Animations are similar to transitions in that they change the presentational value of CSS properties over time. The principal difference is that while transitions trigger implicitly when property values change, animations are explicitly executed when the animation properties are applied. Because of this, animations require explicit values for the properties being animated. These values are specified using animation keyframes, described below. CSS Animations affect computed property values. animation-name: declares the name of the @keyframes at-rule to manipulate. animation-duration: the length of time it takes for an animation to complete one cycle. animation-timing-function: establishes preset acceleration curves such as ease or linear. animation-delay: the time between the element being loaded and the start of the animation sequence. animation-direction: sets the direction of the animation after the cycle. Its default resets on each cycle. animation-fill-mode. animation-play-state. Note: Always specify the animation-duration property, otherwise the duration is 0, and will never be played. Default value: none 0 ease 0 1 normal none running.