



jQuery: Getting Started

Introduction



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Raw DOM: add/remove class



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jQuery: add/remove class





jQuery is more than just an API



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While the sentiment of [youmightnotneedjquery](#) is great, developers should be aware that ditching libraries, like jQuery, can easily require large amounts of research on their end to avoid bugs (even in modern browsers). The snippets provided by [youmightnotneedjquery](#) are a starting point but hardly scratch the surface of being a solid robust replacement to jQuery.

The great thing about an established library, like jQuery, is it's hammered on by [lots of talented people](#), [transparently improved](#), and refined by the community.

Concerned over file size? When it comes to page load time, count of HTTP requests (and placement) matter [far more](#) than total JS size. And heck, jQuery 1.9.x and 2.x allow [custom builds](#), so you can minimize what of jQuery you end up shipping.

This line from [youmightnotneedjquery](#) is worth repeating...

“At the very least, make sure you know what jQuery is doing for you, and what it's not.”

~ John-David Dalton, Paul Irish
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Anatomy of a jQuery Command