CSS custom property as a multiplier CSS custom properties (variables) are super powerful. In the previous method, we increased the font sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-sizes and only increase the value of the multiplier variable for the font-size for the font-si Increase the size of the multiplier on bigger screens \*/ @media (min-width: 48rem) { :root { --text-multiplier: 1.5; } } /\* Declare text styles using calc() function and the multiplier \*/ h1 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } p { font-size: calc(1em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } P { font-size: calc(1em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } Check out the result from this Codepen. Resize the viewport to see the effect. The first step is to declare a variable that we use to control our font size later on. We set the default value to 1.:root { --text-multiplier: 1; } The second step is to increase the multiplier value inside a breakpoint. Unlike SASS variables, CSS custom properties can be used inside media queries. @media (min-width: 48rem) { :root { --text-multiplier: 1.5; } } The last step is to declare our font-size: calc(2em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h2 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h2 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h3 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h4 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h3 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h4 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-multiplier)); } h5 { font-size: calc(1.5em \* var(--text-mult we only need to declare our font sizes once. This is a huge improvement compared to the first method. Compared to the first method it would require 67 lines. Almost twice as much. The decrease of code is due to our elegant way of using a CSS custom property as a multiplier. Adding another breakpoints as simple as: /\* Add more breakpoints \*/ @media (min-width: 64rem) { --text-multiplier: 1.75; } @media (min-width: 80rem) { --text-multiplier: 2.0; } To the user, this methods looks exactly the same as the first but the code is much better. Next up, we'll take a look at a new CSS clamp() function. Method 3: Responsive typography using the CSS clamp() function The clamp() function is pretty powerful! You can set a value using three parameters: a minimum value, a preferred value and a maximum value, a preferred value and a maximum value, a preferred value as a sin-1 value! Example declaration for responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(2rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(2rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(2rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(2rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: clamp(3rem, 5vw, 3rem); This allows us to create responsive text using the clamp() function looks like this: font-size: function looks like this: f one line of code we set the minimum value (mobile), the maximum value (desktop) and the preferred value. The font size will become fluid as it will always be the preferred value inside the min-max range. Very powerful! To set the responsive typography for our demo, it is as simple as this: /\* Declare text styles \*/ h1, h2, p { /\* Font minimum, preferred and maximum value \*/ font-size: clamp(var(--min), var(--val), var(--wax)); } /\* Font size variables \*/ h1 { --min: 2em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred value = 5% viewport width \*/ --max: 2.25em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 5vw; /\* preferred va maximum value \*/ } p { --min: 1em; /\* minimum value \*/ --val: 2.5vw; /\* preferred value = 2.5% viewport width \*/ --max: 1.5em; /\* maximum value \*/ } Check out the result from this Codepen. Resize the viewport to see the effect. If you look at the code, you'll see that by using CSS custom properties together with the clamp() function we are able to declare all the text styles at the same time with only on line of code. After that, we just set the --min, --val and --max custom properties can be scoped inside selectors so you can use the same custom properties can be scoped inside selectors so you can use the same custom properties can be scoped inside selectors. custom properties will not clash together even though they have the same name. This method takes up 18 lines of code and with four more selectors and one breakpoint it would be 38 lines. So, it's slightly larger than on the second method but we get fluid typography in return. Note: The clamp() function is pretty new, so you should check if it has the browser support you need from caniuse.com. Wrap up CSS is powerful! In many cases, there's more than one way to achieve the desired result. If you read this far, thank you! I hope you found this article helpful You can follow me on Twitter for more CSS, Design System and Figma content Bootstrap sets basic global display, typography, and link styles. When more control is needed, check out the textual utility classes. Use a native font stack that selects the best font-family for each OS and device. For a more inclusive and accessible type scale, we use the browser's default root font-size (typically 16px) so visitors can customize their browser defaults as needed. Use the \$font-family-base, \$font-size-base, and \$line-height-base attributes as our typographic base applied to the . Set the global link color via \$link-color. Use \$body-bg to set a background-color on the (#fff by default). These styles can be found within reboot.scss, and the global variables are defined in variables are defined in variables. Bootstrap heading h. Bootstrap Bootstrap heading h3. Bootstrap heading h4. Bootstrap heading h5. 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