
design Documentation

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CHAPTER 1

Design

Design is a command-line tool that generates various common web design elements: borders, patterns, textures, gradients, etc.

- Documentation: <https://design.readthedocs.org>
- GitHub: <https://github.com/audreyr/design>
- Free software: BSD license
- PyPI: <https://pypi.python.org/pypi/design>

CHAPTER 2

Installation

At the command line:

```
$ easy_install design
```

Or, if you have virtualenvwrapper installed:

```
$ mkvirtualenv design  
$ pip install design
```


Still Pre-Alpha

This isn't ready to use yet, but you could imagine something like this:

```
from colors import rgb
from design import buttons

buttons.make_arrow_button(
    width=120,
    height=30,
    color=rgb(255, 129, 190),
    push_depth=8,
    glow_on_hover=True
)
```

The above would result in these files being generated:

- img/arrow.png
- css/arrow.css (Or maybe a Compass file. Haven't decided yet.)
- js/arrow.js
- arrow.html (Demo of the arrow in action.)

Ideas/feedback? File an issue!

Contributions are welcome!

Submitting Feedback

The best way to send feedback is to file an issue at <https://github.com/audreyr/design/issues>.

If you are reporting a bug, please include:

- Your operating system name and version.
- Any details about your local setup that might be helpful in troubleshooting.
- Detailed steps to reproduce the bug.

If you are proposing a feature:

- Explain in detail how it would work.
- Keep the scope as narrow as possible, to make it easier to implement.
- Remember that this is a volunteer-driven project, and that contributions are welcome :)

Getting Started

Here's how to set up *design* for local development.

1. Fork the *design* repo on GitHub.
2. Clone your fork locally:

```
$ git clone git@github.com:your_name_here/design.git
```

3. Install your local copy into a virtualenv. Assuming you have virtualenvwrapper installed, this is how you set up your fork for local development:

```
$ mkvirtualenv design
$ cd design/
$ python setup.py develop
```

4. Create a branch for local development:

```
$ git checkout -b name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

Now you can make your changes locally.

5. When you're done making changes, check that your changes pass the tests and flake8:

```
$ python -m unittest discover tests
$ flake8 design
$ flake8 tests
$ flake8 examples
```

6. Commit your changes and push your branch to GitHub:

```
$ git add .
$ git commit -m "Your detailed description of your changes."
$ git push origin name-of-your-bugfix-or-feature
```

7. Submit a pull request through the GitHub website.

Pull Request Guidelines

Before you submit a pull request:

1. TODO

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Credits

Development Lead

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0.1.2 (2013-07-11)

- Cleanup. Fixes to pass tests.

0.1.1 (2013-07-11)

- Tiny setup.py fixes.

0.1.0 (2013-07-11)

- First release on PyPI.

design Package

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borders Module

borders

Functions for creating border pattern graphics.

`design.borders.circles` (*width=12, height=12, color=<RGBColor red: 255, green: 255, blue: 255>*)

Draws a repeatable circle border pattern.

`design.borders.circles_pil` (*width, height, color*)

Implementation of circle border with PIL.

`design.borders.circles_pycairo` (*width, height, color*)

Implementation of circle border with PyCairo.

clouds Module

clouds

Functions for creating cloud graphics.

`design.clouds.draw_circle` (*ctx, x, y, radius, cairo_color*)

Draw a circle. :param radius: radius in pixels :param cairo_color: normalized rgb color

`design.clouds.draw_cloud` (*width=140, height=60, color=<RGBColor red: 255, green: 255, blue: 255>*)

Draw a cloud with the given width, height, and color.

gradients Module

gradients

Functions for creating gradient graphics.

Note: CSS3 gradients are better than image gradient strips in most cases. See <http://www.colorzilla.com/gradient-editor/>

`design.gradients.vertical_strip` (*width=10, height=100, color=<RGBColor red: 100, green: 100, blue: 100>, subtlety=0.1*)

Draws a subtle vertical gradient strip.

`design.gradients.vertical_white` (*width=10, height=100, subtlety=0.1*)

Draws a subtle vertical gradient strip: white with varying alpha.

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