

FontAwesome Looks – Made easy!



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cWebTabPage and CSS

According to the Inspector in Chrome, the "Button" on a cWebTabPage is of class WebTbc_Head, which we can not dynamically style. Bah Humbug. Now I need a better way to flag the status of each tab, between "Finished" "Rejected" and "Approved"

Can I put little Icons after the text? or before?

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Agenda

- >Adding Icons to a <u>FlexTron</u> Application
- > Font Icons
- > FontAwesome.com
- > Talking CSS (though not in depth)
- > Selectors and pseudo-elements
- >DataFlex psCssClass property

FlexTron

- A technology that allows the usage of web controls within windows desktop applications.
- Allow the creation of nicer looking user interfaces by using the styling options available for the web.
- > DataFlex Windows .exe using DataFlex web controls.
- > Could provide an alternative to ActiveX controls.
- > Could provide a migration path to the web.

Font Icons

- > A "font icon" is an icon that is a glyph (essentially a character) from a font.
- A font that is made for this purpose (containing only icons) is called an "Icon Font".
- > Font icons scale well (being vectors).
- > Typically, very light-weight (in bytes).
- > WebOrderMobile provides an implementation reference.
- > Single colour* (*more on that later).

FontAwesome (Why?)

- As of 2023, Font Awesome was used by 30% of sites that use third-party font scripts, placing Font Awesome in 2nd place after Google Fonts.
- > Safety in numbers (IconFu 🙁)
- > Free plan available great for experimentation.
- > Pro plan is not expensive.
- > 53,663 icons across 16 styles and brands.

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ONLINE ONLY

🤇 Pro Lite

An online-only plan that easily delivers Pro icons and custom icons to web-based projects using our hosted Kits.

\$60 \$49

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CURRENT PLAN

Pro

A great all-around plan. Use any Pro icon and upload custom icons via Kit, download, package, or use on the desktop.

\$120 \$99

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Our biggest plan gives you all of Pro plus more seats, more bandwidth, more pageviews, and unlimited Kits and custom icons.



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Getting Started

>Create "Kits"

- > Cherry-pick the icons you require for your project.
- > Free plan allows for 1 kit.
- > Pro plan allows for up to 20 kits.

> Self-host your Kit on the web

- > Download the Fonts and include them in your project
- > Add class selectors to application.css

Self-Host on the Web

Self-Host on the Web

Want complete control over how you serve your Font Awesome Kit? Download the files for this Kit and you can include it in your project or host it any way you like.





Download Webfonts

> Copy webfonts folder into CssStyle folder



Application.css

> Add entries for the fonts to application.css

> Copy/paste from downloaded CSS folder

💼 css File folder

```
@font-face {
   font-family: 'Font Awesome 6 Pro';
   font-weight: 900;
   font-style: normal;
   font-display: block;
   src: url("fonts/fa-solid-900.woff2") format("woff2"), url("fonts/fa-solid-900.ttf") format("truetype");
@font-face {
   font-family: "Font Awesome Kit";
   font-weight: 400;
   font-style: normal;
   font-display: block;
   src: url("fonts/custom-icons.woff2") format("woff2"), url("fonts/custom-icons.ttf") format("truetype");
@font-face {
   font-family: 'Font Awesome 6 Pro';
   font-weight: 400;
   font-style: normal;
   font-display: block;
   src: url("fonts/fa-regular-400.woff2") format("woff2"), url("fonts/fa-regular-400.ttf") format("truetype");
```

Let's add some icons

psCSSClass (psBtnCSSClass)

Set psCSSClass to "Class1 Class2"

> Class1 will identify the font-family.> Class2 will identify the actual font-icon.

Set psCSSClass to "Font1 Pencil"
Set psCSSClass to "Font1 Clipboard"
Set psCSSClass to "Font2 Folder_Open"

psCSSClass (psBtnCSSClass)



Set psCSSClass to "fa-solid Pencil"
Set psCSSClass to "fa-regular Clipboard"

CSS Selectors

- >CSS selectors are used to "find" (select) the HTML elements you want to style
 - > Simple selectors (select elements based on name, id, class).
 - Combinator selectors (select elements based on a specific relationship between them).
 - > Pseudo-class selectors (select elements based on a certain state).
 - > Pseudo-elements selectors (select and style part of an element).
 - > Attribute selectors (select elements based on an attribute or attribute value).

CSS Selectors

CSS pseudo-elements selectors

- >Keyword added to a selector that lets you style a specific part of the selected element(s)
 - ::first-line
 - > ::first-letter
 - >::before
 - > ::after

CSS Classes? We'd better call the inspector.

Inspector

Object oAddress_group is a cWebGroup Set piColumnCount to 12 Set piColumnSpan to 6 Set psCaption to "Address" Set psCSSClass to "fa-solid house" End_Object

Inspector

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cWebGroup.

Define our CSS Selector(s)



.fa-solid.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebContainer > .WebGrp_Caption::before .house.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebContainer > .WebGrp_Caption::before

cWebGroup Selectors

> Associate font-family with 'fa-solid' selector

> fa-solid.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > WebGrp_Caption::before

.fa-solid.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption::before {
 -moz-osx-font-smoothing: grayscale;
 -webkit-font-smoothing: antialiased;
 font-weight: 900 !important;
 font-style: normal !important;
 font-variant: normal !important;
 text-transform: none !important;
 line-height: 1;
 speak: none;
 text-rendering: auto;
 font-family: "Font Awesome 6 Pro" !important;
}

In each case we can lift/copy/paste from downloaded CSS or plagiarise from theme.css

> Associate icon (content) with 'house' selector

> house.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > WebGrp_Caption::before

.house.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption::before {
 content: "\e3af";
}

cWebGroup

Address

Street	1173 15th Road		
City	Cody		
State	Wyoming	~	
Zip	82414-		
Phone	307-555-7020		
Fax	307-555-7021		
E-Mail	absorakacruisetravel@trips.net		

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E-Mail	absorakacruisetravel@trips.net		

.icon.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption:: before {
 padding-right: 6px;

.icon.blue.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption:: before {
 color: #005899;

Object oAddress_group	is	a cWebGroup
Set piColumnCount	to	12
Set piColumnSpan	to	6
Set psCaption	to	"Address"
Set psCSSClass	to	"fa-solid house icon blue"
End_Object		

cWebGroup

```
Object oAddress_group is a cWebGroup
    Set piColumnCount to 12
    Set piColumnSpan to 6
                    to "Address"
    Set psCaption
    Set psCSSClass to "fa-solid house icon blue"
End_Object
Object oBalances group is a cWebGroup
    Set piColumnCount to 12
    Set piColumnSpan to 6
   Set psCaption to "Balances"
    Set psCSSClass to "fa-solid calculator icon purple"
End Object
Object oComments group is a cWebGroup
    Set piColumnCount to 12
    Set piColumnSpan to 6
   Set psCaption to "Comments"
    Set psCSSClass
                    to "fa-solid comments icon green"
End_Object
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cWebList psPlaceholder.

cWebList psPlaceholder



Define our CSS Selector(s)

Object oOrdersList is a cWebList

- Set psPlaceholder to "No orders"
- Set psCSSClass to "MobileList SubList fa-solid exclamation"
- Set piColumnSpan to 0
- Set pbServerOnRowClick to True

End_Object



<u>.fa-solid</u>.WebList > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebList_Focus > .WebList_Placeholder::before .exclamation.WebList > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebList_Focus > .WebList_Placeholder::before

Define our CSS Selector(s)

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- Set psPlaceholder to "No orders"
- Set psCSSClass to "MobileList SubList fa-solid exclamation"
- Set piColumnSpan to 0
- Set pbServerOnRowClick to True

End_Object



.fa-solid.WebList .exclamation.WebList .WebList_Placeholder::before .WebList_Placeholder::before

cWebList psPlaceholder Selectors

> Associate font-family with 'fa-solid' selector

> fa-solid.WebList .WebList_Placeholder::before

.fa-solid.WebList .WebList_PlaceHolder::before, .fa-solid.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption::before { -moz-osx-font-smoothing: grayscale; -webkit-font-smoothing: antialiased; font-weight: 900 !important; font-style: normal !important; font-variant: normal !important; text-transform: none !important; line-height: 1; speak: none; text-rendering: auto; font-family: "Font Awesome 6 Pro" !important;

> Associate icon (content) with 'exclamation' selector

> exclamation.WebList .WebList_Placeholder::before

.exclamation.WebList .WebList_PlaceHolder::before {
 content: "\e3f2";

cWebList psPlaceholder

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cWebTabPage and cWebLabel. (Not in the same detail. I think you get the point by now)

cWebTabPage (psBtnCSSClass)

Object oHorizontalPage is a cWebTagPage

```
Set piColumnCount to 10
```

- Set psCaption to "Horizontal"
- Set psBtnCSSClass to "fa-solid sliders-h"

End_Object

Webcon_Content">
▼ <div class="WebControl WebTabContainer Web_Enabled HeaderTab Web_FillHeight Web_JS_Sizing" data-dfobj="oDemos</td></tr><tr><td>oat: left; clear: none; margin-left: 0%; width: 100%;"></div>
▼ <div class="WebCon_Inner WebCon_FillRow"> (grid)</div>
▼ <div></div>
▼ <div class="WebTbc_Head"></div>
▼ <div class="WebTab_Btn Web_Enabled fa-solid sliders-h WebTab_Current" style="" tabindex="0"> == \$0</div>
▼
<label>Horizontal</label>

.fa-solid.WebTab_Btn > span::before .sliders-h.WebTab_Btn > span::before

cWebTabPage



Object oHorizontalPage is a cWebTabPage Set piColumnCount to 10 Set psCaption to "Horizontal" Set psBtnCSSClass to "fa-solid sliders-h icon" End_Object

Object oVerticalPage is a cWebTabPage Set piColumnCount to 10 Set psCaption to "Vertical" Set psBtnCSSClass to "fa-solid sliders-v icon" End_Object

.fa-solid.WebTab_Btn > span::before, .fa-solid.WebList .WebList_PlaceHolder::before, .fa-solid.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption::before { -moz-osx-font-smoothing: grayscale; -webkit-font-smoothing: antialiased; font-weight: 900 !important; font-style: normal !important; font-variant: normal !important; text-transform: none !important; line-height: 1; speak: none; text-rendering: auto;

font-family: "Font Awesome 6 Pro" !important;

.sliders-h.WebTab_Btn > span::before {
 content: "\flde";

.sliders-v.WebTab_Btn > span::before {
 content: "\f3f1";

}

.icon.WebTab_Btn > span::before, .icon.WebList .WebList_PlaceHolder::before, .icon.WebGroup > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebGrp_Caption::before { padding-right: 6px;

cWebLabel

Object oLatestActivity_lbl is a cWebLabel Set psCaption to "Latest Orders" Set piColumnSpan to 0 Set psCSSClass to "LabelTitle fa-solid shopping-cart icon blue" End_Object



.fa-solid.WebLabel > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebLabel_content::before (font) .shopping-cart.WebLabel > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebLabel_content::before (icon) .icon.WebLabel > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebLabel_content::before (padding) .blue.WebLabel > .WebCon_Inner > div > .WebLabel_content::before (colour)

Did I mention single colour?

Get Creative with icon overlays



.IconOverlay.WebTreeView .WebTree_NoIcon.WebTree_Folder::before, .IconOverlay.WebTreeView .WebTree NoIcon.WebTree Icon::before { content: "\f07c"; font-size: 26px; color: #f4a11e; position: absolute; left: 1px; top: 1px; .IconOverlay.WebTreeView .Tick .WebTree NoIcon.WebTree Folder::after, .IconOverlay.WebTreeView .Tick .WebTree NoIcon.WebTree Icon::after content: "\f058"; color: #4CBB17; background-color: #ffffff; position: absolute; left: 12px; top: 15px; font-size: 15px; border-radius: 50%; padding: 1px;

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Class cMyWebGroup is a cWebGroup

Procedure Construct_Object Forward Send Construct_Object {Category = "Appearance"} Property String psIcon {Category = "Appearance"}
{EnumList = "icWebAppBlue,icWebAppRed,icWebAppGrey,icWebAppGreen,icWebAppPurple" InitialValue=icWebAppBlue} Property Integer pilconColor icWebAppBlue {Category = "Font"} {EnumList = "fontSolid,fontRegular,fontCustom" InitialValue=fontSolid} Property Integer pelconFont fontSolid End_Procedure Procedure End_Construct_Object String sIcon sColor sFont sCssClass Integer iColor eFont Forward Send End_Construct_Object Get psIcon to sIcon If (sIcon>'') Begin Get pilconColor to iColor Case Begin Case (iColor=icWebAppBlue) Move 'blue' to sColor Case Break Case (iColor=icWebAppRed) Move 'red' to sColor Case Break Case (iColor=icWebAppGrey) Move 'grey' to sColor Case Break Case End Get pelconFont to eFont Case Begin Case (eFont=fontSolid) Move "fa-solid" to sFont Case Break Case (eFont=fontRegular) Move "fa-regular" to sFont Case Break Case (eFont=fontBrands) Move "fa-custom" to sFont Case Break Case End Get psCSSClass to sCssClass Set psCSSClass to (sCssClass*sFont*sIcon*"icon"*sColor) End End_Procedure End_Class

FontAwesome Looks – Made easy!

- > Font icons are a great and easy way of styling your FlexTron or Web application.
- > FontAwesome provides a free plan great way to start.
- > Download font files and add them to your project (CssStyle).
- > Use browser inspector tool to establish your CSS selector.
- > Add your CSS selectors to application.css
- > Use ::before (and ::after) pseudo-elements to add fonts and style HTML element content.
- > Use psCSSClass (or psBtnCssClass) to associate DataFlex objects with CSS class selectors to identify the font and content/icon (plus further additional styles).
- > Browser cache not an issue with FlexTron (only WebApp)



Thank you!

Are there any questions?