

Styling Confluence

This is a guide to styling Confluence via CSS (made under Confluence 4.x); in a way that will survive most upgrades; hence It does not use (m) any plugins.

The guide focus'es on doing the **styling via the GUI**, as opposed to messing around at filesystem level or with tight integrated plugins.

The [Scopes](#) page shows the Scope for placing CSS around in Confluence.

Before starting - think about a few Questions:

Q: To Dashboard or Not?

The Dashboard is a "weird" Confluence entity, as it it hard to Maintain and Change, and has no versioning. Read [To Dashboard or Not](#) for further info.

Q: Placing Resources?

Resources for the site building can be placed in several locations. Read [Placing Resources](#) for further info.

Q: Using Pluings and 3rd Party modules?

This is a gray area, the more use of plugins, the harder to reverse, upgrade and often - the more expensive.

Q: CSS or jquery

A lot of stuff can be acompliced with either CSS or jquery, see the [CSS Styling Samples for Confluence 4.X](#) and [jquery Styling samples](#) for examples

Q: Confluence 5 ?

Everything can be changed 😊
See [Preparing for Confluence 5](#)

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