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Response

Please select which best fits your experience.

- forked an existing block theme
- built from scratch
- used the empty theme from theme experiments

1. I have experimented with building block themes.
2. I have built and launched block themes.
3. I have explored using theme.json with a classic theme.
4. I have used the empty theme from theme experiments.
5. I have built 5 experimental block themes and explored them just with classic themes.
6. I forked an existing block theme (share in the comments of this question about theme).

Kern theme (share in the comments of this question about theme).
I have used all three. I no longer use empty themes because it's too basic for me. When I fork, I copy one of my earlier themes like Armando.

I started with Blockbase but ended up reworking every part, as it was too feature rich an architectural empty theme.

From there I created an empty theme, used as empty theme, and have created one from scratch. The bulk of my work has come from forking a theme that I last worked on in 2019. The original GitHub repo here: https://github.com/justin-liu/empty-theme.

I began the theme as a parent theme, but ended up using a child theme.

The original GitHub repo is here: https://github.com/jusintadlock/exhale

I plan to release this as a new theme for free at some point. I am mostly waiting for some of the FSE features to mature. Primarily, the biggest missing pieces are:

1. Navigating block to select down
2. An array of post author blocks
3. A robust set of comment-related blocks
4. Post Featured Image block to have a sizing option

I think I could realistically release a use-at-your-own-risk beta version of my theme today if those items were addressed.

I followed instructions from https://fullsiteediting.com/

I extended an existing custom theme from our agency.

I followed a tutorial by Frank Kleinland/TT1 Blocks

All of the above.

I extended an existing custom theme to a block theme.

I have done most of my experimenting with WC. I have been referring and digging into the code many block themes, trying to come up with the best methodology for my custom theme, which will need to be production-ready at end of month. Blockbase, seedlet-blocks, astra-blocks, genesis-block theme.

We started from a classic theme, created a blocks plugin (Nova Blocks) around it, and step-by-step evolve towards a block theme (Rosa2). It's not a fully block-based theme, but the goal is that.

As an established theme developer, I wanted to try benefits of theme.json file when transitioning from a classic theme to new FSE experience. I tried to incorporate theme.json into my current classic theme mostly.

I converted an existing theme to a block theme.

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As a completed theme developer, I needed to find benefits of theme.json file when transitioning from a classic theme to new FSE experience. I tried to incorporate theme.json into my current classic theme mostly.
We primarily use template parts for Header and Footer but are evolving steadily to other theme parts. Here is a list of all the templates:

- header
- footer
- index
- archive
- single
- search
- 404
- header-footer-only
- blank

N/A - have only explored using theme.json in a classic theme so far. We haven't explored search.html as well.

A lot more than most of the experimental themes. See https://blocks.wp-a2z.org/oik-themes/ for more information.

I haven't built a block-based theme yet.

Several post templates and page templates with sidebars.

This is an ecommerce theme using Woocommerce blocks and our custom block library.

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In my themes, the template parts are block-based but may use a hybrid. I am using theme parts like base, home, single, theme, and base templates. I am not using any template in my theme that is not a part of theme.json.

I use semantically correct names for colors like "primary, secondary, foreground, background" to prevent any risk of having semantic meaning stripped away from colors. Nowadays, we dropped the color names for colors like "primary, secondary, foreground, background" to prevent any risk of having semantic meaning stripped away from colors.

For more detail here: https://richtabor.com/post/creating-style-sheets-for-color-naming

I use name that color hash names for colors like "primary, secondary, foreground, background" to prevent any risk of having semantic meaning stripped away from colors.

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I failed to do this for writing code (while semi-consistent, while they can always use custom color options, I feel I give users the best color options to keep the design language of the theme consistent when you switch themes.

The only template part that I use in every theme is the footer. I have also used: - header - main - comments - sidebars

I no longer believe that template parts are suitable as sidebars, since you may want to change the content in the sidebar depending on the context. I believe that it is better to have a separate template like sidebar or footer.

I use both single and page instead of singular, because I want to show the post meta on for posts, but not for pages. There is no conditional tag for this in WordPress. For now, there is no singular template. I added a template part for singular, but then realized it's better to have a separate template like singular to keep the primary template focused on the content. I then realized it's better to have a separate template like singular and footer-template for footer.

I use the following remaining templates: - comments - content - loop - sidebar - footer

I use a theme.json Gist of this system here: https://chir.ag/projects/name-that-color/#6195ED to generate unique names for colors.

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This project is for a SaaS company that has three products and each product has its own brand color palette. It is a mix of brand colors and grayscale colors. I have different color schemes depending on the theme. Products have different color schemes depending on the theme. Products have different color schemes depending on the theme.

The template parts include all of the top-level templates at this point. The template part system is a work in progress. It means that I don't know what template parts I will need in the future. I have used header-template, footer-template, shop-template, page-template, and sidebar-template.

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For the most going forward though. It is still early.

Specifying margins for featured images, template parts, columns. Beyond colors and typography, what other settings are you using most frequently in theme.json? (Try to keep your responses concise.)

Layout features I've used it...translating font sizes for captions...individual is a quite powerful use case. An "import" function so you can add my custom styles or variables into theme.json. Specifying margins for some blocks, font families I can't think of the others, but I want to learn to use more features...individual is a quite powerful use case. If you consider layout width as an add-on...individual is a quite powerful use case. The second benefit is the Global Styles data with the original theme.json...individual is a quite powerful use case. The biggest thing that is missing is a global spacing value as a preset. I have a mechanism that allows the same styling to be applied to multiple blocks, possibly with custom properties...individual is a quite powerful use case.

No
Yes
Yes
Yes
Based on my workflow, I can't think of the others, but I want to learn to use more features. The biggest thing that is missing is a global spacing value as a preset. I have a mechanism that allows the same styling to be applied to multiple blocks, possibly with custom properties...individual is a quite powerful use case. The second benefit is the Global Styles data with the original theme.json. The biggest thing that is missing is a global spacing value as a preset. I have a mechanism that allows the same styling to be applied to multiple blocks, possibly with custom properties...individual is a quite powerful use case.