

Background-position

If you do not repeat a background behind the body, the image is placed on the top left-hand corner of the page. That is default position for a background image that is not repeated.

With CSS you can position background images on the page. Use the property **background-position** to move the background image the following way:

```
body {  
background-image:url (images/pic.gif) ;  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position:top center  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url (pic.gif) ;  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: top right  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url (images/pic.gif) ;  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: left center  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url (images/pic.gif) ;  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: center center  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url (images/pic.gif) ;  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: right center  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url(images/pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: left bottom  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url(images/pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position:center bottom  
}
```

```
body {  
background-image:url(images/pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: right bottom  
}
```

You can also use length values to position background image precisely using pixel value or percentage:

```
body {  
background-image:url(images/pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: 100px 200px  
}
```

This will offset background image 100px from the left and 200px from the top.

or

```
body {  
background-image:url(images/pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: 50% 50%  
}
```

This will center background image.

Fixing background

The **background-attachment:scroll** property/value allows you to fix a background image so that the content of the page scrolls over it.

Example

```
body {  
background-image:url(pic.gif);  
background-repeat:no-repeat;  
background-position: center center;  
background-attachment: scroll;  
}
```

Background property

You can set all the properties and values for your background image in one statement, using the **background** shortcut property:

```
body {background: #CCC url(backgr.jpg) no-repeat center center fixed;}
```

Notice in this example you can combine background image and background color, as well as other background values. Separate multiple values with a space.

You can set background image for any HTML element.