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## Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/22 15:42

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I'm hoping the answer to this is simple - I manage to make simple things happen in my Joomla site. Don't ask me how. :-)  
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I installed the ARI YUI Menu and want to created a Top Menu with drop-downs. It does that beautifully and was very easy for me. The problem is when I have the ARI YUI module enabled, the Top Menu is gray and doesn't follow the theme of the previous Top Menu.

I've poked around in the template CSS and know there's a repeating image file with it's own "separator" too. How can I get this new ARI YUI module to use that instead?

I've tried pasting various pieces of code I've seen the admins publish for other, similar problems... to see if I can manipulate anything, but it doesn't seem to do anything (I mean pasting it into the CSS box within the module setup).

Here's my site: <http://azphysics.com>

The "old Top Menu" is enabled right now.

I know you've answered questions like this a million times and I'm sorry to be yet another. I'm just hoping for a simple answer so I can move on with my life! LOL

~SLSorrels

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by admin - 2011/12/22 19:54

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Hello,

Provided page doesn't contain "ARI YUI Menu".

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/22 19:56

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I enabled it now - turned the "old version" off. Sorry about that.

-SLSorrels

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by admin - 2011/12/22 20:00

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Sorry, but what is wrong? The menu is shown fine. If you want to change menu design, this link can be helpful. It contains information about menu HMTL markup and CSS classes.

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/22 20:04

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The functionality of the menu is great and works easily. The module install was also very easy. I thank you for that!

I'm hoping to get the background of the Top Menu changed to match (so it's not gray and standing out so much). Originally, it had been "red" which is an image file that I think repeats across.

I'm sorry to be such a novice... you've been so helpful with others by providing simple steps to make changes... I was hoping you could do the same here.

I've \*looked\* in the CSS template and can see the "top menu" section... I also know there's a box in the ARI YUI module to provide CSS information... but I can't seem to figure out exactly what I need to modify. I suspect it's extremely easy for someone familiar with CSS - but alas, that's not me. :-)

I've built this Joomla site via simple means. And there were days I wanted to scream - because I get so lost. :-)

Help?

~SLSorrels

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by admin - 2011/12/22 20:08

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Try to use the next CSS rules:

```
body #ariyui73.yui-skin-sam .yuimenuubar
{
  background-image: none;
}
```

```
body #ariyui73.yui-skin-sam .yuimenuubar .yuimenuubaritem A
{
  line-height: 42px !important;
}
```

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/22 20:11

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I love you! :-)

Now I'm off to relocate the post you made about font color... I'll turn this white and be done!

~SLSorrels

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/24 07:40

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I return, hoping for a tad more help. I've copy/pasted just about every bit of CSS in the forum I can find on the subject, and have only managed to partially solve my "new problem."

I'd like to remove all the borders and separators - have the menu items automatically spread out to fill the space (if I need

to hand add/subtract pixels I can do that).

My site is: <http://azphysics.com>

I've added the following CSS so far as a result of your help and me blindly adding bits I've found:

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body #ariyui73.yui-skin-sam .yuimenuubar
{
background-image: none;
border-style: none;
}

body #ariyui73.yui-skin-sam .yuimenuubarnav .yuimenuubaritem A
{
line-height: 42px !important;
}

.yuimenuubaritemlabel
{
color: #FFFFFF !important;
}

.yuimenuubaritemlabel-selected
{
color: white !important;
}

.yuimenuubaritem-selected,
.yuimenuitem-selected
{
background-image: none !important;
background-color: #ccc !important;
}

body #ariyui67.yui-skin-sam ul li a.yuimenuitemlabel
{
color: #ffffff;
}

#ariyui91 A.yuimenuitemlabel
{
color: #FFF !important;
}
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What do I need to add/change to remove the rest of the border(s) and spread the menu items out?

Thanks so much,  
~SLSorrels

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by admin - 2011/12/24 17:29

Provide an image please where we can see what do you want to achieve.

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by slsorrels - 2011/12/25 17:54

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I've attached a snapshot of the menu with some arrows/text on it.

Thank you SO much for the help. I love you guys.

~SLSorrels [http://www.ari-soft.com/images/fbfiles/images/menu\\_changes\\_help.png](http://www.ari-soft.com/images/fbfiles/images/menu_changes_help.png)

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## Re:Top Menu Background Help

Posted by admin - 2011/12/26 11:11

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It is possible to center the menu, for this use the next CSS rules:

```
.yui-skin-sam
{
  text-align: center;
}
```

```
#ariyui73_menu
{
  display: inline-block !important;
  zoom: 1;
  *display: inline;
}
```

Regards,  
ARI Soft

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