

Topic Discover

<http://designmodo.com/designing-big-layouts/>

For my topic I chose to do using the full browser. The information I got is from the link above. I really liked how the article broke everything down. It not only listed the advantages to using the full browser and tips, but it also explains how using the full browser isn't for every website. It also gives very good examples of sites that used the full browser. When designing my topic page I want to keep it simple but still intriguing. I also wanted to use the tips that were provided from the site and that will also be going on my page as well. My first idea is to use accordions for each point of the advantages and the tips and then put sliders of examples in each of the tips. After reading more about accordions I see that minimal information is supposed to go into them. If it doesn't work to put a slider in the accordion then I'll have to put the examples outside of the tips. I still want the examples to be in a slider, I'm not quite sure where I will put them though. I want the colors to be calming and simple. Bright colors with this topic might be too busy. The header text will most likely be cursive. In the article it says to use beautiful text. Beautiful cursive text should draw a user in and see what the site is about. The text use for the content will be a sans serif. Sans serif is very clean and easy to read.

1. Using the Full Browser

1. Advantages to using the Full Browser

1. Encourage Visitors to Stop and Look
2. Great Images or Video can be Displayed Prominently
3. Good Writing is Rewarded with Oversized Type
4. Portfolio Sites

2. Tips for using the Full Browser

1. Plan Around Beautiful Type
2. Focus on Strong Images
3. Use Standard Navigation
4. Use Color Well
5. Limit Your Tricks
6. Keep it Simple

Using Over Sized Layouts

Advantages

Encourage Visitors

Images/Video Displayed Prominently

Good Writing

Portfolio Sites

Tips

Strong Images

Beautiful Type

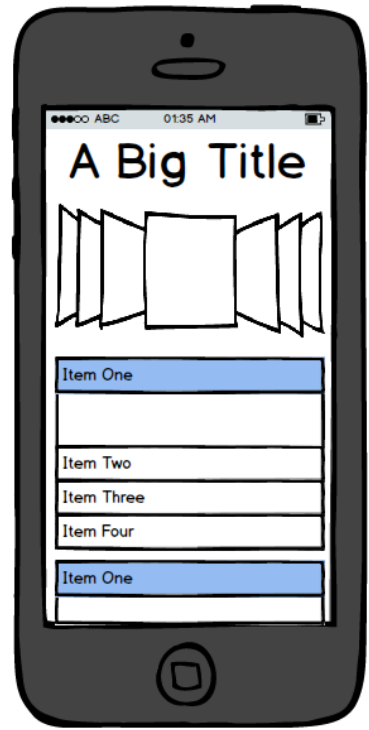
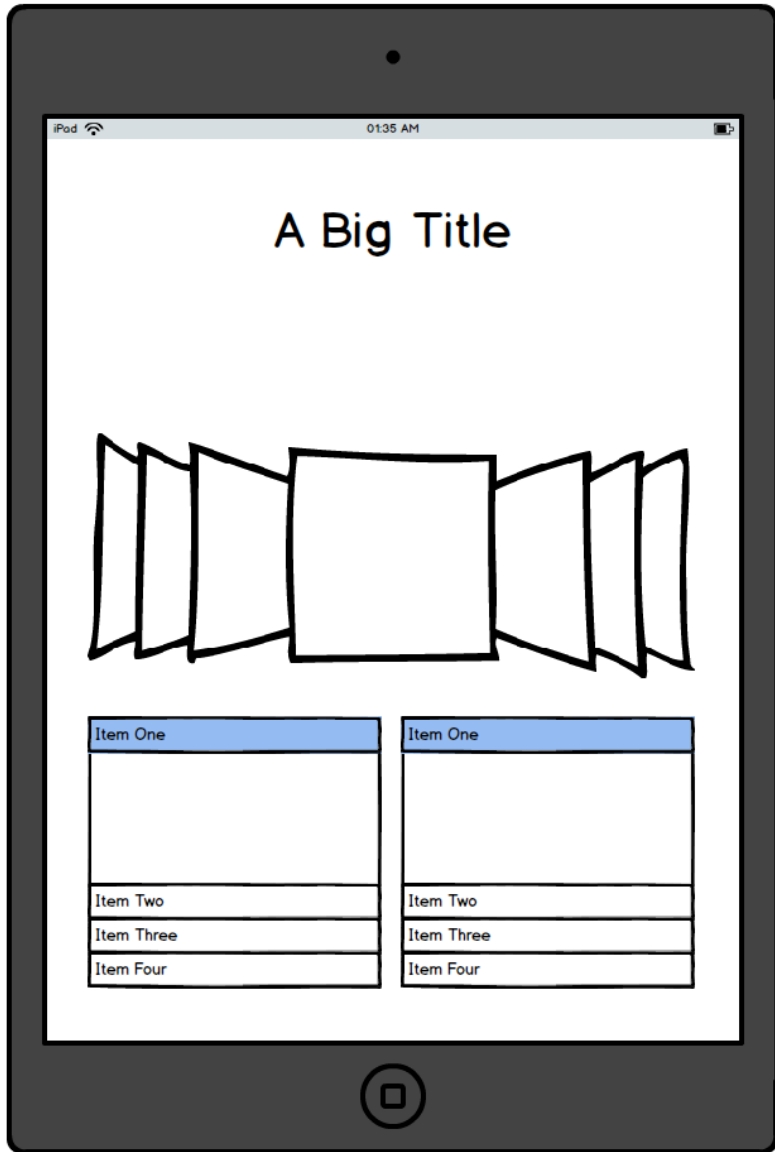
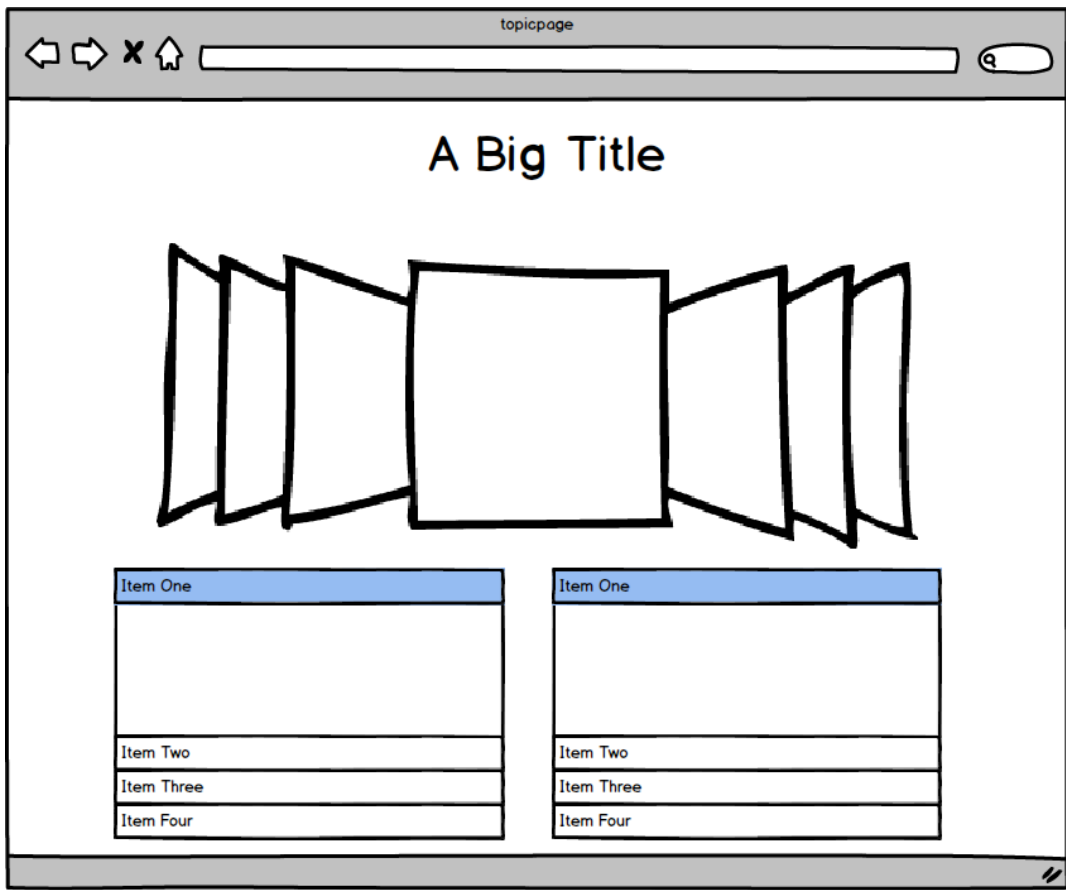
Standard Navigation

Use Color Well

Limit Your Tricks

Keep it Simple

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h3	Encourage	accordion
img	images	slider
h3	Displayed Prominently	accordion
img	images	slider
h3	Oversized Type	accordion
img	images	slider
h3	Portfolio Sites	accordion
img	images	slider
h2	Tips	
h3	Beautiful Type	accordion
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h3	Strong Images	accordion
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h3	Standard Navigation	accordion
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h3	Use Color Well	accordion
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h3	Limit Your Tricks	accordion
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h3	Keep it Simple	accordion
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Topic Page

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Possible Colors



Textures



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Adjectives

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