

CSS - A: Visited

- ◆ The **A: visited** selector is used to select visited links.
- ◆ The link in the browser window changes to the specified color in CSS after visited by the user.

SAMPLE CODE:

```
<!DOCTYPE html>

<html>

<head>

  <style>

    a: link

      {

        text-decoration: underline;

        color: #0676b3;

      }

    a: visited

      {

        color: #ff00ff;

        text-decoration: underline;
```



```
    }  
  
    </style>  
  
    </head>  
  
    <body>  
  
<p>  
    <b>  
  
    <a href="http://www.wikitechy.com/"target="_blank">  
  
    Welcome to Wikitechy!  
  
    </a>  
  
    </b>  
  
</p>  
  
    </body>  
  
</html>
```

Code Explanation:

- 1 **a: link** indicates the “unvisited link”.
- 2 Over here, we have given the **text-decoration: underline** for underlining anchor link and its hex color value of our anchor link.



Note: Mostly all the anchor link will be underlined, if we don't want underlined anchor link ,then we can type **text decoration: none** instead of underline.

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
  <head>
    <style>
      a:link ← 1
      {
        text-decoration: none; ← 2
        color: #0676b3;
      }
      a:visited ← 3
      {
        color: #ff00ff;
        text-decoration: underline; ← 4
      }
    </style>
  </head>
  <body>
    <p>
      <b>
        <a href="http://www.wikitechy.com/" target="_blank"> ← 5
          Welcome to Wikitechy! ← 6
        </a>
      </b>
    </p>
  </body>
</html>
```

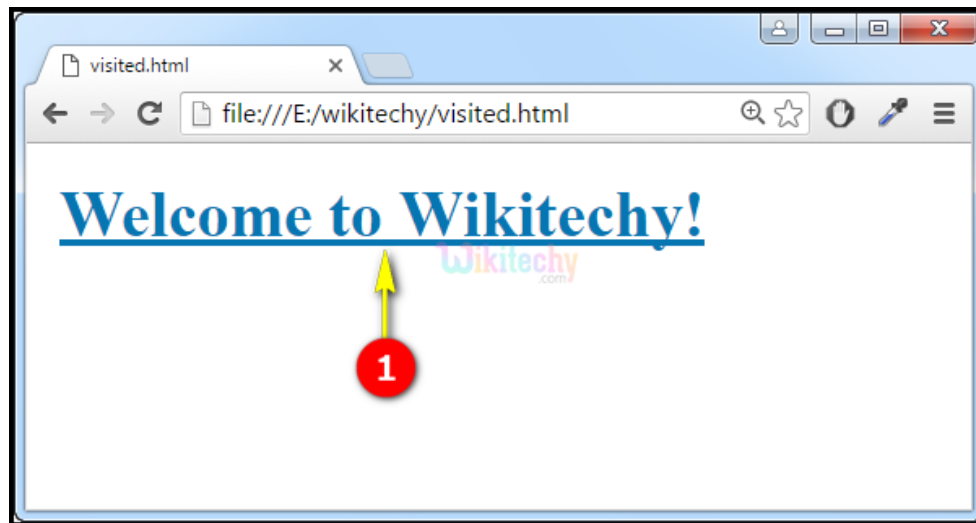
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a: visited is the link where the user has been visited. Here, we have given pink color in hexadecimal code for visited link. Therefore, it changes from normal blue(#0676b3) to pink color(#ff00ff).

- 4 Over here, we are given **text-decoration: underline** for underlining the anchor link.
- 5 href is the attribute which specifies the destination address.
- 6 target="_blank" Opens up the Link new tab.

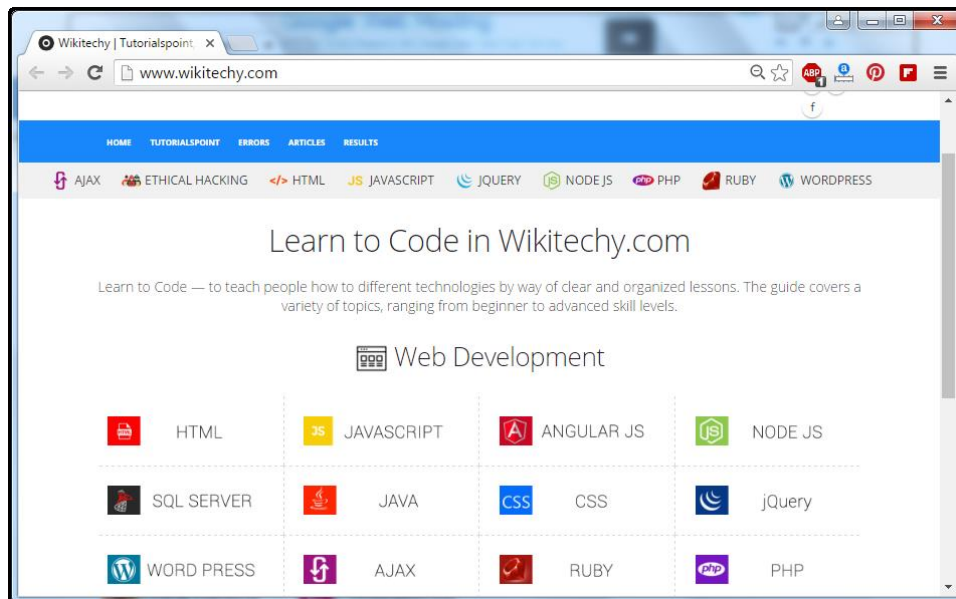
OUTPUT:

- ◆ Here in this output, when we open up the html file which is embedded with CSS, it will display the following window as shown below.



- 1 The link “**welcome to wikitechy!**” will appear in blue color and underlined before clicking the link.

- 🔥 **Welcome to wikitechy** link directs us to the official wikitechy website. Which is displayed below.



- 1 The link “**Welcome to Wikitechy!**” color change from blue to pink after user clicks the link stating that “**the link is already opened**”.