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## Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by boerenooi - 2011/04/14 13:13

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Hi Admin

I've added a margin to my sub menu so that it has a space between the main menu, but I also added an arrow for the mouse over part, if you have a look at my sub menu, it's doing something weird and I don't know how to fix it. Can you help me please?

Heres my link <http://boerenooi.za.net/>

This is the styling I have so far

```
DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd,
DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd LI
{
    background:
    url(http://www.boerenooi.za.net/modules/mod_ariyuimenu/mod_ariyuimenu/js/assets/menu/sam/subbg.png);
    color: #fff;
    margin-left: 30px;
    text-align: left;
}
```

```
DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd LI.yuimenuitem-selected
{
    background-image:
    url(http://www.boerenooi.za.net/modules/mod_ariyuimenu/mod_ariyuimenu/js/assets/menu/sam/arrow.png);
    background-position: left center;
    background-repeat: no-repeat;
    color: #fff;
}
body DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd a.yuimenuitemlabel
{
    color: #FFF;
}
```

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by admin - 2011/04/14 13:16

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Provide screenshot where we can see how the menu should look.

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by boerenooi - 2011/04/14 13:18

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Thanks Admin, this is what it should look like.  
<http://www.ari-soft.com/images/fbfiles/images/menu-259b126279fb5222ba3fea11a6141e0c.jpg>

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by admin - 2011/04/14 13:24

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Remove "margin-left: 30px" CSS property from custom CSS rules and add the next CSS rule:

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```
div#{$id}.yui-skin-sam div.bd div.bd li
{
padding-left: 10px;
}
```

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by boerenooi - 2011/04/14 13:51

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That didn't make a difference, it just went back to sitting next to the main menu. I also noticed that the arrow doesn't show in IE8

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by admin - 2011/04/14 13:58

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You defined "padding-left" for two elements:

```
DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd,
DIV#{$id}.yui-skin-sam DIV.bd DIV.bd LI
```

but in our previous post we specified only one element:

```
div#{$id}.yui-skin-sam div.bd div.bd li
```

In any case, we can recommend to use FireBug addon for FireFox browser that investigate HTML elements styles. In IE 8 you can press F12 and use "Developer Tools". Information about menu CSS classed can be found [here](#).

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Sub menu weird styling after margin

Posted by boerenooi - 2011/04/14 14:00

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I do use firebug, I actually work on many css files, but with this one I can't seem to get anywhere, the css isn't marked in the stylesheet and it's hard to inspect element for a drop down menu.

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